BUTLER UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT OF ARTS ADMINISTRATION • JORDAN COLLEGE OF THE ARTS

Bachelor of Science (BS) in Arts Administration – Theatre

Summary of Degree Requirements

REQUIRED COURSES IN THEATRE

| Course Title | Course Number | Credit Hours |
|---|---------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Professional Theatre Practices (both semesters, first year) | TH 100 | 2 credits (1,1) |
| Theatre Production Lab (both semesters, first year) | TH 101 | 0 credits |
| Professional Theatre Practices (soph, jr, or sr years) | TH 300 | 4 credits (1,1,1,1) |
| Theatre Production Lab (1 semester each year: soph, jr, and | d sr) TH 301 | 0 credits |
| Acting 1 and 2 | TH 111 and 112 | 6 credits (3,3) |
| Stage Movement 1 | TH 121 | 2 credits |
| Voice for the Actor 1 | TH 122 | 2 credits |
| Production Fundamentals | TH 130 | 2 credits |
| Idea of Theatre | TH 150-ICR | 3 credits |
| Stage Lighting 1, Scenography, or Costume Design | TH 232, 331, or 335 | 3 credits |
| Text Analysis | TH 250 | 3 credits |
| Theatre Elective | TH 351-SJD, 352-SJD, 451, 452, or 453 | 3 credits |
| Theatre Electives | TH_ | 2 credits |
| | TOTAL REQUIRED CREDITS IN THEATRE | 32 credits |

REQUIRED COURSES IN ARTS ADMINISTRATION, BUSINESS, AND STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION

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|---|---|-----------------|
| Course Title | Course Number | Credit Hours |
| Survey of Arts Administration | AA 201 | 2 credits |
| Principles and Practices of Arts Administration | AA 301 | 3 credits |
| Experiential Learning | AA 371-ICR, 372-ICR, or 373-ICR | 3 credits |
| Internship Preparation | AA 400 | 0 credits |
| Marketing the Arts | AA 410 | 3 credits |
| Fundraising for the Arts | AA 415 | 3 credits |
| Financial Management for the Arts | AA 420 | 3 credits |
| Internship in Arts Administration | AA 475 | 6 credits |
| Arts Administration Electives (choose 2) | AA 315, 330, 335, 383, 390, 425, or 450 | 6 credits (3,3) |
| Introduction to Accounting 1 | AC 203 | 3 credits |
| Principles of Microeconomics | EC 231 | 3 credits |
| Legal Environment of Business or Organizational Behavior LE 263 | or MG 360 | 3 credits |
| Business Applications with Excel | MS 100 | 2 credits |
| Promotional Writing 1 or Intro to News Reporting and Writing | STR 128 or JR 112 | 3 credits |
| Principles of Strategic Communication | STR 222 | 3 credits |
| Design and Production for Strategic Communication | STR 251 | 3 credits |
| Elective in LE, MG, MK, or STR | | 3 credits |
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UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM

| Course Title | Course Number | Credit Hours |
|---|---|-----------------|
| First Year Seminar | FYS 101 and 102 | 6 credits (3,3) |
| Global and Historical Studies (two courses) | GHS _ | 6 credits (3,3) |
| Analytic Reasoning | AR _ | 3 credits |
| The Natural World | NW _ | 5 credits |
| Texts and Ideas | TI_ | 3 credits |
| Well-Being | WB _ | 1 credit |
| | TOTAL REQUIRED CREDITS IN THE CORE CURRICULUM | 24 credits |
| FREE ELECTIVES | | 12 credits |

TOTAL REQUIRED CREDITS IN AA, BUSINESS, AND STR

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- At least 40 credits must be at the 300-level or higher.
- A grade of C or higher is required for all JCA courses.
- Arts Administration majors fulfill the following requirements of the University Core Curriculum: The Social World (because they take 9 hours in the social sciences), Perspectives in the Creative Arts (because they take 9 hours in the arts), the Indianapolis Community Requirement, and the Butler Cultural Requirement.
- Arts Administration-Theatre majors may choose to complete one or more areas of Emphasis (Acting, Directing, Costume Design/Technical Theatre, Set and Lighting Design/Technical Theatre, Music Theatre, Stage Management), which will be noted on the transcript.
- All Arts Administration majors are required to attend Arts Events; requirements are available online.
- For students considering a career in professional theatre and/or graduate studies in theatre, adding the BA in Theatre as a secondary major (21 additional theatre credits) is recommended.

52 credits

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Suggested Sequence of Courses

Year One

| Fall – 16 credit hours | | | Spring – 17 credit hou | rs | |
|-------------------------------|------------|-----------|-------------------------------|----------------|-----------|
| Prof Theatre Practices | TH 100 | 1 credit | Survey of Arts Admin | AA 201 | 2 credits |
| Theatre Production Lab | TH 101 | 0 credits | Prof Theatre Practices | TH 100 | 1 credit |
| Acting 1 | TH 111 | 3 credits | Theatre Production Lab | TH 101 | 0 credits |
| Stage Movement 1 | TH 121 | 2 credits | Acting 2 | TH 112 | 3 credits |
| Voice for the Actor 1 | TH 122 | 2 credits | Text Analysis | TH 250 | 3 credits |
| Production Fundamental | s TH 130 | 2 credits | Bus Appl with Excel | MS 100 | 2 credits |
| Idea of Theatre | TH 150-ICR | 3 credits | Pro Writ/Int to News Rep | STR 128/JR 112 | 3 credits |
| First Year Seminar | FYS 101 | 3 credits | First Year Seminar | FYS 102 | 3 credits |

Year Two

Fall - 15 credit hours

| Stage Lighting 1, Scenography, or Costume Design | | | |
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| | TH 232, 331, | 335 3 credits | |
| Prof Theatre Practices | TH 300 | 1 credit | |
| Prin of Strat Comm | STR 222 | 3 credits | |
| Global and Hist Studies | GHS _ | 3 credits | |

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3 credits

2 credits

120

Year Three

Free Electives

Analytic Reasoning

Fall - 15 credit hours

| Marketing the Arts | AA 410 | 3 credits |
|---------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Prof Theatre Practices | TH 300 | 1 credit |
| Theatre Production Lab | TH 301 | 0 credits |
| TH 351, 352, 451, 452, or | 453 | 3 credits |
| Intro to Accounting 1 | AC 203 | 3 credits |
| Des & Pro for Strat Comm | n STR 251 | 3 credits |
| Free Electives | | 2 credits |
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Year Four

Fall – 14 credit hours

| Fin Manage for the Arts | AA 420 | 3 credits |
|---------------------------|--------|-----------|
| Prof Theatre Practices | TH 300 | 1 credit |
| Theatre Electives | TH _ | 2 credits |
| LE, MG, MK, or STR Electi | ve | 3 credits |
| The Natural World | NW_ | 5 credits |

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS:

Spring - 14 credit hours

| Prin & Prac of Arts Admin | AA 301 | 3 credits |
|---------------------------|------------|-----------|
| Experiential Learning | AA 371-ICR | 1 credit |
| Theatre Production Lab | TH 301 | 0 credits |
| Princ of Microeconomics | EC 231 | 3 credits |
| Global and Hist Studies | GHS_ | 3 credits |
| Well-Being | WB_ | 1 credit |
| Free Electives | | 3 credits |

Spring – 15 credit hours

| Experiential Learning | AA 372-ICR | 2 credits |
|---------------------------|---------------|-----------|
| Internship Preparation | AA 400 | 0 credits |
| Fundraising for the Arts | AA 415 | 3 credits |
| Prof Theatre Practices | TH 300 | 1 credit |
| Leg Env of Bus or Org Beh | LE 263/MG 360 | 3 credits |
| Texts and Ideas | TI_ | 3 credits |
| Free Electives | | 3 credits |

Spring - 14 credit hours

| Internship in Arts Admin | AA 475 | 6 credits |
|--------------------------|--------|-----------------|
| Arts Admin Electives | AA _ | 6 credits (3,3) |
| Theatre Production Lab | TH 301 | 0 credits |
| Free Electives | | 2 credits |