

# BACHELOR OF ARTS IN THEATRE (ACTING AND DIRECTING)

**Web Site:** <https://twu.edu/theatre/undergraduate-programs/>

## Degree Requirements

**Total Semester Credit Hours (SCH):** 120

**Major:** 78 SCH

**Program Code:** THEATRE.BA.ACT-DRCT; **CIP Code:** 50.0501.00

### Theatre Major Rehearsal and Production Requirement

Theatre majors must enroll in THEA 1312 or THEA 2312 or THEA 3312 or THEA 4412 each semester of full-time enrollment. Each of these courses corresponds to the student's class status. For example, a First Year student should enroll in THEA 1312, a Sophomore student should enroll in THEA 2312, and so on. Transfer students should enroll in THEA 3312 or THEA 4412 after consulting with a program advisor.

### Texas Core Curriculum

| Code  | Title  | SCHs      |
|---|--|-----------|
| ENG 1013  | Composition I (10)                                     | 3         |
| ENG 1023  | Composition II (10)                                    | 3         |
| Mathematics (20)                                      |  | 3         |
| Life & Physical Sciences (30)                         |  | 6         |
| Language, Philosophy, & Culture (40)                  |  | 3         |
| Creative Arts (50)                                    |  | 3         |
| HIST 1013   | History of the United States, 1492-1865 (60)           | 3         |
| HIST 1023   | History of the United States, 1865 to the Present (60) | 3         |
| POLS 2013   | U.S. National Government (70)                          | 3         |
| POLS 2023   | Texas Government (70)                                  | 3         |
| Social & Behavioral Sciences (80)                     |  | 3         |
| CAO: Multicultural-Women's Studies (90)               |  | 3         |
| CAO: First Year Seminar, Wellness or Mathematics (91) |  | 3         |
| <b>Total SCHs</b>                                     |  | <b>42</b> |

### Courses Required for Major

| Code                        | Title  | SCHs |
|-----------------------------|--|------|
| <b>Theatre Core Courses</b> |  |      |
| THEA 1312                   | Rehearsal and Production I (take two times)    | 4    |
| THEA 1321                   | Script Reading (take two times)                | 2    |
| THEA 2113                   | Stagecraft I                                   | 3    |
| THEA 2213                   | Performance I                                  | 3    |
| THEA 2312                   | Rehearsal and Performance II (take two times)  | 4    |
| THEA 2433                   | Theatrical Makeup                              | 3    |
| THEA 3312                   | Rehearsal and Performance III (take two times) | 4    |
| THEA 3473                   | The Theatre and Its Drama: Before 1715         | 3    |
| THEA 3483                   | The Theatre and Its Drama: Since 1715          | 3    |

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| THEA 3523                                     | Play Directing                               | 3         |
| THEA 4412                                     | Rehearsal and Production IV (take two times) | 4         |
| THEA 4603                                     | Summer Stock (take two times)                | 6         |
| <b>Emphasis Area</b>                          |  |           |
| THEA 2223                                     | Performance II                               | 3         |
| THEA 2473                                     | Movement for the Performer I                 | 3         |
| THEA 3603                                     | Advanced Acting and Scene Work               | 3         |
| THEA 3493                                     | Theatre Speech                               | 3         |
| THEA 4403                                     | Scenic Design                                | 3         |
| or THEA 4413                                  | Costume Design                               |           |
| or THEA 4423                                  | Stage Lighting                               |           |
| THEA 4553                                     | Playwriting                                  | 3         |
| <b>Electives (3 SCH global perspectives)</b>  |  | <b>12</b> |
| Take twelve SCH of Theatre or related studies |  |           |
| <b>Foreign Languages</b>                      |  | <b>6</b>  |
| <b>Total SCHs</b>                             |  | <b>78</b> |