

BUTLER UNIVERSITY • DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE

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

- 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 Chinese major consists of 33 credits, including at least 24 credits of Chinese Language and up to 9 credits of approved electives. All courses must be completed with a "C-" or better. Students who major in Chinese normally include study abroad in their programs.
- The double major of Theatre and Chinese will fulfill the following Areas of Inquiry in the University Core Curriculum: Perspectives of the Creative Arts and Texts and Ideas. In addition, if a student completes nine or more hours abroad in approved courses, they can have one Global and Historical Studies (GHS) course waived. The B.A. Theatre curriculum fulfills both the Indianapolis Community Requirement and the Butler Cultural Requirement.
- Students may earn Butler Language Placement Credits (BLPC), in addition to credits from their Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate exams. For more information, including how exactly to earn these credits, please visit www.butler.edu/mlhc.
- The student will be assigned a Chinese language 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	Idea of Theatre	3
FYS 101	First Year Seminar	3
CN ____	Chinese Language Elective	3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		19

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
CN ____	Chinese Language Elective	3
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Semester 3

TH 300	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 232/331/335	TH Design Course	3
TH ____	Theatre Electives	2
NW ____	The Natural World	5

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
GHS ____	Global and Historical Studies	3

CN ____	Chinese Language Elective	3	CN ____	Chinese Language Elective	3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		14			13

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 Elective	1
WB ____	Well-Being	1
CN ____	Chinese Language Elective	3
____	CN or Approved Elective	3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		15

Semester 6

TH 351/2-SJD	Amer Theatre History 1/2	3
TH ____	Theatre Electives	3
SW ____	The Social World	3
CN ____	Chinese Language Elective	3
____	CN or Approved Elective	3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		15

Semester 7

TH 441	Stage Directing 1	3
TH 490	Senior Capstone in Theatre	1
GHS ____	Global and Historical Studies	3
CN ____	Chinese Language Elective	3
____	CN or Approved Elective	3
____	Free Electives	2
TOTAL Credit Hours:		15

Semester 8

TH 300	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 301	Professional Theatre Lab	0
TH 491-99	Capstone Project, Internship	1
CN ____	Chinese Language Elective	3
____	Free Electives	8
TOTAL Credit Hours:		13

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
SW ____	The Social World	3
WB ____	Well-Being	1
TOTAL		24

COURSES REQUIRED FOR THE CHINESE MAJOR:

AT LEAST 24 credits of Chinese Language (Mandarin dialect, Simplified Chinese Character System of writing, and Pinyin)

CN 100	Chinese Character Writing (1)
CN 101	Beginning Chinese 1 (3)
CN 102	Beginning Chinese 2 (3)
CN 103	Beginning Chinese Conversation (1)
CN 200	Chinese Conversation (1)
CN 203	Intermediate Chinese 1 (3)
CN 204	Intermediate Chinese 2 (3)
CN 210	Intermediate Chinese Reading (1)
CN 300	Chinese for Oral Communication (3)
CN 305	Advanced Chinese 1 (3)
CN 306	Advanced Chinese 2 (3)
CN 310	Chinese for Written Communication (3)
CN 315	Chinese for Business (3)
CN 320*	Topics in Chinese (3)

CN 325	Advanced Chinese Reading (3)
CN 330	Chinese/English Translation (3)
CN 340	Cultural Immersion in Chinese (3)
CN 401/2/3*	Internship in Chinese (1-3)
CN 491/2/3*	Independent Study (1-3)
CN 499	Honors Thesis (3)

UP TO 9 credits of approved electives:

CN 391/2/3*	Independent Study (1-3)
CN 401/2/3*	Internship in Chinese (1-3)
CN 491/2/3*	Independent Study (1-3)
CN 499	Honors Thesis (3)
FL 320	Chinese Civilization (in English) (3)
FL 325	Introduction to Linguistics (in English) (3)
FL 390*	Seminar with Chinese-focused topic (in English) (3)
FL 480*	Topics: Chinese Studies (in English) (3)
FL 490*	Seminar with Chinese-focused topic (in English) (3)
HST 305*	Topics in History with Chinese-focused topic (in English) (3)
HST 371	Modern China (in English) (3)
HST 372	Youth and Revolution in Modern China (in English) (3)
HST 373	China and the World (in English) (3)
HST 374	Women and Gender in Modern China (in English) (3)
PO 380*	Topics in Political Science with Chinese-focused topic (in English) (3)
RL 391*	Seminar on Religion and Global Affairs with Chinese-focused topic (in English) (1.5)

**repeatable with different topics.*

TOTAL

33

FREE ELECTIVES

10 (to reach 120 total credits)