

BUTLER UNIVERSITY • DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE

B.A. IN THEATRE *PLUS* A SECONDARY MAJOR IN ASTRONOMY AND ASTROPHYSICS (A&A)

- 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 A&A will fulfill the following Areas of Inquiry in the University Core Curriculum: Perspectives of the Creative Arts, Analytic Reasoning, The Natural 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 an A&A advisor in addition to their Theatre advisor.

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 122	Voice for the Actor 1	2
TH 130	Production Fundamentals	2
TH 150-ICR	The Idea of Theatre	3
FYS 101	First Year Seminar	3
MA 106*	Calculus & Anal. Geo. 1	4
PH 490	Colloquium	0

TOTAL Credit Hours: 20

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
SW ____	The Social World	3
WB ____	Well-Being	1
MA 107	Calculus & Anal Geo. 2	4
PH 490	Colloquium	0

TOTAL Credit Hours: 18

**Math placement test required; the student may need to take MA 101 (Algebra, 3 cr.) and/or MA 102 (Precalculus, 3 cr.) prior to MA 106. Students get credit for MA 106 if they receive a 4 or 5 on the Calculus AB AP exam; they receive credit for both MA 106 and MA 107 if they receive a 4 or 5 on the Calculus BC AP exam with a 4 or 5 on the AB subscore.*

Summer

GHS ____	Global and Historical Studies	3
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Semester 3

TH 300	Professional Theatre Pract	1
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Semester 4

TH 300	Professional Theatre Pract	1
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TH 232/331/335	TH Design Course	3	TH 301	Professional Theatre Lab	0
			TH 232/331/335	TH Design Course	3
AS 102	Modern Astronomy	3	AS 301	Modern Astronomical Tech	3
MA 208	Calculus & Anal. Geo. 3	4	MA 310	Linear Algebra	3
PH 201	Intro to Anal. Physics 1	5	PH 202	Intro to Anal. Physics 2	5
PH 490	Colloquium	0	PH 490	Colloquium	0
Language Elective		3	Language Elective		3
<i>Explanation: 6 hours of the same language at the 200-level or higher are required.</i>					
TOTAL Credit Hours:		19			18

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
AS 311	Astrophysics 1	3
MA 334	Differential Equations	3
PH 301	Modern Physics	3
PH 490	Colloquium	0

TOTAL Credit Hours: 16

Semester 6

TH 351/2-SJD	Amer Theatre History 1/2	3
TH ____	Theatre Electives	2
AS 312	Astrophysics 2	3
AS 340	Cosmol & Extragal Astrophy	3
PH 303	Electromag Waves & Optics	4
PH 321	Inter Classical Mechanics	4
PH 490	Colloquium	0

TOTAL Credit Hours: 19

****Not required for the A&A major, but recommended for students considering graduate school in A&A.**

Semester 7

TH 441	Stage Directing 1	3
TH 490	Senior Capstone in Theatre	1
TH ____	Theatre Electives	4
PH 331	Electromagnetic Theory	4
PH 421**	Quantum Theory	4
PH 461**	Computational Physics	3
PH 495	Senior Seminar	1

TOTAL Credit Hours: 20

Semester 8

TH 300	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 301	Professional Theatre Lab	0
TH 491-99	Capstone Project, Internship	1
TH ____	Theatre Electives	3
GHS ____	Global and Historical Studies	3
CS 142	Intro to Comp Science & Prog	3
PH 311**	Experimental Modern Physics	3
PH 325**	Thermodyn & Statistical Phys	4
PH 490	Colloquium	0

TOTAL Credit Hours: 18

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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
SW ____	The Social World	3
WB ____	Well-Being	1
TOTAL		16

COURSES REQUIRED FOR THE ASRTRONOMY AND ASTROPHYSICS MAJOR:

NOTE: Many upper-level physics courses require one or more of the following math courses as prerequisites (included in the plan above):

MA 106*	Calculus & Anal Geometry 1	4
MA 107	Calculus & Anal Geometry 2	4
MA 208	Calculus & Anal Geometry 3	4
MA 310	Linear Algebra	3
MA 334	Differential Equations	3
AS 102	Modern Astronomy	3
AS 301	Modern Astronomical Techniques	3
AS 311	Astrophysics 1	3
AS 312	Astrophysics 2	3
AS 340	Cosmology & Extragalactic Astrophysics	3
CS 142	Introduction to Comp Science & Program	3
PH 201	Introduction to Analytical Physics 1	5
PH 202	Introduction to Analytical Physics 2	5
PH 301	Modern Physics	3
PH 303	Electromagnetic Waves and Optics	4
PH 321	Intermediate Classical Mechanics	4

PH 331	Electromagnetic Theory	4
PH 490	Colloquium (seven semesters)	0
PH 495	Senior Seminar	1
Language	6 hours of the same language at the 200-level or higher	
TOTAL		50 (plus 18 additional math credits, if necessary)

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Additional courses recommended for students (shown above):

PH 311	Experimental Modern Physics	3
PH 325	Thermodynamics and Statistical Physics	4
PH 421	Quantum Theory	4
PH 461	Computational Physics	3