Bachelor of Arts in Theatre

120 credits

The Bachelor of Arts in Theatre has six basic components:
1. Lower-division, General Education Requirements (31 – 36 credits).
2. Foreign Language Requirement (16 credits).
3. Core Discipline Requirements (32 credits).
4. Discipline Depth Requirements (15 credits).
5. Diversity / Ethics Requirement (6 credits).
6. Other Electives (up to 20 credits).

General Education
All DSC General Education requirements must be fulfilled. A previously earned degree may fulfill those requirements. However, courses must be equivalent to DSC’s minimum General Education standards in the following subjects:
- American Institutions
- English
- Mathematics

DSC General Education Requirements
Complete the following:
- ENGL 1010 Intro to Writing 3.0
- ENGL 2010 Intermediate Writing 3.0
- CIS 1200 Computer Skills 3.0
- LIB 1010 Information Literacy 1.0

Complete one of the following:
- MATH 1030 Quantitative Literacy (3.0)
- MATH 1040 Intro to Statistics (3.0)
- MATH 1050 College Algebra /Pre-Calculus (4.0)

Complete the following:
- American Institutions GE approved course 3.0
- Life Sciences GE approved course 3.0-5.0
- Physical Science GE approved course 3.0-5.0
- Social & Behavioral Sciences GE approved course 3.0
- Fine Arts / Communication GE approved course 3.0
- Literature / Humanities GE approved course 3.0

Complete the following:
- Credits in a single foreign language through college courses, vertical credit, or examination 16.0

Core Discipline Requirements
Complete all of the following:
- THEA 1001 Theatre First Year Experience 1.0
- THEA 1033 Acting I 3.0
- THEA 1113 Voice and Diction 3.0
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Complete **one** of the following: 3.0

- THEA 3600  Directing I (3.0)
- THEA 3880  Stage Management (3.0)

Complete a **minimum of 4 credits** from the following 4.0

(2 credits lower-division and 2 credits upper-division):

- THEA 1150 – 1180  Theatre Workshop (0.5 – 1.0)
- THEA 2150 – 2180  Theatre Workshop (0.5 – 1.0)
- THEA 3150 – 3180  Theatre Workshop (0.5 – 1.0)
- THEA 4150 – 4180  Theatre Workshop (0.5 – 1.0)

**Discipline Depth Requirements**

Complete a **minimum of 15 credits** from the following: 15.0

- THEA 1223  Stage Makeup (3.0)
- THEA 2033  Acting II (3.0)
- THEA 2043  Acting III (3.0)
- THEA 2053  Classical Acting (3.0)
- THEA 2210  Scene Design I (3.0)
- THEA 2220  Children’s Theatre (3.0)
- THEA 2230  Lighting Design I (3.0)
- THEA 2240  Costume Design I (3.0)
- THEA 3033  Acting Studio: Musical Theatre (3.0)
- THEA 3043  Acting Studio: Acting for the Camera (3.0)
- THEA 3113  Accents and Dialects (3.0)
- THEA 3223  Stage Makeup II (3.0)
- THEA 3250  Sound Design (3.0)
- THEA 3260  Scene Painting (3.0)
- THEA 3500  Sound Technology (3.0)
- THEA 3610  Directing II (3.0)
- THEA 4033  Acting Studio: Mask (3.0)
- THEA 4043  Acting Studio: Stage Combat (3.0)
- THEA 4390  Costume History (3.0)
- THEA 4410  Scene Design II (3.0)
- THEA 4430  Lighting Design II (3.0)
- THEA 4440  Costume Design II (3.0)
- THEA 4500  Sounds Design (3.0)
- THEA 4660  Study of Period Styles & Décor (3.0)
- THEA 4960  Professional Aspects of Theatre (1.0)
Diversity / Ethics Requirement

- Two diversity / ethics courses as approved by the department

NOTE: Students must have a minimum of 40 credits of upper-division coursework in order to meet graduation requirements. At least half of students’ Theatre Depth credits must come from upper-division courses. Students should work closely with their discipline advisor to select appropriate upper-division courses.

Graduation Requirements

1. Complete a minimum of 120 college-level credits (1000 and above).
2. Complete at least 40 upper-division credits.
3. Complete at least 30 upper-division credits at DSC for institutional residency.
4. Cumulative GPA 2.0 or higher.
5. Grade C or higher in each Core Discipline and Discipline Depth Requirement course.