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Theatre Studies (THST)

School of English and Theatre Studies, College of Arts

The Theatre Studies program is a component of a liberal education, and is dedicated to integrating academic study and theatre practice. The program offers introductory and advanced courses that combine theory and practice with an emphasis on educating well-rounded theatre creators for both the academic and professional spheres. Students will have the opportunity to work on both scripted and devised productions and do in-depth research and analysis. Rather than a focus on individual disciplines such as acting, directing, design and technical theatre, the program integrates this knowledge into a series of variable topic courses that examine performance from various perspectives. Many of these courses have presentational or performance outcomes.

Notes:

1. A maximum of 2.00 credits in Directed Readings or Special Studies Courses ([THST*3000](#), [THST*3600](#)) is allowed in the honours program major. A maximum of 1.00 credits in such courses is allowed in honours program minor or the general program area of concentration. Students will normally be permitted to take only 0.50 credits in Directed Readings or Special Studies courses per semester.
 Certain approved Dramatic Literature courses from the English Program within the School of English and Theatre Studies or other departments may be counted towards a degree in Theatre Studies. A list of approved courses may be obtained from the School's website: <http://www.arts.uoguelph.ca/sets/>.
2. In connection with [THST*1040](#) and some upper-level courses, students are required as part of the course to attend various specified theatre performances in cities such as Toronto, Stratford, Niagara-on-the-Lake, and London. A special fee is charged for travel to these performances and students will be notified during the first week of classes of the amount of this fee and the dates of the performances.
3. In any given semester, a student may not enroll in more than ONE production-related course at a time. These include: [THST*2190](#), [THST*3190](#), [THST*4280](#).

Area of Concentration (General Program)

A minimum of 5.00 credits in Theatre Studies is required, including :

THST*1040	[0.50]	Introduction to Performance
THST*1190	[0.50]	Theatre Workshop I
THST*1270	[0.50]	Theatre Research I
THST*2050	[0.50]	Devising
THST*2270	[0.50]	Theatre Research II
THST*3170	[0.50]	Special Topics

1.00 additional credit in THST at the 2000 level or above

1.00 additional credit in THST at the 3000 level or above

Major (Honours Program)

A minimum of 8.50 credits in Theatre Studies is required, including:

THST*1040	[0.50]	Introduction to Performance
THST*1190	[0.50]	Theatre Workshop I
THST*1270	[0.50]	Theatre Research I
THST*2050	[0.50]	Devising
THST*2190	[1.00]	Theatre Workshop II
THST*2270	[0.50]	Theatre Research II
THST*3170	[0.50]	Special Topics
THST*4270	[0.50]	Research Seminar I
THST*4280	[1.00]	Ensemble Project

1.00 additional credit in THST at the 2000 level or above

2.00 additional credits in THST at the 3000 level or above

Minor (Honours Program)

A minimum of 5.00 credits in Theatre Studies is required, including :

THST*1040	[0.50]	Introduction to Performance
THST*1190	[0.50]	Theatre Workshop I
THST*1270	[0.50]	Theatre Research I
THST*2050	[0.50]	Devising
THST*2270	[0.50]	Theatre Research II
THST*3170	[0.50]	Special Topics

1.00 additional credit in THST at the 2000 level or above

1.00 additional credit in THST at the 3000 level or above

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