

## Associate of Arts to Bachelor of Arts in Theatre and Performance Studies

The following is presented as an articulation agreement between City Colleges of Chicago (CCC) and Governors State University (GSU) for the Theatre and Performance Studies degree program based on the current catalogs of both schools. The student would receive an Associate in Arts (AA) degree from one of the CCC and a Bachelors of Arts (BA) degree in Theatre and Performance Studies from GSU.

### I. TRANSFERABLE GENERAL EDUCATION CORE CURRICULUM: (37-38 Hours)

#### Communications (9 hours)

- ENG 101 - Composition (3)
- ENG 102 - Composition (3)
- SPEECH 101 - Fundamentals of Speech Communications (3)

#### Humanities and Fine Arts (9 hours)

- LIT 165 - Literature and Film (3) (recommended)
- Fine Arts Course (3)\*
- Humanities or Fine Arts Course (3)\*

#### Mathematics (3 hours)

- IAI Mathematics Course\*

#### Physical and Life Sciences (7-8 hours)

- Select one life science course and one physical science course. One course must have a lab.
- Life Science Course (3-4)\*
  - Physical Science Course (3-4)\*

#### Social and Behavioral Sciences (9 hours)

- PSYCH 201 - General Psychology (3) (recommended)
- SOCIO 201 - Introduction to the Study of Society (3) (recommended)
- Social and Behavioral Science Course (3)\*

### II. ADDITIONAL COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS (0)\*

- Human Diversity Requirement (0) (This requirement can be fulfilled within the humanities or social behavioral sciences category by selecting a course with an IAI code ending in *N* or *D*.)

### III. ELECTIVES (22-23 Hours)

Students should select electives or consider lower division courses towards a minor.

- THRART 130 - Stagecraft (3) (Meets TAPS 2400)
- THRART 131 - Introduction to Theater (3) (Meets TAPS 1100)
- THRART 133 - Acting I (3) (Meets TAPS 2210)
- Free Electives (13-14)

### REQUIRED A.A. DEGREE PROGRAM TOTAL: 60 Hours

\* Refer to the CCC AA/AS guidelines for a list of course choices in Section I-III.

Note: Students can complete up to 80 hours at CCC by taking additional electives reducing the GSU Electives.

## IV. TO BE COMPLETED AT GSU (60 Hours)

### Core Courses (19 Hours)

- TAPS 2100 - The Storytelling Tradition (3)
- TAPS 3099 - Critical Perspectives in Theatre and Performance Studies (3)
- TAPS 3800 - Practicum (1) (must be taken four times for a total of 4 hours)
- TAPS 4900 - Capstone in Theatre and Performance Studies (3)

Select one of the following:

- TAPS 3250 - Performing Culture and Identity (3)
- TAPS 4250 - Performance and Social Change (3)

Select one of the following:

- TAPS 3600 - Classical History of Theatre (3)
- TAPS 3650 - Contemporary History of Theatre (3)

### Specializations (12 hours)

Select one of the following three specializations; see GSU catalog or advisor for course options. At least one course from the specialization must be completed at the 4000 level or higher.

***Theory and Practice***  
***Technical Production***  
***History and Criticism***

### Advanced Selectives (9 hours)

Select three courses at or above the 3000 level in TAPS.

### Electives (20 Hours)

Students are encouraged to select courses towards a minor that complements their degree and career objectives.

## Minimum Required for BA in Theatre and Performance Studies: 120 Hours

### For Additional Information:

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