

GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE OF VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS
B.F.A. DEGREE IN THEATER (A407 Performing Arts Building, 703-993-1120)
<http://www.gmu.edu/departments/theatre/>
2015-2016 CATALOG

MASON CORE REQUIREMENTS (40)	<u>Department(s) & Course #(s)</u>	<u>Completed/ Grade(s)</u>	<u>Needed</u>
a. Written Communication: ENGH 101 (100), ENGH 302 (C or better) (3,3)		_____	_____
b. Oral Communication: COMM 100 or 101 (circle choice) (3)		_____	_____
c. Quantitative Reasoning (3)		_____	_____
d. Literature (3)	_____	_____	_____
e. Arts (3)	_____	_____	_____
f. Western Civilization (3)	_____	_____	_____
g. Social & Behavioral Science (3)	_____	_____	_____
h. Natural Science (must include one lab science) (4,3)	_____	_____	_____
i. Global Understanding (3)	_____	_____	_____
j. Information Technology (3)	_____	_____	_____
k. Synthesis (3) (may be satisfied by THR 440 or THR 496)	_____	_____	_____

Go to: <http://masoncore.gmu.edu/> to link to information on Mason Core requirements.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (73 hours required)

Theater Core (49)

a. THR 150, THR 151 (3,3)	a. _____	_____
b. THR 196, THR 197 (1,1)	b. _____	_____
c. THR 198, THR 199, THR 201 (1,1,3)	c. _____	_____
d. THR 210, THR 230 (3,3)	d. _____	_____
e. THR 300; THR 303 or THR 304 or THR 305 (circle choice) (3,3)	e. _____	_____
f. THR 329, THR 339 (3,3)	f. _____	_____
g. THR 350 (writing intensive course) (3)	g. _____	_____
h. THR 380 or THR 382, or THR 482 (circle choice) (3)	h. _____	_____
i. THR 411 or THR 412 (circle choice) (3)	i. _____	_____
j. THR 351, THR 352, THR 355, THR 359, THR 395, or THR 424 (circle choice) (3)	j. _____	_____
k. Six credits chosen from THR 300-499 (list course #) (6) THR _____ THR _____	k. _____	_____

Theater BFA Concentrations (24)

- a. **Performance for Stage and Screen (Acting and Directing). Required:** THR 301, 310, 365, 410. **Nine credits from the following:** THR 320, 321, 340, 420. **Three credits from the following:** THR 304, 305, 405, 423, 427
- b. **Design for Stage and Screen. Required:** THR 497 (3). **Twelve credits from the following:** THR 235, 313, 314, 315, 330, 331, 331, 332, 343. **Nine Credits from the following:** THR 316, 333, 334, 335, 337, 434, 343.
- c. **Writing and Dramaturgy. Required:** THR 380. **Six credits from the following:** THR 381, 382, 480, 482, 484. **Three credits from the following:** THR 352, 355, 395. **Three credits from the following:** THR 310, THR 340, 365, 421. **Six credits from the following:** CHIN 320, ENGH 372, FAVS 225, FREN 470, JAPA 320, RUSS 470, other foreign film options with advisor approval. **Three credits from the following:** ENGH 370, FAVS 352, FAVS 399, FAVS 483, THR 410, THR 411, THR 412, other THR courses as approved by advisor.

THR 191 (0 credits) must be taken four times during the course of study

Minimum GPA of 2.5 required

GENERAL ELECTIVES (7) (list courses)

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MINIMUM HOURS TO GRADUATE: 120

UPPER DIVISION HOURS (minimum 45):

COURSE LISTS (THEATRE BFA)

Mason Core Requirements

Written Communication: ENGH 101 (or 100) and ENGH 302

Oral Communication: COMM 100 or COMM 101

Quantitative Reasoning: MATH 106, 108, 110, 111, 113, 115, 125, STAT 250. The Math Placement Test is required to take MATH 108, 110, 113, 115, and 125. See this web site for more information: http://math.gmu.edu/placement_test.php

Literature: ARAB 325; CHIN 310, 311, 325, 328; CLAS 250, 260, 340, 350, 360, 380; ENGH 201, 202, 203, 204; FREN 325, 329; FRLN 330; GERM 325; ITAL 320, 325; JAPA 340; PHIL 253; RELI 235; RUSS 325, 326, 327; SPAN 325

Arts: ARTH 101, 102, 103, 200, 201, 203, 204, 321, 322, 324, 333, 334, 335, 340, 341, 342, 344, 345, 360, 362, 370, 372, 373, 376; AVT 103, 104, 215, 222, 232, 243, 252, 253, 262, 272; DANC 101, 119, 125, 131, 145, 161, 225, 231, 245, 301, 325, 331, 345, 425, 445, 390, 391; ENGH 370, 372, 396; FAVS 225; GAME 101; MUSI 100, 101, 102, 107, 280, 301, 302, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 387, 389, 485; PHIL 156; THR 101

Western Civilization: HIST 100 or 125; transfer students may substitute: the following courses for HIST 100: HIST 101, 102, 301, 302, 304, 305, 306, 308, 309, 312, 314, 322, 388, 435, 436, 480; and the following courses for HIST 125: HIST 202, 387.

Social and Behavioral Sciences: AFAM 200; ANTH 114, 120, 135, 363, 372, 396; BUS 100; CONF 101; CONS 410; CRIM 100; ECON 100, 103, 104, 105, 367; EDUC 372; GGS 103; GOVT 101, 103, 367; HEAL 230; HIST 121, 122; LING 306; PSYC 100, 211, 231; SOCI 101, 352, 355; TOUR 311; WMST 200

Natural Sciences: ASTR 111/112, 113/114, 115; BIOL 103, 104; BIOL 213; CDS 101/102; CHEM 103,104,155,156; CHEM 211, 212, 251; CLIM 102, 111/112; EVPP 110,111; GEOL 101,102; GGS 121; PHYS 103,104; PHYS 111/112; PHYS 243/244, 245/246; PHYS 160/161, 260/261; 262/263

Non-lab: ANTH 135; ASTR 103, 302; CHEM 101, 102, 201, 202; CLIM 101; EVPP 201; GEOL 134; GGS 102; NUTR 295; PHYS 106; PROV 301

Global Understanding: ANTH 302, 306, 307, 308, 309, 311, 312, 313, 316, 331, 332; ARTH 319, 320, 380, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386; BUS 200; CEIE 100; COMM 305, 456; CRIM 405; DANC 118, 318, 418; ECON 360, 361, 362, 380, 390; ENGH 362, 366; FAVS 300; FRLN 331; GCH 205; GGS 101; GLOA 101; GOVT 132, 133; HIST 251, 252, 261, 262, 271, 272, 281, 282, 328, 329, 356, 357, 358, 360, 364, 365, 387, 460, 462; JAPA 310; MUSI 103, 431; PHIL 243; PSYC 379; RELI 100, 211, 212, 313, 315, 320, 322, 341, 374; RUSS 354; SOCI 120, 320, 332; SPAN 322, 466; SYST 202; THR 359, TOUR 210; WMST 100

Information Technology: **One of these courses**: ANTH 395, CDS 130, CS 100, GOVT 300, HIST 390, IT 104, MIS 303, MUSI 259 **or Course(s) from a) and one course from b)**: **a)** AVT 180; CS 112; PHYS 251; PSYC 300, 301, & 372 (all three must be taken and in sequence); SOCI 410 **b)** CDS 151, CEIE 409, CS 105, ENGR 107, IT 304, PHIL 112

Synthesis: ANTH 400; ARTH 394; AVT 385, 497, 498; BENG 492, 493; BINF 354; BIOL 301; BIS 490; BUS 498; CEIE 490; COMM 326, 362, 454; CONF 490; CONS 490, 491; CRIM 495; CS 306; DANC 490; ECE 492, 493; ECON 309; EDCI 490; EVPP 335, 480; FAVS 352; FRLN 385; GAME 490; GCH 465; GEOL 420; GGS 303, 304; GOVT 490, 491; HAP 465; HDF5 400; HIST 300, 499; IT 492; LAS 499; MATH 400; MUSI 490; NCLC 308; NURS 465; PHIL 309, 343, 377, 378, 379; PHYS 346; PROV 342; PSYC 405, 406, 427; RELI 490; RUSS 353; SOCI 377, 483; SOCW 375; SPAN 388; SYST 495; **THR 440, 496**