

BUTLER UNIVERSITY • DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE

B.A. IN THEATRE *PLUS* A SECONDARY MAJOR IN PSYCHOLOGY

- The B.A. degree in Theatre requires 120 credits.
 --40 hours must be 300 or 400-level courses.
 --All theatre majors have Arts Event Attendance Requirements; for details, check <https://www.butler.edu/jca/for-current-students>.
- The double major of Theatre and Psychology will fulfill the following Areas of Inquiry in the University Core Curriculum: Perspectives of the Creative Arts, The Social World, and Texts and Ideas. In addition, the B.A. Theatre curriculum fulfills both the Indianapolis Community Requirement and the Butler Cultural Requirement.
- The student will be assigned a Psychology advisor in addition to their Theatre advisor.
- Students are encouraged to register as soon as their “window” opens; psychology classes fill quickly. No more than 3 psychology classes may be taken in a single semester.

Semester 1

TH 100	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 101	Professional Theatre Lab	0
TH 111	Acting 1	3
TH 121	Stage Movement 1	2
TH 130	Production Fundamentals	2
TH 150-ICR	The Idea of Theatre	3
FYS 101	First Year Seminar	3
PS 110	Finding Success in the Psy Pro	1
SW 250-PS	Psychological Inquiry	3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		18

Semester 2

TH 100	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 101	Professional Theatre Lab	0
TH 112	Acting 2	3
TH 250	Text Analysis	3
FYS 102	First Year Seminar	3
AR ____	Analytic Reasoning	3
PS 210	Research Methods/Stats 1	3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		16

Semester 3

TH 300	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 122	Voice for the Actor 1	2
TH 232/331/335	TH Design Course	3
GHS ____	Global and Historical Studies	3
PS 211	Research Methods/Stats 2	3
Language Elective		3

Explanation: 6 hours of the same language at the 200-level or higher are required.

TOTAL Credit Hours: 15

Semester 4

TH 300	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 301	Professional Theatre Lab	0
TH 232/331/335	TH Design Course	3
TH ____	Theatre Electives	3
WB ____	Well Being	1
PS ____	Content Domain Elective	3
Language Elective		3

TOTAL Credit Hours: 14

Semester 5

TH 300	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 301	Professional Theatre Lab	0
TH 232/331/335	TH Design Course	3
TH 451/2/3	Critical Perspectives 1/2/3	3
TH ____	Theatre Electives	3

PS ____	Content Domain Electives	6
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TOTAL Credit Hours: 16

Semester 6

TH 351/2-SJD	Amer Theatre History 1/2	3
TH ____	Theatre Electives	3

GHS ____	Global and Historical Studies	3
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PS ____	Content Domain Elective	3
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PS ____	Approved Elective	3
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TOTAL Credit Hours: 15

Semester 7

TH 441	Stage Directing 1	3
TH 490	Senior Capstone in Theatre	1

PS ____	Approved Electives	7
____	Free Electives	3

TOTAL Credit Hours: 14

Semester 8

TH 300	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 301	Professional Theatre Lab	0
TH 491-99	Capstone Project, Internship	1

NW ____	The Natural World	5
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PS ____	400-level Seminar	3
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____	Free Electives	2
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TOTAL Credit Hours: 12

SUMMARY

REQUIRED THEATRE COURSES:

TH 100	Professional Theatre Practices (first-year)	2 (1,1)
TH 101	Professional Theatre Lab (first-year: 2 sem)	0,0
TH 300	Professional Theatre Practices (soph,jr,sr)	4 (1,1,1,1)
TH 301	Professional Theatre Lab (soph,jr,sr: 3 sem)	0,0,0
TH 111	Acting 1	3
TH 112	Acting 2	3
TH 121	Stage Movement 1	2
TH 122	Voice for the Actor 1	2
TH 130	Production Fundamentals	2
TH 150-ICR	Idea of Theatre	3
TH 232	Stage Lighting 1	3
TH 250	Text Analysis	3
TH 331	Scenography	3
TH 335	Costume Design	3
TH 351 or 352-SJD	American Theatre History 1 or 2	3
TH 441	Stage Directing 1	3
TH 451,452, or 453	Critical Perspectives of Theatre 1,2, or 3	3
TH 490	Senior Capstone in Theatre	1
TH 491-499	Capstone Project, Internship, or Thesis	1
Theatre Electives		9
TOTAL		53

UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM:

FYS 101,102	First Year Seminar	3,3
GHS ____	Global and Historical Studies	3,3
AR ____	Analytic Reasoning	3
NW ____	The Natural World	5
WB ____	Well-Being	1
TOTAL		21

COURSES REQUIRED FOR THE PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR:

SW 250-PS	Psychological Inquiry	3
PS 110	Finding Success in the Psychology Program	1
PS 210	Research Methods/Statistics 1	3
PS 211	Research Methods/Statistics 2	3
TWELVE credits from the following Content Domains; at least one course must be taken from each domain:		12
Mind		
PS 385	Cognitive Processes	
PS 390	Learning	
PS 395	Memory	
Body		
PS 370	Biological Bases of Behavior	
PS 375	Psychopharmacology	
PS 404	Sensory Processes and Perception	
Time		
PS 320	Life Span Developmental Psychology	
PS 330	Child Psychology	
Society		

PS 340	Power and Intergroup Relations	
PS 350	Social Psychology	
PS 450	Psychology and Law	
PS ____	400-level Seminar	3
TEN credits of Psychology Electives (up to six credit hours can come from experiential learning courses)		10
Language	6 hours of the same language at the 200-level or higher	
	TOTAL	41
FREE ELECTIVES		5 (to reach 120 total credits)