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## MEMORANDUM

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TO: Curriculum Committee

FROM: Jack Kirby 

DATE: October 16, 2012

SUBJECT: Curriculum Proposal #12-13-17  
Final Faculty Senate Approval 11/13/2012

I recommend approval of the attached Curriculum Proposal #12-13-17 from the School of Fine Arts.

This is designed to reduce the number of hours in the Bachelor of Arts in Theatre program from 128 total hours to 120 hours.

c: Dr. Christina Lavorata  
Mr. Peter Lach  
Dr. John O'Connor  
Ms. Evie Brantmayer

THIS "SHORT" FORM IS FOR LIMITED USE TO FACILITATE TRANSITION TO THE 120 HOUR BACHELOR DEGREE REQUIREMENT OR 60 HOUR ASSOCIATE DEGREE REQUIREMENT. IT WILL ONLY BE AVAILABLE FOR USE DURING ACADEMIC YEAR 2012-2013.

**ABBREVIATED CURRICULUM PROPOSAL FORM**

**NOTE:** Submit one hard copy and an electronic copy to the Associate Provost **AT LEAST ONE WEEK PRIOR** to the Curriculum Committee meeting when your proposal is to be reviewed.

**Proposal Number:** 12-13-14

**School/Department/Program:** School of Fine Arts/Department of Communication and Theatre Arts

**Preparer/Contact Person:** John O'Connor and Peter Lach

**Telephone Extension:** 4817, 4219

**Date Originally Submitted:** October 15, 2012

**Revision (Indicate date and label it Revision #1, #2, etc.):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Implementation Date Requested:** Fall 2013

**PROPOSAL.** Write a brief abstract, not exceeding 100 words, which describes the overall content of the proposal.

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Deletion of course(s) or credit(s) from program(s)

Remove 4 credits from General Studies and 4 credits from Free Electives OR 5 credits from General Studies and 3 credits from Free Electives.

Total hours 8 deleted.

Addition of existing course(s) or credit(s) to program(s)

Total hours \_\_\_\_\_ added.

B.A. Degree in Theatre  
Current Program

<b>Required Major Courses</b>			<b>HRS</b>
COMM	1105	Voice and Diction	3
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THEA	1114	Body Training and Stage Movement	3
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THEA	1148	Theatre Workshop	1
THEA	1151	Text Analysis	3
THEA	2212	Theatrical Makeup	1
THEA	2230	Acting	3
	2238		
	or		
THEA	4432	Acting Workshop	1
THEA	2244	Introduction to Theatrical Design	3
	2262		
	or		
THEA	4462	Production Practicum	1
THEA	3336	Directing	3
	3340		
	and		
THEA	3341	Theatre History I and II	6
THEA	3375	Development of Dramatic Art	3
THEA	4438	Senior Comprehensive Project	3
<b>TOTAL Required Major Courses</b>			<b>39</b>
Major Electives			
Any courses chosen from THEA 1199, 2220, 2251, 3305, 3314, 3326, 3330, 3344, 3346, 3350, 3352, 3392, 4480, 4490			9
<b>TOTAL HOURS FOR MAJOR</b>			<b>48</b>
<b>Required General Studies Courses</b>			
First Year Experience			15
ENGL	1104	Written English I	3
ENGL	1108	Written English II	3
INFO	1100	Computer Concepts and Applications	3
MATH	1107	Fundamental Concepts of Mathematics	3
COMM	2201	Introduction to Group Discussion	3
Scientific Discovery			8
Cultural / Civilization Exploration			9
Society / Human Interactions			6
Artistic / Creative Expression (3 credits from THEA 2230)			6
<b>TOTAL GENERAL STUDIES HOURS</b>			<b>41</b>
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<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>			<b>128</b>

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<b>Required General Studies Courses</b>		
Attribute IA – Critical Analysis		3
	ENGL 1108	
Attribute IB – Quantitative Literacy		3
	MATH 1107	
Attribute IC – Written Communication		3
	ENGL 1104	
Attribute ID - Teamwork		3
	COMM 2201	
Attribute IE – Information Literacy		X
	ENGL 1108 (counted in Attribute IA)	
Attribute IF – Technology Literacy		3
	BISM 1200 or TECH 1100	
Attribute IG – Oral Communication		X
	COMM 2201 (counted in Attribute ID)	
Attribute III - Citizenship		3
	HIST 1107 or 1108 or POLI 1103	
Attribute IV - Ethics		3
	ENGL 2231	

Attribute V - Health		2 or 3
	CRJU 2212 or PHED 1100	
Attribute VI - Interdisciplinary		3
	Any course in VI	
Attribute VIIA - Arts		3
	Any course in VIIA	
Attribute VIIB - Humanities		X
	Major Course - THEA 3375	
Attribute VIIC – Social Sciences		3
	Any course in VIIC	
Attribute VIID - Natural Science		4
	Any course in VIID	
Attribute VIII – Cultural Awareness		X
	ENGL 2231 (counted in Attribute IV)	
<b>TOTAL GENERAL STUDIES HOURS</b>		<b>36 or 37</b>
<b>TOTAL FREE ELECTIVES</b>		<b>35 or 36</b>
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>		<b>120</b>



# SCHOOL OF FINE ARTS

## DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATION & THEATRE ARTS

### BACHELOR OF ARTS IN THEATRE

MODEL SCHEDULE					
Fall 1 <sup>st</sup> Year			Spring 1 <sup>st</sup> Year		
COMM 1105 Voice and Diction	3		THEA 1114 Body Training & Stage Movement	3	
THEA 1110 Introduction to Theatre	3		THEA 1140 Theatre Production	2	
THEA 2212 Theatrical Make-up	1		THEA 1148 Theatre Workshop	1	
G.S.	4		THEA 1151 Text Analysis	3	
Free Electives	4		G.S.	6	
<b>Total:</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>Total:</b>	<b>15</b>	
Fall 2 <sup>nd</sup> Year			Spring 2 <sup>nd</sup> Year		
THEA 2230 Acting	3		THEA 2244 Intro. to Theatrical Design	3	
THEA 2238 or 4432 Acting Workshop	1		THEA 2262 or 4462 Production Practicum	1	
G.S.	4		THEA Electives	3	
Free Electives	7		G.S.	4	
			Free Electives	4	
<b>Total:</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>Total:</b>	<b>15</b>	
Fall 3 <sup>rd</sup> Year			Spring 3 <sup>rd</sup> Year		
THEA 3340 Theatre History I	3		THEA 3341 Theatre History II	3	
THEA 3375 Dev. of Dramatic Art	3		THEA 3336 Directing	3	
THEA Electives	3		G.S.	3	
G.S.	3		Free Electives	6	
Free Electives	3				
<b>Total:</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>Total:</b>	<b>15</b>	
Fall 4 <sup>th</sup> Year			Spring 4 <sup>th</sup> Year		
THEA Electives	3		THEA 4438 Senior Comprehensive Project	3	
G.S.	6		G.S.	6	
Free Electives	6		Free Electives	6	
<b>Total:</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>Total:</b>	<b>15</b>	
			<b>Degree Total Hours:</b>	<b>120</b>	