DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE ARTS – Degree Requirements

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS IN MUSICAL THEATRE

Student Name: _____ Academic Adviser: _____

DRAKE CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS	Course Number	Credit Hours	Semester Completed
First Year Seminar:			
AREAS OF INQUIRY			
1. INTD025 Blueprint for Success			
2. Artistic Literacy			
3. Critical Thinking			
4. The Engaged Citizen			
5. Equity and Inclusion			
6. Global and Cultural Understanding			
7a. Historical Foundations			
7b. Historical Foundations			
8. Information Literacy			
9. Quantitative Literacy			
10a. Scientific Literacy (Life Science)			
10b. Scientific Literacy (Physical Science)			
11. Values and Ethics			
12. Written Communication			
	Total Hours:		

NOTE: The total credit hours needed to complete the curriculum will vary depending on the student's individual curriculum plan. In addition, students must complete a course that satisfies the Equity & Inclusion learning outcome. More information is available via the Drake website: https://www.drake.edu/dc/areasofinguiry/.

THEATRE ARTS CORE REQUIREMENTS		Credit Hours	Semester Completed
	Course Number / Name		
THEA 003	Acting I	3 hrs.	
THEA 005	Readings in Theatre	3 hrs.	
THEA 012	Voice and Movement for the Actor	3 hrs.	
THEA 030	Stagecraft (including lab)	4 hrs.	
THEA 031	Costuming (including lab)	4 hrs.	
THEA 032	Make-up	3 hrs.	

NOTE: Core courses in Theatre Arts may also be used to fulfill Areas of Inquiry requirements as part of the Drake Curriculum.

THEA 103	Directing I	3 hrs.
THEA 120	Theatre History I	3 hrs.
THEA 121	Theatre History II	3 hrs.
THEA 124	Technical Practicum	1 hr.
THEA 160	Stage Management	3 hrs.
THEA 190	Senior Capstone	1 hr.
	Total:	34 hrs.

ADDITIONAL REQUIRED COURSES IN ACTING, VOICE, MOVEMENT AND MUSICAL THEATRE		Credit Hours	Semester Completed
	Course Number / Name		
THEA 004	Acting II	3 hrs.	
THEA 015	Movement II	2 hrs.	
THEA 021	Voice II	2 hrs.	
THEA 055	Acting III	3 hrs.	
THEA 060	Musical Theatre I	3 hrs.	
THEA 100	Acting IV	3 hrs.	
THEA 101	Musical Theatre II	3 hrs.	
THEA 102	Auditioning	3 hrs.	
THEA 116	Musical Theatre III	3 hrs.	
THEA 123	Musical Theatre History	3 hrs.	
	Total:	28 hrs.	

DANCE PROFICIENCY REQUIREMENTS		Credit Hours	Semester Completed
	Course Number / Name		
THEA 056	Jazz	2 hrs.	
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THEA 057	Тар	2 hrs.	
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THEA 058	Ballet	2 hrs.	
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THEA 059	Musical Theatre Dance	2 hrs.	
THEA 106	Musical Theatre Dance Styles	2 hrs.	
	Total:	16 hrs.	

MUSICIANSHIP AND VOICE PROFICIENCY REQUIREMENTS	Credit Hours	Semester Completed
Course Number / Name		
THEA 007 Piano Lab 1	1 hr.	

NOTE: Students must demonstrate competency in piano equivalent to the completion of THEA 008. This may require students to take THEA 007 as a prerequisite depending on level of experience. Students proficient in piano beyond the level of THEA 008 are eligible to test out of the requirement entirely. All determinations regarding piano proficiency are at the discretion of the piano instructor.

THEA 008	Piano Lab 2	1 hr.
THEA 010	Music Theory Essentials	3 hrs.
THEA026	Private Voice Lessons	1 hr.
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THEA126	Private Voice Lessons	1 hr.
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	Total:	13 hrs.

PROGRAM TOTALS

Drake Curriculum Requirements	-	41 hours
Theatre Arts Core Requirements	-	 34 hours
Additional Required Courses	-	28 hours
Required Courses in Dance Proficiency	-	 16 hours
Required Courses in Voice Proficiency	-	13 hours
TOTAL	-	132 hours (120 hour minimum required)