UMKC COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
AA-BA IN THEATRE

MCC-ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE
American Institutions (6 credits)—(two courses: one must be HIST)
HIST 120 American History I
HIST 121 American History II
POLS 135 Introduction to Political Science
POLS 136 Introduction to American National Politics

Communications (9 credits)—choose all of the following:
ENGL 101 Composition and Reading I
ENGL 102 Composition and Reading II
SPDR 100 Fundamentals of Speech

Humanities (9 credits)—choose three courses (including one Lit or Phil), each from a different area:
Art History or ART 108
Foreign Language 101 or higher; or SIGN 101 or 102*
ENGL 214 or 216 or 254 or 255 or 220 or 221 or 222 or 223
HUMN
MUSI 108, 116, or 160
PHIL
SPDR 103, 104, 110, 112, 114, 128, or 133; or MSCM 112
HIST/HUMN 133 or 134

Mathematics (3 credits)—choose one course:
MATH 119 College Mathematics
MATH 120 College Algebra

Natural Science (9-10 credits)—choose one course from each area:
Any BIOL laboratory course
CHEM, GEOG, GEOL (excluding GEOL 225) or PHYS
Must include laboratory

Social Science (6 credits)—choose two courses, each from a different area:
Any course from ANTH, ECON, GEOG (excluding 104, 110, and GIS courses) HIST, POLS, PSYC, SOCI, SOSC

Computer (3 credits)—choose one course:
CSIS 110 or 115

Electives (14-17 credits)—choose from the following:
Suggested courses to also fulfill BA requirements at UMKC:
Foreign Language 102 and 203*
SPDR 121 Elements of Play Production
Other elective courses:
SPDR 112 Oral Interpretation of Literature SPDR 114 Theater and the Western World
SPDR 120 Acting I SPDR 122 Theater Practicum
SPDR 123 Theater Practicum SPDR 124 Theater Practicum
SPDR 125 Theater Practicum SPDR 126 Summer Theater Workshop

TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED: 62 CREDITS

The student must complete a Writing Intensive course AND either a Human Diversity course or Learning Community as part of the degree requirements.

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*Foreign Language and Culture Requirement:
A student who has completed 2 years of the same foreign language while in high school is exempt from Foreign Language 110 (MCC 101). A student who has completed 4 years of the same foreign language while in high school is exempt from Foreign Language 110 (MCC 101) and Foreign language 120 (MCC 102). The foreign language courses may be taken at MCC to fulfill AA requirements or taken at UMKC to fulfill BA requirements.

General Requirements (11 credits)—choose all of the following:
Foreign Language 120 and 211* equivalent to MCC For Lg 102 and 103*
Cluster Course (300/400 level)

UMKC BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE – THEATRE

To fulfill the Major Requirements for the BA in Theater, students must successfully complete 23 credit hours of Required Core Courses (THEAT 113, 180, 210, 350, 351WI, 378, 380, 415, and either 400 or 497); 6 credit hours in music and art (3 credit hours of each); and 20 credit hours of courses within a certain track (General Theater, Performance, or Design/Tech). Students must achieve a grade of C or above in required courses for the major, and a 2.0 overall GPA in all theater courses counted towards the major. For those students that have completed the Associate in Arts degree, the remaining general education course requirements are: three semesters of the same foreign language (if not already taken), passage of the Written English Proficiency Test, a 300/400 level Writing Intensive course (THEAT 351WI), and a 300/400 interdisciplinary “cluster course.” A Writing Intensive course from MCC will not fulfill the upper-level Writing Intensive requirement at UMKC. The BA degree in THEAT requires 120 minimum credit hours, including 36 hours at the 300/400 level.

Required Core Courses in THEAT (23 credits)—choose all of the following:
THEAT 113 Introduction To Technical Production
THEAT 180 Theatre Production I
THEAT 210 Introduction To Design For The Theater
THEAT 350 Theatre History I
THEAT 351WI Theatre History II
THEAT 378 Stage Management I
THEAT 380 Theatre Production
THEAT 415 Beginning Directing
THEAT 400 Special Problems In Theatre
or
THEAT 497 Theatre Outreach / Internship

Non-Departmental Courses in Music and Art (6 credits)-
Any music course
Any Art course

Track Requirements - 20 hours
Undergraduates can choose from the following tracks:

- General Theatre
- Performance
- Design/Technology

Contact the Theatre Department for track requirements.

MINIMUM CREDITS REQUIRED: 120 CREDITS