Academic Planning Guide - Theatre and Performance Studies

North Park University

effective with 2014-2015 Catalog

Major Requirements

***Required Semester Hours for B.A.* : 36 semester hours**

***Required Core Courses* : 36 semester hours**

- ☐ COMM 1610: Theatre Production (2) - *meets Art and Aesthetics requirement*
- ☐ COMM 2140: Introduction to Theatre (4) Grade of "C" or better is required for admission to major
- ☐ COMM 2240: Intro to Performance Studies (4) - *meets Arts and Aesthetics requirement*
- ☐ COMM 2330: Acting I (4)
- ☐ COMM 2340: Directing I (4)
- ☐ COMM 3320: Dramatic Writing I (4) - *meets Writing Intensive designation*
- ☐ COMM 3410: World Theatre and Drama I (4) - *meets Writing Research designation*
- ☐ COMM 3430: World Theatre and Drama II (4) - *meets Writing Research designation*
- ☐ COMM 3910: Topics: Performance & Social Change (4) - *meets Writing Research designation*
- ☐ COMM 4010: Professional Seminar (0), repeated two times, preferably during the fourth year

one from the following:

- ☐ COMM 2320: Theatre Design (2)
- ☐ COMM 3230: Acting II: Special Topics (2)
- ☐ COMM 3240: Storefront Theatre Practicum: Special Topics (2)

· The Communication Arts Department urges students in this major to consider an internship (COMM 4970)

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Core Curriculum

Starting with the framework of North Park's identity as a Christian, liberal arts institution, our Core Curriculum is intentionally multi-disciplinary and multi-year. It is set up as a progress through three areas: Foundation Courses, Explorations Courses, and Capstone Courses.

http://www.northpark.edu/Academics/Undergraduate-Studies/Core-Curriculum

Foundations

Preparing for more in-depth work in both the Core Curriculum and your major

	Cornerstone Seminar (4sh)

	Biblical Studies (4sh)

	Health and Well-Being (2sh)

	Analytical & Quantitative Reasoning (4sh)

	Global Histories (4sh)

	Modern Languages (8sh)

Explorations

Knowledge in specific disciplines, with strong emphasis on how you can use them in the context of your own life

	Art and Aesthetics (2sh)
	met by COMM 2140 or 2240

	Christian Life & Thought (4sh)

	Life Science (2sh/lab)

	Physical Science (2sh/lab)

	Culture and Society (4sh)

	Ethical Reasoning (2sh)

Intermediate Level Writing

Two courses in the context of your major that specifically address writing clearly and doing effective research

	Writing Intensive Course (4sh)
	met by COMM 3320

	Research Writing Course (4sh)
	met by COMM 3410, 3420 or 3910

Keystone

Interdisciplinary integration of skills and knowledge applied to contemporary social issues

	Keystone Seminar (4sh)

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