

BUTLER UNIVERSITY • DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE

B.A. IN THEATRE *PLUS* A SECONDARY MAJOR IN CREATIVE MEDIA AND ENTERTAINMENT

- 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 Creative Media and Entertainment 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 Creative Media and Entertainment 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
CME 111	Intro to Cr Med & Entertain	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
CME 108	Multimedia Graphics	3
CME 109	Fund of Videogr & Video Ed	3

TOTAL Credit Hours: 16

Semester 3

TH 300	Professional Theatre Pract	1
TH 232/331/335	TH Design Course	3
TH ____	Theatre Electives	2
GHS ____	Global and Historical Studies	3
WB ____	Well-Being	1
CME 229	Storytelling for the Screen	3
COM 101	Foundations of Public Speaking	3

TOTAL Credit Hours: 16

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
CME 209	Basic Studio Production	3
SW 266-CCM	Media Literacy	3
CC Elective from approved list*		3

TOTAL Credit Hours: 16

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
AR ____	Analytic Reasoning	3
CME 306	Multimedia Design & Prod 1	3
CME 309	Documentary Production	3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		17

Semester 6

TH 351/2-SJD	Amer Theatre History 1/2	3
TH ____	Theatre Electives	3
GHS ____	Global and Historical Studies	3
CME 211	Authorship in Film and Tel	3
MI 452	Entertain Media & the Law	3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		15

Semester 7

TH 441	Stage Directing 1	3
TH 490	Senior Capstone in Theatre	1
NW ____	The Natural World	5
CME 311	Genres in Film & Television	3
CME 440	Creative Media & Enter Intern	3
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
CME 315	Post-Production Techniques	3
CME 409	Narrative Production	3
CME 411	Entertainment Criticism	3
CME 457	Capstone	3
TOTAL Credit Hours:		14

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 CREATIVE MEDIA AND ENTERTAINMENT MAJOR:

COM 101	Foundations of Public Speaking	3
SW 266-CCM	Media Literacy	3
Communication and Culture Elective from the approved list*		3
CME 108	Multimedia Graphics	3
CME 109	Fundamentals of Videography & Video Edit	3
CME 111	Intro to Creative Media and Entertainment	3
CME 209	Basic Studio Production	3
CME 211	Authorship in Film and Television	3
CME 229	Storytelling for the Screen	3
CME 306	Multimedia Design and Production 1	3
CME 309	Documentary Production	3
CME 311	Genres in Film and Television	3
CME 315	Post-Production Techniques	3
CME 409	Narrative Production	3
CME 411	Entertainment Criticism	3
CME 440	Creative Media & Entertainment Internship	3

CME 457	Capstone	3
MI 452	Entertainment Media and the Law	3
	<i>TOTAL</i>	<i>54</i>

****The following courses are approved to fulfill the Communication and Culture Course Requirement:***

CCM 254	Gender and Communication	3
CCM 330	Representations of Race & Diff	3
CCM 376	Film, Culture, and Criticism	3
CCM 420	Queering Film	3
CCM 468	Women and Rock	3
CCM 470	Sports, Media, and Culture	3
CCM 481	Technologies of the Body	3
CCM 482	Voices of Dissent & Social Change	3
JR 325	Gender and News: Global Views	3
JR 417	Global Media	3
SLHS 338	Language and Culture	3
SPM 458	Perspectives in Sports Media	3
STR 405	Global Strategic Communication	3