# Theatre Arts - Acting Emphasis, B.F.A.

The BFA Acting Emphasis provides conservatory-style training that allows greater depth of focus in acting performance. It requires application and audition prior to admission. The degree includes hands-on, intensive work in acting techniques for stage and screen, movement, voice, and improvisation. The degree also provides performance opportunities that prepare students for professional careers in acting.

#### **Matriculation Requirements**

Admission is competitive and based on successful evaluation of student's performance audition or production portfolio.

### **Program Requirements**

| Code                      | Title  | Credit        |
|---------------------------|--|---------------|
|                           |  | Hours         |
| Total Credit Hours        |  | 126           |
| Theatre Arts Requirements |  | 63<br>Credits |
| Complete the requirements |  |               |
| Complete the requirements |  | 63            |
| Emphasis Requirements     |  | 63<br>Credits |
| THEA 1113                 | Voice and Speech I   | 3             |
| THEA 2033                 | Acting II  | 3             |
| THEA 2127                 | Voiceover Acting   | 3             |
| THEA 2131                 | Movement for the Actor I   | 3             |
| THEA 2156                 | Group Voice for Theatre  | 3             |
| THEA 3033                 | Acting III   | 3             |
| THEA 3113                 | Acting for Film  | 3             |
| THEA 3115                 | Improvisation I - BFA  | 3             |
| THEA 311R                 | Improvisation II-Performance Team-BFA (Must be repeated twice for a total of 4 credits)          | 4             |
| THEA 3122                 | Voice and Speech II-BFA  | 3             |
| THEA 3123                 | Acting in Accent - BFA   | 3             |
| THEA 3131                 | Movement for the Actor II-BFA  | 3             |
| THEA 3133                 | Stage Combat   | 3             |
| THEA 3151                 | Acting for Musical Theatre I   | 3             |
| THEA 3154                 | Dance for Musical Theatre I  | 3             |
| THEA 319R                 | Performance Practicum for Stage and Screen (1 credit taken three times for a total of 3 credits) | 3             |
| or THEA 419R              | Musical Performance Practicum  |               |
| THEA 4115                 | Acting Styles-BFA  | 3             |
| THEA 4114                 | Film Acting II   | 2             |
| THEA 4117                 | Auditioning and the Business - BFA   | 3             |
| THEA 4119                 | Senior Showcase and Career Management - BFA  | 3             |
| THEA 4122                 | Speaking Shakespeare-BFA   | 3             |
|                           |  |               |

## **Core Requirements**

| Code                           | Title   | Credit  |
|--------------------------------|---|---------|
|                                |   | Hours   |
| Total Credit Hours             |   | 63      |
| General Education Requirements |   | 35      |
|                                |   | Credits |
| ENGL 1010                      | Introduction to Academic Writing CC                   | 3       |
| or ENGH 1005                   | Literacies and Composition Across Contexts CC         |         |
| ENGL 2010                      | Intermediate Academic Writing CC                      | 3       |
| Complete one of the following: |   | 3       |
| MAT 1030                       | Quantitative Reasoning QL (3)                         |         |
| MAT 1035                       | Quantitative Reasoning with Integrated Algebra QL (6) |         |
|                                |   |         |

| Complete one of the following:              |  | 3       |
|---|--|---------|
| HIST 1700                                   | American Civilization AS (3)   |         |
| HIST 1740                                   | US Economic History AS (3)   |         |
| HIST 2700                                   | US History to 1877 AS  |         |
| & HIST 2710                                 | and US History since 1877 AS (6)   |         |
| POLS 1000                                   | American Heritage AS (3)   |         |
| Complete the following:                     |  |         |
| PHIL 2050                                   | Ethics and Values IH   | 3       |
| HLTH 1100                                   | Personal Health and Wellness TE  | 2       |
| or EXSC 1097                                | Fitness for Life TE  |         |
| Biology Distribution                        |  | 3       |
| Physical Science Distribution Student Sound | s in the Sound track of the BFA Theatre Design & Production Emphasis are strongly recommended to take PHYS 1700 Physics of | 3       |
| Additional Biology or Physical Scien        | ce Distribution  | 3       |
| Humanities Distribution                     |  | 3       |
| THEA 1013                                   | Introduction to Theatre FF WE (Majors only section)  | 3       |
| Social/Behavioral Science Distribution      |  |         |
| Discipline Core Requirements                |  | 28      |
|   |  | Credits |
| THEA 1033                                   | Acting I FF  | 3       |
| THEA 1223                                   | Makeup I   | 3       |
| THEA 1513                                   | Stagecraft I   | 2       |
| THEA 1514                                   | Stagecraft I Lab   | 1       |
| THEA 159R                                   | Production Practicum for Stage and Screen I  | 1       |
| THEA 1713                                   | Script and Text Analysis I   | 3       |
| THEA 3611                                   | Directing Actors for Stage and Screen  | 3       |
| THEA 3721                                   | Theatre History and Literature I WE  | 3       |
| THEA 3722                                   | Theatre History and Literature II  | 3       |
| THEA 481R                                   | Theatre Internship (1-8)   | 2       |
| Complete 4 credits of any THEA, MI          | JSC, DANC, or ART course 1000 level or higher  | 4       |
|   |  |         |

Successful completion of at least two Writing Enriched courses is required for graduation.

#### **Graduation Requirements**

- 1. Completion of a minimum of 126 semester credits; a minimum of 40 credits must be upper division.
- 2. Overall grade point average of 3.0 or higher.
- 3. Residency hours--minimum of 30 credit hours through course attendance at UVU, with at least 10 hours earned in the last 45 hours.
- 4. Completion of GE and specified departmental requirements.
- 5. Successful completion of at least one Global/Intercultural course.
- 6. Successful completion of at least two Writing Enriched (WE) courses.

## **Graduation Plan**

This graduation plan is a sample plan and is intended to be a guide. Your specific plan may differ based on your Math and English placement and/ or transfer credits applied. You are encouraged to meet with an advisor and set up an individualized graduation plan in Wolverine Track (http://www.uvu.edu/wolverinetrack/).

| First Year                         |   |              |
|------------------------------------|---|--------------|
| Semester 1                         |   | Credit Hours |
| ENGL 1010                          | Introduction to Academic Writing CC         | 3            |
| MAT 1030                           | Quantitative Reasoning QL                   | 3            |
| American Institutions Distribution |   | 3            |
| THEA 1013                          | Introduction to Theatre FF WE               | 3            |
| THEA 1033                          | Acting I FF                                 | 3            |
| THEA 159R                          | Production Practicum for Stage and Screen I | 1            |
|                                    | Credit Hours                                | 16           |

| Compostor 2                                       |   |    |
|---|---|----|
| Semester 2<br>ENGL 2010                           | Intermediate Academic Writing CC            | 3  |
| Physical Science Distribution                     | Intermediate Academic Writing CC            | 3  |
|   | Vaisa and Chanab I                          |    |
| THEA 1113 THEA 1713                               | Voice and Speech I                          | 3  |
|   | Script and Text Analysis I                  | 3  |
| THEA 2156   | Group Voice for Theatre                     | 3  |
| • "   | Credit Hours                                | 15 |
| Second Year                                       |   |    |
| Semester 3  |   |    |
| Biology Distribution                              |   | 3  |
| Humanities Distribution                           |   | 3  |
| PHIL 2050   | Ethics and Values IH                        | 3  |
| THEA 1513   | Stagecraft I                                | 2  |
| THEA 1514   | Stagecraft I Lab                            | 1  |
| THEA 2033   | Acting II                                   | 3  |
|   | Credit Hours                                | 15 |
| Semester 4  |   |    |
| Soc/Beh Science Distribution                      |   | 3  |
| Third Science Distribution                        |   | 3  |
| EXSC 1097   | Fitness for Life TE (or HLTH 1100)          | 2  |
| THEA 1223   | Makeup I                                    | 3  |
| THEA 2131   | Movement for the Actor I                    | 3  |
| Elective  |   | 1  |
|   | Credit Hours                                | 15 |
| Third Year  |   |    |
| Semester 5  |   |    |
| THEA 3115   | Improvisation I - BFA                       | 3  |
| THEA 3131   | Movement for the Actor II-BFA               | 3  |
| THEA 3133   | Stage Combat                                | 3  |
| THEA 3151   | Acting for Musical Theatre I                | 3  |
| THEA 3154   | Dance for Musical Theatre I                 | 3  |
| THEA 319R   | Performance Practicum for Stage and Screen  | 1  |
| or THEA 419R                                      | or Musical Performance Practicum            |    |
|   | Credit Hours                                | 16 |
| Semester 6  |   |    |
| THEA 2127   | Voiceover Acting                            | 3  |
| THEA 3033   | Acting III                                  | 3  |
| THEA 3122   | Voice and Speech II-BFA                     | 3  |
| THEA 3611   | Directing Actors for Stage and Screen       | 3  |
| THEA 4115   | Acting Styles-BFA                           | 3  |
| Elective: Any THEA, MUSC, DANC or ART class 1000- | •   | 3  |
|   | Credit Hours                                | 18 |
| Fourth Year                                       |   |    |
| Semester 7  |   |    |
| THEA 311R   | Improvisation II-Performance Team-BFA       | 2  |
| THEA 3113   | Acting for Film                             | 3  |
| THEA 3123   | Acting in Accent - BFA                      | 3  |
| THEA 319R   | Performance Practicum for Stage and Screen  | 1  |
| or THEA 419R                                      | or Musical Performance Practicum            |    |
| THEA 3721   | Theatre History and Literature I WE         | 3  |
| THEA 4117   | Auditioning and the Business - BFA          | 3  |
|   | Credit Hours                                | 15 |
| Semester 8  |   |    |
| THEA 311R   | Improvisation II-Performance Team-BFA       | 2  |
| THEA 319R   | Performance Practicum for Stage and Screen  | 1  |
| or THEA 419R                                      | or Musical Performance Practicum            |    |
| THEA 3722   | Theatre History and Literature II           | 3  |
| THEA 4114   | Film Acting II                              | 2  |
| THEA 4119   | Senior Showcase and Career Management - BFA | 3  |
| THEA 4122   | Speaking Shakespeare-BFA                    | 3  |
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|-----------|--------------------|-----|
|           | Credit Hours       | 16  |
| THEA 481R | Theatre Internship | 2   |

## **Program Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Literacy: Students will have a working knowledge of theatrical history, methods, and technologies that will assist them in understanding and creating plays and other theatrical events.
- 2. Artistry: Students will demonstrate creative and collaborate skills in their area(s) of focus.
- 3. Professionalism: Students will demonstrate entry level professional competency that can be applied to their field or further study.