**Theatre**

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**B.A. Degree**

Minimum Requirements for Degrees: 120 credits

The theatre department teaches basic and advanced courses in theatre arts, technology and appreciation. The department recognizes the importance of the role of fine arts within the humanities program of a liberal arts education. Courses in theatre help develop a student’s sense of self worth while encouraging independent, original and creative thinking.

Classes and productions are open to theatre majors and minors and students in other fields. These experiences provide unique opportunities for creative expression and development when coupled with other programs.

**Major—B.A. Degree**

**Concentrations: Design/Technical Theatre, Directing, Film, Performance**

1. Complete the general university requirements (page 112).
2. Complete the B.A. degree requirements (page 116).
3. Complete the following program (major) requirements:*  
   a. Complete five of the following:
      - THR 101—Theatre Practicum (2)  
      - THR 201—Theatre Practicum (2)  
      - THR 301—Theatre Practicum (2)  
      - THR 401—Theatre Practicum (2)  
   b. Complete the following courses:
      - THR 121—Fundamentals of Acting  
      - THR 190—Audition or Portfolio Review Participation  
      - THR 241—Basic Stagecraft  
      - THR 247—Introduction to Theatrical Design  
      - THR 254—Costume Design and Construction I  
      - THR 290—Audition or Portfolio Review Participation II  
      - THR 291—Musical Audition or Portfolio Review Participation II  
      - THR 331—Fundamentals of Film and Stage Direction  
      - THR 411W—Theatre History I (3)  
      - THR 412W—Theatre History II (3)  
   c. Complete one of the following concentrations:*  
      - Design/Technical Theatre  
      - Directing  
      - Film  
      - Performance  

   **Design/Technical Theatre**
   a. Complete two of the following:
      - THR 245—Stage Management  
      - THR 341—Intermediate Stagecraft  
      - THR 343—Scene Design  
      - THR 347O—Lighting Design  
      - THR 348—Sound Design in the Theatre  
      - THR 351—Makeup for Theatre  
      - THR 355—History of Fashion and Dress  
      - THR 447—Lighting Design II  
      - THR 456—Advanced Topics in Costume Design and Construction  
      - THR 499—Thesis Project  

   **Directing**
   a. Complete two of the following:
      - THR 341—Intermediate Stagecraft  
      - THR 343—Scene Design  
      - THR 347O—Lighting Design  
      - THR 348—Sound Design in the Theatre  
      - THR 351—Makeup for Theatre  
      - THR 355—History of Fashion and Dress  
      - THR 499—Thesis Project  
   b. Complete the following:
      - THR 221—Intermediate Acting  
      - THR 413W—Playscript Analysis  
      - THR 470—Film and Video Directing  

   **Film**
   a. Complete one of the following:
      - ENGL/FLM 217—Introduction to the Study of Film  
      - JRN/FLM 105—History of the Cinema  
      - JRN/FLM 308—Film Criticism  
      - THR/FLM 215—Dramatic Literature  
      - THR/FLM 334W—Movies and Film  
      - THR 347O—Lighting Design  
      - THR 348—Sound Design in the Theatre  
      - THR 413W—Playscript Analysis  
      - THR/FLM 470—Film and Video Directing  
   b. Complete one of the following:
      - THR/FLM 334W—Movies and Films  
      - THR 347O—Lighting Design  
      - THR 348—Sound Design in the Theatre  
      - THR 355—History of Fashion and Dress  

5. Minimum credits required.................. 120

**Minor**

1. Complete the following:
   a. Complete two of the following:
      - THR 121—Fundamentals of Acting  
      - THR 215—Dramatic Literature  
      - THR 241—Basic Stagecraft  
      - THR electives*  
   b. Complete four of the following:
      - THR 341—Intermediate Stagecraft  
      - THR 343—Scene Design  
      - THR 347O—Lighting Design  
      - THR 348—Sound Design in the Theatre  
      - THR 355—History of Fashion and Dress  

2. Minimum credits required.................. 18

* No more than 5 credits in theatre practicum may be applied to the minor. The minor program requires the approval of a member of the theatre faculty in advance of formally declaring the minor, preferably no later than the first semester of the junior year.

**Note:** Production participation requirement—Theatre, being a collaborative art, is dependent on the participation of people in all aspects of theatrical production: acting, designing, crew work, box-office, publicity, directing, etc. For this reason, students majoring or minoring in theatre are expected to participate actively and continuously in the production activities of the theatre department throughout their academic career at UAF. Theatre majors are required to take three credits of theatre practicum and are encouraged to take it for elective credits as well. Theatre majors and minors are expected to attend all theatre department “Town Meetings” and to talk regularly with a theatre department faculty member (an advisor) regarding their participation so that they may plan a working course of action to fulfill this requirement.

See Film Studies.

Note: Page numbers refer to the UAF 2006-2007 academic catalog, which can be viewed online at www.uaf.edu/catalog.
## Baccalaureate Core Requirements

All degrees (e.g. B.A., B.S., etc.) require additional courses. Refer to specific degree and program requirements.

**COMMUNICATION (9)**

Complete the following:

- **ENGL 111X** .............................................................................(3)  
  **ENGL 190H may be substituted.**

Complete one of the following:

- **ENGL 211X OR ENGL 213X** .....................................................(3)  

Complete one of the following:

- **COMM 131X OR COMM 141X** ....................................................(3)  

**PERSPECTIVES ON THE HUMAN CONDITION (18)**

Complete all of the following four courses:

- **ANTH 100X/SOC 100X** .............................................................. (3)  
- **ECON 100X OR PS 100X** ............................................................ (3)  
- **HIST 100X** ............................................................................... (3)  
- **ENGL/FIL 200X** ........................................................................ (3)  

Complete one of the following three courses:

- **ART/MUS/THR 200X, HUM 201X OR ANS 202X** ...................... (3)  

Complete one of the following six courses:

- **BA 323X, COMM 300X, JUST 300X, NRM 303X, PS 300X OR PHIL 322X** ...........................................................................(3)  

OR complete 12 credits from the above courses **PLUS**

- two semester-length courses in a single Alaska Native language or other non-English language **OR**

- three semester-length courses (9 credits) in American Sign Language taken at the university level.

**MATHEMATICS (3)**

Complete one of the following:

- **MATH 107X, MATH 161X OR MATH 103X** ...............................(3-4)  
  * No credit may be earned for more than one of MATH 107X or 161X.

**OR complete one of the following:**

- **MATH 200X, MATH 201X, MATH 202X, MATH 262X OR MATH 272X** .................................................................................(4)  
  * Or any math course having one of these as a prerequisite

**NATURAL SCIENCES (8)**

Complete any two (4-credit) courses:

- **ATM 101X** ................................................................................ (4)  
- **BIOL 100X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **BIOL 103X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **BIOL 104X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **BIOL 105X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **BIOL 106X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **BIOL 111X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **BIOL 112X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **CHEM 100X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **CHEM 103X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **CHEM 104X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **CHEM 105X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **CHEM 106X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **GEOG 205X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **GEOS 100X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **GEOS 101X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **GEOS 112X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **GEOS 120X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **GEOS 125X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **MSL 111X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **PHYS 102X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **PHYS 103X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **PHYS 104X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **PHYS 115X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **PHYS 116X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **PHYS 175X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **PHYS 211X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **PHYS 212X** ............................................................................... (4)  
- **PHYS 213X** ............................................................................... (4)  

**LIBRARY AND INFORMATION RESEARCH (0–1)**

Successful completion of library skills competency test **OR**

LS 100X or 101X prior to junior standing .............................(0–1)  

**UPPER-DIVISION WRITING AND ORAL COMMUNICATION (0)**

Complete the following:

Two writing intensive courses designated (W) .......................(0)  

One oral communication intensive course designated (O) ........(0)  

**OR** two oral communication intensive courses designated (O/2), at the upper-division level (see degree and/or major requirements) ......(0)  

**TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED** ................................................................. 38–39