

## BUTLER UNIVERSITY • DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE

### B.A. IN THEATRE *PLUS* A SECONDARY MAJOR IN POLITICAL SCIENCE

- 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 Political Science 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 Political Science advisor in addition to their Theatre advisor.

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#### ***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
PO/SW ____	Introductory 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
WB ____	Well-Being	1
PO/SW ____	Introductory Elective	3
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#### ***Semester 3***

TH 300	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 232/331/335	TH Design Course	3
GHS ____	Global and Historical Studies	3
PO/SW ____	Introductory Elective	3
Language Elective		3

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

TOTAL Credit Hours: 13

#### ***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
PO 201	Research and Analysis	3
Language Elective		3

TOTAL Credit Hours: 16

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**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
PO ____	Political Science Electives	6
TOTAL Credit Hours:		16

**Semester 6**

TH 351/2-SJD	Amer Theatre History 1/2	3
TH ____	Theatre Electives	3
PO ____	Political Science Electives	6
TOTAL Credit Hours:		12

**Semester 7**

TH 441	Stage Directing 1	3
TH 490	Senior Capstone in Theatre	1
NW ____	The Natural World	5
PO ____	Political Science Electives	6
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
AR ____	Analytic Reasoning	3
PO 490	Seminar in Political Science	3
PO ____	Political Science Elective	3
____	Free Electives	4
TOTAL Credit Hours:		15

## 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
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>53</b>

### **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
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>21</b>

### **COURSES REQUIRED FOR THE POLITICAL SCIENCE MAJOR:**

PO 201	Research and Analysis	3
PO 490	Seminar in Political Science	3
THREE Introductory courses distributed across at least two of three different areas: 3,3,3		
USA politics in theory and practice		
PO 131/SW 242-PO	Introduction to U.S. Politics	
PO 220	Community Mediation	
PO 230	Activism	
Politics beyond the USA		
PO 141	Introduction to International Politics	
PO 151	Introduction to Comparative Politics	
SW 240-PO	Gender and Generations: War and Peace	
Political Theory		
PO 102	Introduction to Peace Studies	
PO 210	Introduction to Political Theory	
TI 255-PO	The Politics of Alice Walker	
SEVEN upper-division courses, with at least three credits hours earned in three (of four) different areas: 21		
Politics in the USA		

Politics beyond the USA

Theorizing politics

Making connections, practicing politics

Language: 6 hours of the same language at the 200-level or higher

***TOTAL***

***42***

***FREE ELECTIVES***

***4 (to reach 120 total credits)***