Bachelor of Computer Science and Arts, Humanities and Arts, & Science and Arts

College of Fine Arts (CFA) Concentration in Drama 108 units (minimum)

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Students will be assigned a faculty option coordinator in Drama.

Audition/interview required for Directing or Dramaturgy concentration option.
Portfolio review/interview required for Design or Production Technology and Management concentration option.

Options Available in the following areas:
1) Design, 2) Directing, 3) Dramaturgy, 4) Production Technology and Management (PTM) (There is no BXA Acting or Music Theater option.)

Required Courses for All Concentration Options 20 units
54-175 & 176 Conservatory Hour (1 unit each) 2
54-177 Foundations of Drama I 6
54-281 Foundations of Drama II (prerequisite: 54-177) 6
54-381 Special Topics in Drama:
History, Literature and Criticism 6

Work with Drama Faculty Option Coordinator to Approve Concentration Option (88 units minimum):

Design Required Courses 26 units
54-151 & 152 Stagecraft (13 + 13 units) 26
A minimum of 62 additional Design units must be approved by the Design faculty option coordinator. A list of these selected courses must be filed in the BXA office.

PTM Required Courses 26 units
54-151 & 152 Stagecraft (13 + 13 units) 26
A minimum of 62 additional PTM units must be approved by the PTM faculty option coordinator. A list of these selected courses must be filed in the BXA office.

Directing Required Courses 52 units
54-121 & 122 Directing I: Sources 18
54-221 & 222 Directing II: Fundamentals 18
54-159 Production Practicum (two times) 12
54-517 Director’s Colloquium (four times) 4
A minimum of 36 additional Directing units must be approved by the Directing faculty option coordinator. A list of these selected courses must be filed in the BXA office.

Dramaturgy Required Courses 53 units minimum
54-109 Dramaturgy 1: Approaches to Text 9
54-184 Dramaturgy 2: Introduction to Production Dramaturgy 9
54-121 Directing I: Sources 9
54-159 Production Practicum (two times) 12
54-200 Dramaturgy Forum (minimum of two; every semester it is offered while enrolled; Fall) 2
54-xxx Dramaturgy 3, 4, 5 or 6 (minimum of two; all four if enrolled as BXA for six semesters or more) 18
A minimum of 29 additional Dramaturgy units must be approved by the Dramaturgy faculty option coordinator. A list of these selected courses must be filed in the BXA office.