

# Augustana College

## Theatre

<b>Courses required for the first year:</b> None required.
<b>Courses recommended for the first year:</b> THEA 240, THEA 244.
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**Major: 31 credits; Minor: 20 credits**

### Core Requirements for the Major (15 credits):

Course Number	Course Name	Learning Perspective	Prerequisites	Credits
THEA 240	Acting I	PA	None	4
THEA 244	Stagecraft	PA	None	4
THEA 341 or THEA 343	Classical Ages of Theatre or Modern and Contemporary Theatre	PP (for CA) PH (for MC)	None	4
THEA 460	Senior Inquiry*	None	None	3

\* Students who complete a substantial senior inquiry project in another major may substitute a four credit 300-400 level course in consultation with their advisor. Students may also substitute 3 credits of THEA-INTR for THEA460.

In addition to the core requirements, students choose from one of the following concentrations: Performance, Theatre History, Design/Technology, Musical Theatre, or can choose to be a theatre generalist.

### **Concentration 1: Theatre Generalist (16 credits):**

Core requirements plus 4 THEA credits from each concentration

Minimum of 2 Practical Theatre Experiences (0-1 credit each)

### **Concentration 2: Performance (16 credits):**

THEA 241 Voice and Movement for the Stage (4 credits)

THEA 242 Directing (4 credits)

THEA 340 Acting II (4 credits)

One Additional Theatre Elective at 200 Level or Above (4 credits)

Minimum of 2 Practical Theatre Experiences (0-1 credit each)

**Concentration 3: Theatre History (16 credits):**

THEA 301 Introduction to Dramaturgy (4 credits)

THEA 341 Classical Ages of Theatre (or) THEA 343 Modern and Contemporary Theatre (4 credits)  
(Whichever class is not chosen from Core Requirements)

THEA 344 Musical Theatre History (4 credits)

One Additional Theatre Elective at 200 Level or Above (4 credits)

Minimum of 2 Practical Theatre Experiences (0-1 credit each)

**Concentration 4: Design/Technology (16 credits):**

THEA 314 Scenography (4 credits)

THEA 315 Lighting and Sound Design (4 credits)

One Additional Theatre Elective at 200 Level or Above (4 credits)

4 Practical Theatre Experiences (including Stage Management & Design Assignments) (0-4 credits)

**Concentration 5: Musical Theatre (15 credits):**

THEA 241 Voice and Movement for the Stage (4 credits)

THEA 250 Jazz Dance I (2 credits)

THEA 251 Basic Tap (2 credits)

THEA 350 Jazz Dance II (2 credits)

THEA 344 Musical Theatre History (4 credits)

Minimum of 2 Practical Theatre Experiences (0-1 credit each)

MUSC 111 Musicianship I (1 credit)

2-3 years of Vocal Lessons

2-3 years of Vocal Ensemble

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