REQUIREMENTS FOR THE BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS IN DRAMA

WEITZENHOFFER FAMILY COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

For Students Entering the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education

Summer 2013 through Spring 2014

CREDIT HOURS AND GRADE AVERAGES REQUIRED

A grade of C or better is required in all courses taken within the School of Drama. Bachelor's degrees require a minimum of 40 hours of upper-division (3000-4000) coursework.

OU encourages students to complete at least 32-34 hours of applicable coursework each year to have the opportunity to graduate in four years.

Theatre:
Scene Technology
Emphasis
B275 P586
Bachelor of Fine

Arts in Drama

Audition is required for admission to degree program.						
General Education Requirements (40-50 hours)	Hours	Drama Core and Emphasis Requirements (86 hours)	Hours			
Core I: Symbolic and Oral Communication ENGL 1113, Principles of English Composition ENGL 1213, Principles of English Composition, or EXPO 1213, Expository Writing Foreign Language—this requirement is not mandatory if the student successfully completed 2 years of the same foreign language in high school. —2 courses (Core I)	3 3 0-10	Drama Core (29 hours) 1114, Costume Construction 1124, Stagecraft 1134, Basic Stage Lighting 1411, Makeup 1513, Introduction to Acting 1523, Character Study for the Actor	4 4 4 1 3 3			
MATH 1473, Mathematics for Critical Thinking (Core I) or, advised math elective Core II: Natural Science - 2 courses. The two courses must be from different disciplines and one must include a laboratory.	3 3-4	 2013, Introduction to Theatrical Design & Production 3613, Directing I 3713, History of the Theatre I (see Gen. Ed., Core IV) 3723, History of the Theatre II (see Gen. Ed., Core IV) 3733, Fundamentals of Play Structure and Analysis 3910, Advanced Rehearsal and Production 4803, Capstone Experience (see Gen. Ed. Requirements) 	3 3 0 0 3 1			
Core III: Social Science - 2 courses P SC 1113, American Federal Government	3	Drama Emphasis Areas (57 hours) Students must choose one of the following emphasis areas. See reverse	57			
Core IV: Humanities	3	 side for specific requirements for each area. Acting Emphasis—Students will audition during the second semester of the freshman year. Design Emphasis—Emphasis review is required for admission to the 				
Understanding Artistic Forms: (3 hours) ———————————————————————————————————	3	design/tech emphasis area at the end of the freshman year. • Dramaturgy Emphasis—Students must apply during the second semester of the freshman year.				
HIST 1483, United States, 1492-1865, or 1493, United States, 1865 to Present	3	Technical Production Emphasis—Admission must occur no later than the spring semester of the sophomore year; portfolio review is required. Stage Management Emphasis—Admission must occur no later than				
DRAM 3713, History of Theatre I DRAM 3723, History of Theatre II	3 3	the spring semester of the sophomore year.				
Non-Western Culture: (3 hours)	3					
Senior Capstone — DRAM 4803, Capstone Experience	3					
NOTE: Students must complete at least one upper-division General Education course outside the major.						
,		uirements (minimum 40 hours)				
Courses designated as Core I, II, III, IV, or Capstone are part of the General Education curric approved list, including at least one upper-division Gen. Ed. course outside of the student's			from the			
Core I Symbolic and Oral Communication (9–19 hours, 3–5 courses) • English Composition–6 hours, 2 courses • Mathematics–3 hours, 1 course • Foreign Language–0–10 hours, 2 courses in the same language, (which can be Other (courses such as communication, logic or public speaking)	e met by su	ccessfully completing two years of the same foreign language in high school)				
Core II Natural Science (7 hours, 2 courses) • Courses must be taken from different disciplines in the biological and/or physical courses.	sical science	s; one of which must include a laboratory.				
Core III Social Science (6 hours, 2 courses) •One course must be P SC 1113, "American Federal Government"						
Core IV Humanities (12 hours, 4 courses) • Understanding Artistic Forms—3 hours, 1 course • Western Civilization and Culture—6 hours, 2 courses, including HIST 1483 course • Non-Western Culture—3 hours, 1 course Senior Capstone Experience (3 hours, 1 course)	or HIST 149.	3				

Scene Technology Emphasis (57 hours)						
I. Required Courses (46 hours)			II. Advised Electives (11 hours)			
DRAM 1133, Drawing & Rendering DRAM 1911, Rehearsal and Production DRAM 2053, CAD I for the Theatre DRAM 2153, Scene Design DRAM 2223, Lighting Design DRAM 2343, History of Costume DRAM 2343, History of Costume DRAM 2423, Drafting for the Theatre DRAM 3052, Illustration I: Dry Media DRAM 3052, Illustration I: Dry Media DRAM 3053, CAD II for the Theatre DRAM 3353, Costume Design DRAM 3433, Advanced Materials for Stage Scenery and Properties DRAM 3910, Advanced Rehearsal and Production DRAM 4073, Developing the Professional Perspective DRAM 4113, Scene Painting DRAM 4253, History of Décor DRAM 4263, Advanced Crafts for Theatre *A total of two hours of 3910 is required in this emphasis area; one hour for the core, and one hour for emphasis.	3 1 3 3 3 3 3 3 2 2 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3		Courses may be chosen from the School of Drama or outside the department; must be made in consultation with the School of Drama faculty adviser. Courses used to fulfill General Education and/or major requirements may not fulfill electives.	11		

Suggested Semester Advisement Plan Theatre - Scene Technology Emphasis — B275 P586

Year	FIRST SEMESTER	Hours	SECOND SEMESTER	Hours
FRESHMAN	DRAM 1114, Costume Construction DRAM 1133, Drawing & Rendering DRAM 1411, Makeup DRAM 1513, Introduction to Acting ENGL 1113, Principles of English Composition (Core I)	4 3 1 3 3	DRAM 1124, Stagecraft DRAM 1523, Character Study DRAM 2013, Introduction to Theatrical Design & Production DRAM 2423, Drafting for the Theatre ENGL 1213, Principles of English Composition (Core I), or EXPO 1213, Expository Writing (Core I)	4 3 3 3 3 3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	14	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	16
SOPHOMORE	DRAM 1134, Basic Stage Lighting DRAM 2153, Scene Design DRAM 2233, Intro. to Technical Production DRAM 3733, Fundamentals of Play Structure & Analysis MATH (Core I) (1473 is recommended)	4 3 3 3 3	DRAM 1911, Rehearsal and Production DRAM 2053, CAD I for the Theatre DRAM 2223, Lighting Design DRAM 2343, History of Costume Natural Science with lab (Core II) HIST 1483, U. S. 1492-1865, or HIST 1493, U. S. 1865-Present (Core IV)	1 3 3 3 4 3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	16	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	17
JUNIOR	DRAM 3052, Illustration I: Dry Media DRAM 3053, CAD II for the Theatre DRAM 3353, Costume Design DRAM 3613, Directing I DRAM 3713, History of the Theatre I (Core IV) DRAM 4253, History of Décor	2 3 3 3 3 3	DRAM 3433, Advanced Materials for Stage Scenery and Properties DRAM 3723, History of the Theatre II (Core IV) DRAM 3910, Advanced Rehearsal and Production P SC 1113, American Federal Government (Core III) Social Science (Core III)§ Non-Western Culture (Core IV)§	3 3 1 3 3 3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	17	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	16
SENIOR	DRAM 3910, Advanced Rehearsal and Production DRAM 4073, Developing the Professional Perspective DRAM 4113, Scene Painting Advised Elective Advised Elective Understanding Artistic Forms (Core IV) § Beginning Foreign Language (Core I)	1 3 3 3 2 3 0-5	DRAM 4263, Advanced Crafts for Theatre DRAM 4803, Capstone Experience (Capstone) Advised Elective Advised Elective Natural Science without lab (Core II) Beginning Foreign Language continued (Core I)	3 3 3 3 3-4 0-5
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15-20	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15-21

§ The course taken to fulfill the upper-division General Education requirement outside the major may not be chosen from Drama courses.

At least **24 hours of upper-division Drama** credit must be earned in residence as a declared major; must include the Senior Capstone. **Bachelor's degrees require a minimum of 40 hours of upper-division (3000-4000) coursework.**This plan of study should not be used in lieu of academic advisement.

Unless otherwise stated on the degree sheet, the College of Fine Arts does not permit coursework to fulfill more than one more degree requirement.