

Ad Hoc Theater Department Meeting Minutes

5/18/16

Present: Matthew Burgos, Christine Cummings & Richard Strand

Strand called the meeting to order at 2:40 p.m.

REPORTS/DISCUSSION ITEMS

- All reviewed and discussed the proposed Technical Theater Certificate to make sure it was complete and accurate as outlined below.
- Cummings suggested that Audio training and jobs be added to the description. All agreed.
- Burgos asked for clarification about offering Costuming as a restricted elective. Strand explained the discussion in the Advisory Meeting which suggested we pursue reinstating the separate Costuming Certificate at a later date.
- All discussed the results of the Student Survey pointing out that the findings indicate a definite interest in creating new curriculum for the department amongst the student body.
- All offered full support of the proposed certificate as written including our rationale which states:

RATIONALE: We are looking to provide training and experience that will be useful to our students interested in careers in technical theater. The work associated with obtaining the degree will provide necessary training for those interested in finding entry-level positions as a shop technician or running crew in theaters and theme parks. It may also aid in finding short-term work on load-ins and running crews for theatrical events.

Outline for proposed Certificate in Technical Theater:

Required Courses:

Requirements	Dept. Name/#	Name	Units	Sequence
Required Core: 26	THTR 9	Introduction to Theater	3.0	Yr. 1 Fall
	THTR 21	Introduction to Design	3.0	Yr. 1 Fall
	THTR 13	Play Rehearsal and Production - Technical	1.0	Yr. 1 Fall
	THTR 18	Technical Theater Practicum	1.0	Yr. 1 Fall
	THTR 14	Stagecraft	3.0	Yr. 1 Spring
	THTR 22	Stage Lighting	3.0	Yr. 1 Spring
	THTR 13	Play Rehearsal and Production - Technical	1.0	Yr. 1 Spring
	THTR 18	Technical Theater Practicum	1.0	Yr. 1 Spring
	THTR 26	Audio for Live Theater	3.0	Yr. 2 Fall
	THTR 24	Stage Management	3.0	Yr. 2 Fall
	THTR 13	Play Rehearsal and Production - Technical	1.0	Yr. 2 Fall
	THTR 18	Technical Theater Practicum	1.0	Yr. 2 Fall
	THTR 13	Play Rehearsal and Production - Technical	1.0	Yr. 2 Spring
	THTR 18	Technical Theater Practicum	1.0	Yr. 2 Spring
Restricted Electives to total 6 hours	THTR 11,	Acting I,	3.0	Yr. 2 Spring
	THTR 16,	Makeup,	3.0	Yr. 2 Spring
	THTR 19,	Costuming,		
	THTR 27	Directing		

Required Core Total 26

Restricted Electives 6

TOTAL Units: 32

Proposed Sequence:

Year 1 Fall = 8

Year 1 Spring = 8

Year 2 Fall = 8

Year 2 Spring = 8

TOTAL UNITS: 32

Strand adjourned the meeting at 2:53 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Christine Cummings