Columbia

FOUR YEAR DEGREE PLAN 2019-2020 ACADEMIC YEAR

Degree: Bachelor of Fine Arts		Credits required for degree:	128
Major: Acting		Credits required in major:	72
1st Semester Courses	Credit Hours	2nd Semester Courses	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
THEA 111 Theatre Foundation I: Theatre Making	4	THEA 112 Theatre Foundation II: Performance	4
THEA 126 Introduction to Auditioning	1	THEA 281 Basic Viewpoints Workshop	1
THEA 106 Theatre Survey I: Global Drama	2	THEA 107 Theatre Survey II: American Drama	2
ENGL 111 Writing and Rhetoric I (Core/LAS)	3	ENGL 112 Writing and Rhetoric II (Core/LAS)	3
CCCX 1** Columbia Experience (FSE/Core)	3	Columbia Core / LAS Requirement (Math)	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	College-Wide Elective	3
3rd Semester Courses	Credit Hours	4th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
THEA 113 Feldenkrais OR THEA 230 Stage Combat	3	THEA 202 Traditions of World Theatre	3
THEA 205 Text Analysis	3	THEA 250 Character & Ensemble	4
THEA 207 Scenes: Performance & Analysis	3	THEA 204 Movement for the Actor	3
THEA 203 Voice for the Actor	3	Columbia Core / Columbia Experience	3
THEA 2** Rehearsal & Performance	1	Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3
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5th Semester Courses	Credit Hours	6th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
THEA 285 Creating a Performance	3	LITR 260 Dramatic Literature	3
THEA 301 Acting & Performing: Heightened Languages	3	THEA 302 Advanced Acting: Physical Approaches	3
THEA 322 Voice and Text	3	THEA 3** Acting Styles Elective	3
THEA 251 Accents and Dialects	3	MUSC 107 Fundamentals of Musical Theatre Singing	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	Columbia Core / Columbia Experience	3
College-Wide Elective	1	College-Wide Elective	1
7th Semester Courses	Credit Hours	8th Semester Courses	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	16
THEA 3** Acting Styles Elective	3	THEA 390 Theatre Career	1
THEA 401 Advanced Acting Workshop I	3	THEA 402 Advanced Acting Workshop II	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	THEA 420 Proessional Survival and How to Audition	3
Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3	Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3
College-Wide Elective	3	Columbia Core / LAS Requirement	3
College-Wide Elective	1	College-Wide Elective	3

Notes:

This degree plan is a suggested sequence only. Students should work with their Academic Advisors and Departments to develop unique individual plans.

The 42 credits required in the Columbia Core include the Essential Liberal Arts and Sciences (33 LAS Credits) and the Columbia Experience (9 credits).

Students are advised to complete their Writing and Rhetoric and Mathematics Requirements by the time they earn 45 credits (or within the first 3 semesters).

Major Electives include courses required to finish a major, and students will choose from a list of major electives in the course catalog.

College-Wide Electives include all courses and credits not specifically applied towards the Columbia Core or Major Requirements/Electives.

Students are encouraged to consider declaring a Minor to complete their required College-Wide Elective credits.

Full-time status at Columbia College Chicago is a minimum of 12 attempted credits per term, but the cost of tuition is the same for 12-16 attempted credits.

Students are encouraged to attempt 15-16 credits each term for financial reasons and also to complete their degree (120-128 credits) in a timely fashion.

All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Requirement (6 credits) and a minimum of 9 credits at the 200 or higher level in the Columbia Core.