

THEATRE

MAJOR CHECKLIST

STUDENT: _____ ADVISOR: _____

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (42-56 credit hours)			
SEMESTER OR TERM	GENERAL ED. REQUIREMENT	COURSE NUMBER & TITLE	CREDIT HOURS
UNIVERSITY WRITING (3)			
	College Comp.	ENG 120 College Composition	3
	Advanced Writing	Paper Title:	
CIVILIZATION (17)			
	LIB 110	Reason and the Self	3
	LIB 120	America and the Enlightenment	3
	LIB 130	Classics of Western Literature	3
	ART 210, 215, MUS 210, or THE 215	History of the Arts (Choose 1)	3
	HIS 210, 215 or POL 213	Western Civilization (Choose 1)	3
	LIB 490	Contemporary Issues (Sr. Seminar)	2
NATURAL SCIENCES AND MATHEMATICS (10)			
	Physical Science		3-4
	Life Science		3-4
	Laboratory	Taken in conjunction with a 4 credit phy. or life science course	(a 4 above)
	Mathematics		3
FOREIGN LANGUAGE (0-14)			
	Foreign Lang. I		4
	Foreign Lang. II		4
	Foreign Lang. III		3
	Foreign Lang. IV		3
SKILLS FOR LIFE (6)			
	Service	SER 103	1
	Physical Activity	PER	1
	Physical Activity	PER	1
	Physical Activity	PER	1
	Health & Wellness	PER 143 Health & Wellness	1
	Tech. Tools	CSC 103 Technology Tools	1
SOCIAL SCIENCE (3)			
			3
FINE ARTS (3)			

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (44 credit hours)		
CORE (20)		
	THE 106 Stagecraft (GE)	3
	THE 110 Acting I (GE)	3
	THE 199 Practicum in Theatre	2
	THE 206 Introduction to Production Design	3
	THE 215 Introduction to Theatre History (GE)	3
	THE 299R Practicum in Theatre	2
	THE 399R Internship/Practicum in Theatre	2
	ART 498R Senior Show	2
COMMON ELECTIVES (3)		
		3
Theater Emphasis Core (9)		
	THE 331 Directing I: Script Analysis	3
	THE 210 Acting II	3
	THE/ENG 341 Playwriting I	3
Technical Theater Emphasis Core (12)		
	THE 208 Scene Painting	3
	THE 313 Set Design	3
	THE 314 Lighting Design	3
	THE 358 Theatre Makeup	3
Theater Electives (12) Technical Theater Electives (9)		
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OTHER COURSES TOWARD GRADUATION (Required: 120 credit hours)		

BACHELOR OF ARTS GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

1. Complete a minimum of 120 credit hours of study, at least 60 of which or at least the last two full-time semesters before graduation are at SVU. No more than 9 credit hours will be granted for internship courses.
2. Complete all general education requirements.
3. Complete all requirements of at least one major.
4. Earn a minimum grade point average of 2.00 on all course work taken at the University.
5. Comply with all University standards, regulations, and procedures, from the date of matriculation through the date of final graduation.

BACHELOR'S DEGREE GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (59 credit hours)

Writing and Computer Skills (4)

1. ENG 120 College Composition (3)
2. Advanced Writing: a paper of at least 3000 words that (a) is written for an upper-division Advanced Writing course, (b) satisfies the style standard in the course's discipline, and (c) accounts for the comments of the instructor

Foreign Language (14)

1. Semesters I-IV of a foreign language (14) (may be partly or wholly waived for student demonstrating comparable second language abilities)

Cultural Heritage (18)

1. Each of the following (9 credit hours):
LIB 110 Reason and the Self
LIB 120 America and the Enlightenment
LIB 130 Classics of Western Literature
2. One member of either of the following pairs (3 credit hours):
ART 210 & 215 Art History
MUS 210 & THE 215 Music & Theatre History
3. HIS 210 & 215 Western Civilization I & II
POL 213 Western Political Thought
3. LIB 490 Contemporary Issues (2) (Sr. Seminar)

Natural Sciences and Mathematics (10)

1. One general education physical science course from chemistry or physics (3-4)
2. One general education life science course from biology (3-4)
3. One of the general education physical or life science courses must have a laboratory component.
4. One general education mathematics course (or PHI 223 Introduction to Logic: see course description) (3)

Skills for Life (6)

1. SER 103
2. Three PER physical activity courses (3)
3. PER 143 Health & Wellness (1)
4. CSC103 Technology Tools (1)

Electives (6)

1. Social Sciences (3 credit hours):
ECN 210 Principles of Microeconomics (3)
ECN 215 Principles of Macroeconomics (3)
EDU 250 Human Growth and Development (3)
FCD 210 Marriage and Family (3)
FCD 250 Child and Adolescent Development (3)
GOV 227 Family Social Policy and Law (3)
PSY 201 General Psychology I (3)
2. Fine Arts (3 credit hours):
ART 113 Introduction to Studio Art (3)
ART 120 Introduction to Drawing (3)
ART 130 Introduction to Painting (3)
ART 223 Two-Dimensional Design (3)
MUS 108 Music Fundamentals (3)
MUS 129R Group Voice Instruction (3)
MUS 151 Music Theory I (3)
MUS 167 Conducting Fundamentals (3)
THE 106 Stagecraft (3)
THE 110 Acting I (3)

This checklist is based on the SVU Catalog 2007–2008. See Catalog for official list of requirements.

THEATRE MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (37 credit hours)

The theatre major provides the student with experience in creative and technical aspects of theatre, including acting, directing, set design, and playwriting. The majority seeks to awaken and enhance students creative abilities in performing and writing as well as to develop the skills needed to evaluate artistic works.

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MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (44 CREDIT HOURS)

Core (20):

- THE 106 Stagecraft (GE) (3)
- THE 110 Acting I (GE) (3)
- THE 199R Practicum in Theatre (2)
- THE 206 Introduction to Production Design (3)
- THE 215 Introduction to Theatre History (GE) (3)
- THE 299R Practicum in Theatre (2)
- THE 399R Internship/Practicum in Theatre (2)
- THE 498 Senior Project (2)

Common Electives I (3 credit hours from among the following):

- ENG 340 Genre Studies: Drama (3)
- ENG 345 Studies in Shakespeare (3)
- THE 340 Contemporary Drama (3)

The Theater Emphasis provides the student with a general knowledge of theatrical production while allowing the student an expanded knowledge in acting, directing, or playwriting.

Theater Core (9 credit hours):

- THE 331 Directing I: Script Analysis (3)
- THE 210 Acting II (3)
- THE/ENG 341 Playwriting I (3)

Theater Electives (12 credit hours):

- THE 175R Topics in Theatre (Var.)
- THE 208 Scene Painting (3)
- THE 275R Topics in Theatre (Var.)
- THE 310 Acting III (3)
- THE 313 Set Design (3)
- THE 314 Lighting Design (3)
- THE 332 Directing II (3)
- THE 342 Playwriting II (3)
- THE 358 Theatre Makeup (3)
- THE 375R Topics in Theatre (Var)
- THE 385R Directed Study in Theatre (Var)
- THE 406 Theatre Management (3)
- THE 410 Acting IV: Period Styles (3)

The Technical Theater Emphasis allows the student to focus on the design and technical aspects of theatre, while also providing an understanding of the other aspects of theatre.

Technical Theater Core (12 credit hours):

- THE 208 Scene Painting (3)
- THE 313 Set Design (3)
- THE 314 Lighting Design (3)
- THE 358 Theatre Makeup (3)

Technical Theater Electives (9 credit hours):

- THE 175R Topics in Theatre (Var.)
- THE 310 Acting III (3)
- THE 314 Lighting Design (3)
- THE 331 Directing I: Script Analysis (3)
- THE 332 Directing II (3)
- THE/ENG 341 Playwriting I (3)
- THE 342 Playwriting II (3)
- THE 375R Topics in Theatre (Var)
- THE 385R Directed Study in Theatre (Var)
- THE 406 Theatre Management (3)
- THE 410 Acting IV: Period Styles (3)

NOTE: SVU grants no more than nine (9) credit hours for internship/practicum courses (199, 299, 399, 499)