

2022-2023 Musical Theatre Minor

A minor is a grouping of courses (generally around 21 credit hours) designed to allow the student to emphasize a specific area of study. These courses may fall within the credit hour requirements of the student's degree program.

The Musical Theatre minor may be pursued **only by students who have declared a major in music, theatre, or dance**. Students in those majors will follow the track within the minor which is designated for their major (see below).

The minor may not be completed without acceptance through the audition/interview process. The audition/interview will include a short monologue, a song, an example of movement, and a conversation with faculty. Auditions/interviews will be scheduled in February each year, with criteria for acceptance clearly defined. Students will be allowed a maximum of two attempts if not successful the first time. The audition/interview panel will consist of one faculty member from each area, theatre, dance, and music.

Courses for Music Major Track

20-22 credits

Dance Courses (7 cr):

DANC 111 Beginning Modern Dance (2 cr)
or
DANC 112 Beginning Jazz Techniques (2 cr)
DANC 115 Musical Theatre Dance (2 cr)
DANC 211 Dance Improvisation (3 cr)

Drama Courses (8 cr):

DRAM/DANC 207 Technical Theatre Production I (taken twice, 1+1 cr)	
DRAM 235 Introduction to Acting (3 cr)	
DRAM 336 Scene Study & Realism (3 cr)	

Music Courses (5 – 7 cr)

MUAP 389 Musical Theatre Workshop (taken twice, 1+1 cr)

MUCE 418 Directing Musical Theatre (3 cr)

If the student's primary instrument in <u>not</u> voice, the student must also take:

MUCS 320 Musical Theatre Minor Voice Studio (taken twice, 1+1 cr)

Recommended course: MUCH 441 The American Musical

Courses for Theatre Major Track

22 credits

Dance Courses (7 cr):

DANC 111 Beginning Modern Dance (2 cr)
or
DANC 112 Beginning Jazz Techniques (2 cr)
DANC 115 Musical Theatre Dance (2 cr)
DANC 211 Dance Improvisation (3 cr)

Music Courses (13 cr)

ſ	MULT 101 Music Theory for Non-Music Majors (3 cr)
	or
	MULT 102 Accelerated Music Theory for Non-Music Majors (3 cr)
	MULH 204 Introduction to Musical Theatre (3 cr)
	MUCS 320 Musical Theatre Minor Voice Studio (taken twice, 1+1 cr)
	MUAP 3XX Choral Ensemble (taken twice, 1+1 cr, taken in the same semesters as
	Musical Theatre Minor Voice Studio)
	MUCE 418 Directing Musical Theatre (3 cr)

Drama Courses (2 cr):

DRAM 389 Musical Theatre Workshop (taken twice, 1+1 cr)

Courses for Dance Major Track

20 credits

Music Courses (13 cr)

MULT 101 Music Theory for Non-Music Majors (3 cr)
or
MULT 102 Accelerated Music Theory for Non-Music Majors (3 cr)
MULH 204 Introduction to Musical Theatre (3 cr)
MUCS 320 Musical Theatre Minor Voice Studio (taken twice, 1+1 cr)
MUAP 3XX Choral Ensemble (taken twice, 1+1 cr, taken in the same semesters as
Musical Theatre Minor Voice Studio)
MUCE 418 Directing Musical Theatre (3 cr)

Drama Courses (3 cr):

DRAM 336 Scene Study & Realism (3 cr)

Dance Courses (4 cr):

DANC 115 Musical Theatre Dance (2 cr)
DANC 389 Musical Theatre Workshop (taken twice, 1+1 cr)