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#### Type:Major

The Bachelor of Arts in Musical Theatre prepares students for professional careers by providing training in three essential elements of musical theatre: music, acting and dance. In addition to multiple performance opportunities, students study the history and literature of musical theatre.

To earn a Bachelor of Arts degree in Musical Theatre students must complete the following:

#### **Musical Theatre Requirements:**

- THEA 1180 Stagecraft (3)
- THEA 1184 Acting I (3)
- THEA 1205 Movement for the Actor (3)
- THEA 2210 Voice and Diction (3)
- THEA 2285 Practicum (8)
- THEA 2351 Acting II (3)
- MUSI 1100 Music Fundamentals or MUSI 1101 (3)
- MUSI 1105/1106 OR 3105/3106 Applied Voice (8 hr. minimum)
- MUSI 1107/1108 Choral Ensemble (Must be taken 4 times)
- MUSI 2239 Basics of Singing (3)
- MUTH 2100/2101 Dance for the Musical Stage (Must be taken 4 times)
- MUTH 3200 Musical Theatre Performance I (3)
- MUTH 3201 Musical Theatre Performance II (3)
- MUTH 4352 History of Musical Theatre (3)

• THEA/MUSI or Approved 3000+ Electives (14)

#### MUTH 2100 - Dance for the Musical Stage

Introductory and Advanced jazz, tap, ballet & musical theatre dance including contemporary Musical Theatre (1950s, 60s, 70s, 80s and 90s) genres of Broadway. This course may be taken for 0 credit hours and may be repeated once.

Grade Basis: L Credit hours: 1.0 Lecture hours: 1.0

#### MUTH 2101 - Dance for the Musical Stage

Introductory and Advanced jazz, tap, ballet & musical theatre dance including contemporary Musical Theatre (1950s, 60s, 70s, 80s and 90s) genres of Broadway. This course may be taken for 0 credit hours and may be repeated once.

Grade Basis: L Credit hours: 1.0 Lecture hours: 1.0

#### **MUTH 3200 - Musical Theatre Performance**

A study of musical theatre performance techniques including song and text analysis and practical performance experience in the preparation of a music theatre repertory for performance.

Grade Basis: AL Credit hours: 3.0 Lecture hours: 3.0

#### **Restrictions:**

Consent of instructor

#### **MUTH 3201 - Musical Theatre Performance II**

A continuation of MUTH 3200 with focus on advanced musical theatre selections and performances.

Grade Basis: AL Credit hours: 3.0 Lecture hours: 3.0

### MUTH 4352 - History of Musical Theatre I

Intense study of musical theatre genres, composers, lyricists, performers, directors and choreographers and their contributions to this musical form in America from 1750 to the present. Includes consideration of how musical theatre developed and reflected the cultural, social and political landscape of its time.

Grade Basis: AL Credit hours: 3.0 Lecture hours: 3.0

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