

THEATRE ARTS, ASSOCIATE OF ARTS (AA): DESIGN/LIGHTING AND/OR COSTUMING/MAKEUP

Overview

The Theater Arts Department offers a variety of programs of study and experience suited to the needs of the serious theater student as well as those who wish to include theater as a part of their liberal arts education.

With curricula in Acting/Directing, Design/Lighting, Costuming and Technical Production, the program provides an intensive two-year course of study that prepares Theater Arts majors for transfer to a four-year college or university - ready to do advanced upper-division work.

Students have the opportunity of working in all phases of production and performance, and are encouraged to take on increasing levels of responsibility.

Requirements

Associate Degree Graduation Requirements

Complete all of the following:

1. All Department Requirements listed below with a "C" or better or "P" in each course (at least 20% of the department requirements must be completed through SBCC).
2. One of the following three General Education options:
 - a. OPTION 1: A minimum of 18 units of SBCC General Education Requirements (<https://catalog.sbccc.edu/degrees-certificates-awards/#associateddegreeestext>) (Areas A-D) and Institutional Requirements (Area E) and Information Competency Requirement (Area F) OR
 - b. OPTION 2: IGETC (<https://catalog.sbccc.edu/transfer-curricula/#igetctext>) Pattern OR
 - c. OPTION 3: CSU GE Breadth (<https://catalog.sbccc.edu/transfer-curricula/#csugebtext>) Pattern
3. A total of 60 degree-applicable units (SBCC courses numbered 100 and higher).
4. Maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or better in all units attempted at SBCC.
5. Maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or better in all college units attempted.
6. A minimum of 12 units through SBCC.

Code	Title	Units
Department Requirements		
TA 103 or TA 106 or TA 107 or TA 108	Theatre Appreciation Development of Drama - Musical Theatre Development Of Drama: Greek to Renaissance Development Of Drama II: Restoration To Contemporary	3
TA 111	Beginning Acting	3
TA 120	Understanding Scenography	3
TA 121	Introduction to Stagecraft	3
TA 131	Costume Technology	3

TA 136	Theatrical Makeup Techniques	3
TA 151 or TA 152 or TA 153 or TA 154	Theatre Production I Theatre Production II Theatre Production III Theatre Production IV	0.5-2
Area A - Complete a minimum of 1 unit from the following:		1-2
TA 145A	Stage Electrician	
TA 146A	Stage Automation and Show Control Workshop/Lab	
TA 149A	Production Assistant	
TA 150A	Stage Audio Technician Workshop	
TA 151	Theatre Production I	
TA 152	Theatre Production II	
TA 153	Theatre Production III	
TA 154	Theatre Production IV	
TA 155A	Stage Costumer Workshop	
TA 156A	Stage Make-up Workshop	
Area B - Complete 6 units from the following (not including courses taken to satisfy the required courses above):		6
ART 120	Fundamentals Of Drawing	
ART 122	Advanced Drawing	
ENG 242	Contemporary Dramatic Literature	
TA 103	Theatre Appreciation	
TA 106	Development of Drama - Musical Theatre	
TA 107	Development Of Drama: Greek to Renaissance	
TA 108	Development Of Drama II: Restoration To Contemporary	
TA 112	Intermediate Acting A	
TA 123	Stage Lighting	
TA 134	Costume Design	
TA/CHST 160	Chicano Theatre	
TA 175	Summer Theatre Workshop ¹	
TA 213	Intermediate Acting B	
TA 214	Advanced Acting	
TA 215	Fundamentals of Directing	
TA 227	Scenic Design	
Total Units		25.50-28.00

¹ A maximum of 3 units from TA 175 Summer Theatre Workshop may be applied toward AA Degree.

Learning Outcomes

1. Analyze a play text in terms of dramatic structure, production and performance.
2. Demonstrate the proper application of theatre crafts' terminology pertaining to production challenges.
3. Demonstrate proficient use of theatre crafts' tools and technology in the creation of theatrical productions.

Recommended Sequence

Make an appointment with your SBCC academic counselor through Starfish to create a Student Education Plan that reflects a recommended course sequence for this program that is tailored to your individual needs.

How to schedule an Academic Counseling appointment (<https://www.sbcc.edu/counselingcenter/counselingappointments.php>).