

DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE

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The mission of the Department of Theatre is to educate and train students as theatre professionals and/or academicians in the field of performance, design/technology or theatre pedagogy.

In fulfilling its mission, the Department of Theatre provides students with the professional and cultural foundations essential for achieving the highest standards of the art. The department offers three degrees – a Bachelor of Arts, a Bachelor of Fine Arts and a Master of Fine Arts – to which applicants are admitted based on demonstration of ability, genuine interest determined during an interview, and audition and/or portfolio presentation.

In addition to introductory theatre and acting courses for non-majors, the department also serves students throughout the university with offerings in speech communication.

Students who complete the requirements for either of these concentrations will receive a Master of Fine Arts in Theatre.

- Theatre, Master of Fine Arts (M.F.A.) with a concentration in costume design (<http://bulletin.vcu.edu/graduate/school-arts/theatre/theatre-mfa-concentration-costume-design/>) (admissions suspended)
- Theatre, Master of Fine Arts (M.F.A.) with a concentration in pedagogy/performance (<http://bulletin.vcu.edu/graduate/school-arts/theatre/theatre-mfa-concentration-pedagogyperformance/>)