

Roadmap: Theatre Studies - Design and Technology - Bachelor of Fine Arts

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School of Theatre and Dance

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| Course Subject and Title | Credit Hours | Upper Division | Min. Grade | Important Notes | | |
| Semester One: [16-18 Credit Hours] | | | | | | |
| ENG 11011 College Writing I or LER Social Sciences | 3 | | | Enrollment based on placement tests; fulfills LER Composition | | |
| THEA 11000 The Art of the Theatre | 3 | | | Fulfills global diversity course requirement | | |
| THEA 11303 The Art of Acting | 3 | | | | | |
| THEA 11522 Introductory Lighting or THEA 11524 Introductory Costuming or THEA 11622 Introductory Scenery | 3 | | | All three courses are required in the program but may be taken in any semester | | |
| US 10097 Destination Kent State: FYE | 1 | | | Not required for transfer students with 25 credits | | |
| LER Mathematics and Critical Reasoning | 3-5 | | | Enrollment based on placement test | | |
| Semester Two: [15-16 Credit Hours] | | | | | | |
| ARTH 22006 Art History I: Ancient and Medieval Art | 3 | | | Fulfills LER Fine Arts | | |
| THEA 11522 Introductory Lighting or THEA 11524 Introductory Costuming or THEA 11622 Introductory Scenery | 3 | | | Select course not taken earlier | | |
| THEA 22092 Practicum I in Design and Technology or THEA 22192 Practicum I in Performance or THEA 22292 Practicum I in Theatre Management | 3 | | | A total of four practicum courses are required; a minimum of two must be in design technology | | |
| LER Basic Sciences | 2-3 | | | Visit www.kent.edu/catalog and search "LER" | | |
| LER Basic Sciences Laboratory | 1 | | | for course list | | |
| LER Social Sciences or ENG 11011 College Writing I | 3 | | | Either an LER or a THEA history course (see note 2) should fulfill domestic diversity requirement; visit www.kent.edu/catalog and search "LER" and "diversity" for course lists | | |
| Semester Three: [15 Credit Hours] THEA 21016 Makeup for Stage and Screen or THEA 21621 Scene Painting | 3 | | | | | |
| THEA 21521 Theatrical Drafting | 3 | | | | | |
| ENG 21011 College Writing II or LER Social Sciences | 3 | | | Fulfills LER Composition | | |
| THEA 11522 Introductory Lighting orTHEA 11524 Introductory Costuming orTHEA 11622 Introductory Scenery | 3 | | | Select course not taken earlier | | |
| THEA 22092 Practicum I in Design and Technology or THEA 22192 Practicum I in Performance or THEA 22292 Practicum I in Theatre Management | | | | A total of four practicum courses are required; a minimum of two must be in design technology | | |
| Semester Four: [15-16 Credit Hours] | | | | | | |
| Required: by semester 4, students should have taken a | II the THI | EA course: | s listed in | semesters 1-3 | | |
| THEA 21501 Sophomore Portfolio Review | 1 | | | | | |
| ARTH 22007 Art History II: Renaissance to Modern Art | 3 | | | Fulfills LER Fine Arts | | |
| THEA 21111 Script Analysis | 3 | | | | | |
| THEA 42092 Practicum II in Design and Technology or THEA 42192 Practicum II in Performance or THEA 42292 Practicum II in Theatre Management | 3 | • | | A total of four practicum courses are required; a minimum of two must be in design technology | | |
| Theatre/Art/Design Elective (upper or lower division) | 2-3 | | | See note 1 on page 3 | | |
| LER Social Sciences or ENG 21011 College Writing II | 3 | | | Either an LER or a theatre history course (see note 2) should fulfill domestic diversity requirement; visit www.kent.edu/catalog and search "LER" and "diversity" for course lists | | |



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| Semester Five: [18 Credit Hours] | | | | |
| THEA 31112 History of Theatre and Drama I | 3 | | | Offered in fall only |
| THEA 41620 History of Period Styles for Theatre Designers | 3 | • | | Offered in odd years only |
| THEA 41621 Presentation Media | 3 | - | | Offered in odd years only |
| THEA 31522 Lighting Design or THEA 31524 Costume Design or THEA 31622 Scene Design or THEA 41523 Sound and Design Technology I | Three of the program; on | | Three of the four courses are required in the program; one must be taken this semester | |
| THEA 42092 Practicum II in Design and Technology or THEA 42192 Practicum II in Performance or THEA 42292 Practicum II in Theatre Management | 3 | • | | A total of four practicum courses are required; a minimum of two must be in design technology |
| LER Basic Sciences | 3 | | | Visit <u>www.kent.edu/catalog</u> and search "LER" for course list |
| Semester Six: [16 Credit Hours] | | | | |
| THEA 31113 History of Theatre and Drama II | 3 | | | Offered in spring only |
| THEA 31501 Junior Portfolio Review | 1 | - | | |
| THEA 31522 Lighting Design orTHEA 31524 Costume Design orTHEA 31622 Scene Design orTHEA 41523 Sound and Design Technology I | 3 | • | | Select course not taken earlier |
| LER Additional | 6 | | | Either an LER or a theatre history course (see note 2) should fulfill domestic diversity |
| LER Humanities | 3 | | | requirement; visit www.kent.edu/catalog and search "LER" and "diversity" for course lists |
| Semester Seven: [17-18 Credit Hours] | | | | |
| THEA 31114 History of Theatre and Drama III | 3 | | | Offered in fall only |
| THEA 31525 Costume Technology or THEA 31560 Scenic Technology | 3 | - | | |
| THEA 41525 Props and Crafts | 3 | • | | Offered in even years only |
| THEA 31522 Lighting Design orTHEA 31524 Costume Design orTHEA 31622 Scene Design orTHEA 41523 Sound and Design Technology I | 3 | | | Select course not taken earlier |
| Theatre/Art/Design Electives (upper or lower division) | | | | See note 1 on page 3 |
| Semester Eight: [15-16 Credit Hours] | | | | |
| THEA 31401 Directing or THEA 41736 Production and Stage Management | 3 | • | | |
| THEA 41501 Senior Portfolio Review | | | | |
| THEA 41306 Professional Aspects: Design and Technology | 3 | • | | Offered in odd years only |
| Theatre History Elective | 3 | | С | See note 2 on page 3; course should be writing intensive requirement |
| Theatre/Art/Design Electives (upper or lower division) | 5-6 | | | See note 1 on page 3 |

Graduation Requirements Summary

| | Total Hours | Upper- Liberal Education | | Diversity Course | Writing Intensive | Minimum | |
|--|--------------|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|-----------|-------------|
| | i utai muuis | Division Hours | Requirements Hours | Global / Domestic | writing intensive | Major GPA | Overall GPA |
| | 129 | 39 | 36 | THEA 11000 / | THEA 41026 or | 2.00 | 2.25 |
| | 129 | 129 39 | 30 | LER, THEA 41113 or 41114 | THEA 41110 | 2.00 | 2.23 |



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Note 1: Theatre/art/design electives (14-15 credit hours), choose from the following:

| ARTF 14000 Drawing I | 3 | THEA 41095 Special Topics | |
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| ARTF 14001 Drawing II | 3 | THEA 41521 Advanced Lightning Technology | 3 |
| ARTF 14055 Sculpture I | 3 | THEA 41522 Design Studio: Lighting | 3 |
| FDM 10020 Fashion Visuals | 2 | THEA 41523 Sound and Design Technology I | 3 |
| FDM 10140 Foundations of Fashion Drawing | 3 | THEA 41524 Design Studio: Costume | 3 |
| THEA 21016 Makeup for Stage and Screen | 3 | THEA 41527 Sound Design and Technology | 3 |
| THEA 21621 Scene Painting | 3 | THEA 41529 Advanced Wig and Makeup Techniques for Stage and Screen | |
| THEA 31401 Directing | 3 | | |
| THEA 31522 Lighting Design | 3 | THEA 41560 Theatre Fabrication Technology | 3 |
| THEA 31524 Costume Design | 3 | THEA 41622 Design Studio: Scenery | 3 |
| THEA 31525 Costume Technology | 3 | THEA 41736 Production and Stage Management | 3 |
| THEA 31560 Scenic Technology | 3 | VCD 13001 Introduction to Visual Communication Design II | 3 |
| THEA 31622 Scene Design | 3 | VCD 27000 Interiors Rendering | 3 |

Note 2: Theatre history elective (3 credit hours), choose from the following:

| DAN 47163 Dance History II | 3 | THEA 41114 Gay and Lesbian Theatre ** | 3 |
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| THEA 41026 Playwriting * | 3 | THEA 41133 Theatre and Drama in America I | 3 |
| THEA 41110 Theatre Criticism * | 3 | THEA 41134 Theatre and Drama in America II | 3 |
| THEA 41113 Theatre in a Multicultural America ** | 3 | THEA 41191 Seminar: Theatre History/Literature/Theory | 3 |

^{*} Fulfills writing-intensive requirement; minimum one course required

Additional Note for the BA Theatre Studies-Design and Technology program:

- Students are expected to participate in at least one main-stage production per semester (this may be in addition to any production design assignment).
- Students on academic probation may not participate in School of Theatre and Dance productions. Students may be dropped from the program for failure to maintain a 2.50 GPA.
- Students must pass yearly portfolio reviews to remain in the program.

Liberal Education Requirements (LER)

Students must complete a minimum 36 credit hours of Liberal Education Requirements. Colleges or degree programs may specify certain courses to fulfill the requirements. Courses in the students' major field will not count toward the completion of any LER. Honors equivalents shall satisfy the LER. None of the courses on the LER list may be taken with a pass/fail grade.

Diversity Course Requirement

Students must complete a two-course diversity requirement, consisting of one with a domestic focus and one with a global focus. One course must be come from the LER and cannot be in the student's major. The second course may be taken as a second LER; or within a major or minor; or as a general elective; or, with dean's approval, by completing one semester of study in another country.

Writing-Intensive Course Requirement

Students must complete a one-course writing-intensive requirement in their major and earn minimum C (2.00) grade.

Upper-Division Requirement

In general, baccalaureate programs require the successful completion of at least 39 upper-division (numbered 30000 to 49999) credit hours of coursework. Programs in the College of Arts and Sciences require a minimum of 42 hours of upper-division coursework.

^{**} Fulfills domestic diversity requirement