Cleveland State University

College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences

Associate of Arts emphasis in Theatre Arts to Bachelor of Arts Theatre Arts Acting Pathway (Effective Fall 2018)

SUGGESTED SEQUENCE AT TRI-C#			
First Year			
Fall Semester	Credits	Spring Semester	Credits
ENG 1010/101H College Composition I	3	ENG 1020/102H College Composition II	3
OT36 Math & Data Analysis Requirement	3	THEA 1540 Rehearsal & Performance	2
THEA 1010 Theatre Appreciation	3	THEA 1500 Acting I	3
THEA 1430 Intro to Scenery & Stagecrafts	3	OT36 Natural Science Elective	3
Foreign Language if needed (or Communication	2 4		2 4
requirement course)*	3 or 4	Foreign Language if needed *	3 or 4
Semester Total	15 or 16	Semester Total	14 or 15
Second Year			
Fall Semester	Credits	Spring Semester	Credits
OT36 Arts & Humanities (2000 Level, Not THEA)**	3	COMM 1010/101H Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
OT36 Social & Behavioral Science Elective	3	THEA 2010 Script Analysis	3
THEA 2210 History of Theatre & Drama I	3	THEA 2220 Hist of Theatre & Drama II	3
OT36 Natural Science Elective w/ a Lab	4	OT36 Social & Behavioral Science Elective (2000 Level)	3
OT36 Social & Behavioral Science Elective	3	General Elective	3
Semester Total	16	Semester Total	15
		Total minimum credits earned at Tri-C	60-62
		Associate of Arts Awarded	
SUGGESTED SEQUENCE AT CSU			
Third Year			
Fall Semester	Credits	Spring Semester	Credits
THE 327 Voice and Speech for Actor	3	THE 213 History of the Theatre III	3
THE Elective (WAC)	3	THE 325 Intermediate Acting	3
DAN Studio Elective 1XX	1	General Elective 300/400 Level	3
General Elective 300/400 Level	3	DAN Studio Elective 2XX	1
General Elective 300/400 Level	3	THE 328 Movement for the Actor	3
THE 101 Scene Studio Practicum***	2	General Elective	2
Semester Total	15	Semester Total	15
Fourth Year			
Fall Semester	Credits	Spring Semester	Credits
THE 102 or THE 103 Practicum	2	THE 381 Theatre Organization & Mgmt	3
THE 331 Principles of Directing	3	THE 425 Advanced Acting	3
General Elective 300/400 Level(WAC or SPAC)	3	THE 491 Senior Project	3
General Elective 300/400 Level	3	THE 424 Audition Skills	3
General Elective	3	General Elective 300/400 Level	3
DAN Studio Elective 2XX	1		
Semester Total	15	Semester Total	15

*Communication requirement: please note that one more credit hour must be taken to reach the 60 hour credit minimum if Foreign Language is not selected. **Arts and Humanities: Department strongly suggests ENG 2710 Shakespeare.

***A minimum of 2 credits must be taken in both THE 101 and THE 102, while the remaining 2 credits to be selected from THE 101, 102, or 103 at the discretion of the student. This Transfer Pathway completes the Associate of Arts degree, which must total at least 60 semester credits and includes 36 credits of the Ohio Transfer 36 courses (OT36, formally OTM), which are approved Tri-C general education requirements. OT36 details can be found at https://www.ohiohighered.org/Ohio-Transfer-36 Additional Information:

Assumptions: college-level readiness in MATH and ENG; no Foreign Language Deficiency (FLD). NOTE-this is different from the Foreign Language Requirement (FLR) which is a requirement in the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences at CSU.

CSU requires a minimum of 120 total credit hours for graduation. At least 30 credits must be completed in-residence at CSU. At least 24 of the in-residence credits must be completed at the upper division (300/400) level. An overall total of 42 upper division (300/400) level credits are required. Students deficient in total credits or in-residence must take additional elective credits to meet the minimum requirements. Depending upon other elective choices made, students may not need as many general electives as indicated above, or may need additional electives.

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This map represents one example of how to complete the AA and BA degrees. Students should work closely with counselors/advisors at both institutions to discuss options.

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