

## **School of Contemporary Arts**

## Theater: Acting\*

Recommended Graduation Plan (Fall 2025)

This recommended graduation plan is designed to provide a blueprint for students to complete their degrees on time. These plans are the recommended sequences of courses. Students must meet with their Academic Advisor to develop a more individualized plan to complete their degree. Three writing intensive courses are required in the major and/or school core (examples are marked by WI designation in the plan below). Consult with your advisor for specific details.

**NOTE:** This recommended Graduation Plan is applicable to students admitted into the major during the 2025-2026 academic year.

CRWT Placement						
CRWT 101 to CRWT 102						
CRWT 101S to CRWT 102S						

Math Placement						
MATH 021/022 to MATH 104-121						

**NOTE**: CRWT and MATH courses are determined by placement testing and should be taken following the sequence above.

First Year						
Fall Semester	HRS	1	Spring Semester	HRS	1	
Gen Ed: (FYS) First Year Seminar	4		General Education Requirement	4		
Gen Ed: (CRWT) Critical Reading and Writing 102	4		Gen Ed: (QR) Quantitative Reasoning	4		
General Education Requirement	4		THEA 120-Theater Practicum	4		
Major: THEA 220-Introduction to Acting	4		THEA 260-Voice & Movement	4		
Career Pathways: PATH CA1 – Career Pathways Module 1	Degree Rqmt.					
Total:	16		Total:	16		

Second Year							
Fall Semester	HRS	1	Spring Semester	HRS	1		
General Education Requirement	4		General Education Requirement OR THEA 233-History of Global Theater & Film – WI	4			
General Education Requirement OR THEA 239-Basic Directing	4		General Education Requirement	4			
THEA 232-History of Global Theater & Performance OR THEA 217-Visual Imagination	4		General Education Requirement	4			
THEA 303-Intermediate Acting OR THEA 315-Clowning and Comedy	4		THEA 203-The Craft of Costume OR THEA 235-Costume Design OR THEA 229-Set	4			

		Design OR THEA 226-Basic Lighting for Stage and TV OR Elective		
Career Pathways: PATH CA2 – Career Pathways Module 2	Degree Rqmt.	Career Pathways: PATH CA3 – Career Pathways Module 3	Degree Rqmt.	
Total:	16	Total:	16	

Third Year						
Fall Semester	HRS	1	Spring Semester	HRS	1	
THEA 303-Intermediate Acting OR THEA 315-Clowning and Comedy	4		School Core: CA Interdisciplinary Upper Level Course <b>WI</b>	4		
THEA 232-History of Global Theater & Performance OR THEA 217-Visual Imagination	4		THEA 460-Contemporary Theater and Theory WI OR CNTP 388-Co-Op/Internship OR THEA 435-Advanced Theater Projects	4		
THEA 312-Auditioning OR Elective	4		THEA 427-Scene Studies OR THEA 326-Advanced Acting	4		
General Education Requirement OR THEA 239-Basic Directing	4		General Education Requirement OR THEA 233-History of Global Theater & Film – WI	4		
Total:	16		Total:	16		

Fourth Year						
Fall Semester	HRS	1	Spring Semester	HRS	1	
THEA 312-Auditioning OR Elective	4		THEA 460-Contemporary Theater and Theory WI OR CNTP 388-Co-Op/Internship OR THEA 435-Advanced Theater Projects	4		
Free Elective (minor, certificate, or second major requirement)	4		THEA 427-Scene Studies OR THEA 326-Advanced Acting	4		
Free Elective (minor, certificate, or second major requirement)	4		Free Elective (minor, certificate, or second major requirement)	4		
THEA 235-Costume Design OR THEA 229-Set Design OR THEA 226-Basic Lighting for Stage and TV OR Elective	4		Free Elective (minor, certificate, or second major requirement)	4		
Total:	16		Total:	16		

**Total Credits Required:** 128 credits

**GPA:** 2.0

**General Education courses** can be done in any order with the exception of INTD 101, CRWT and MATH. Those three general education courses will need to be done first. First Year Seminar is taken in the first semester. Failure to complete CRWT and MATH will result in a hold when the student hits 64 credits. The

<sup>\*</sup>Requires two Running Crews (THEA 021 and THEA 022) any semester

following general education courses can be done in any order. For more info on these courses, please visit the General Education program requirements website in the College Catalog:

- Social Science Inquiry (SOSC 110) [+W]
- Scientific Reasoning
- Historical Perspectives [+W]
- Studies in the Arts & Humanities (CRWT 102 is a prerequisite to this course) [+W]
- Global Awareness f+W
- Distribution Category (Must be outside of CA)
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<sup>+</sup>W: Students transferring in with 48 or more credits are waived from these general education requirements.