**Theatre Arts**

The discipline of theatre arts includes theoretical and practical courses in all aspects of theatre, providing preparation in acting, directing, and technical theatre through productions. The degree program allows for a course of study that expands and increases creativity. It is a meaningful journey of personal discovery and self expansion. It connects the study of script analysis to creating complex characters or theatrical designs. In addition, a solid foundation of fundamental skills learned through a variety of performance as well as technical theatre courses will help the student build confidence and emphasize the importance of responsibility, dedication, collaboration commitment.

**Career Opportunities**

The Theatre Arts program is designed for students of all levels of experience. Graduates can pursue careers in: acting for stage, film, and television; voiceover for radio, TV, and video games, disk jockey; teaching drama and public speaking to children and adults in schools, theatres, and professional environments; directing for film, television, and the stage; writing for film, television, and the stage; stage management, event management, talent agent, casting director, company manager, executive director; public relations, marketing; sound design, broadcast technician, light design, makeup artist, hair stylist, wardrobe manager; carpentry, electric engineering.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Students completing this program will be able to:

1. Apply critical thinking in the creative process.
2. Use the language of the discipline; demonstrate to command of critical vocabulary.
3. Describe the roles of creative expression in human cultures.
4. Engage with the arts; integrate the arts into life.
5. Use critical thinking in evaluating works of art in intrinsic terms, expressive content, and social context.

**AA-T Degree Requirements**

**Major: Core and Selective Requirements**

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**General Education** - certified completion of one of the following:

- California State University General Education-Breadth pattern (CSU GE Breadth),
- OR
- Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC/CSU) pattern

**Elective courses:** If applicable, additional courses to meet the minimum 60 CSU transferable units requirement.

*Please refer to Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) Requirements for more information.*