

THEATER ARTS DEPARTMENT

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The Theater Arts Department would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to the University of California, Santa Cruz. Because you have indicated an interest in Theater Arts, the following information may be useful as you prepare to enroll. There is an undergraduate advisor available to you in the Theater Arts office, and she can help you define academic goals, plan courses to assure timely graduation, assist with bureaucratic paperwork and petitions, and help guide you to appropriate faculty.

DECLARING THE MAJOR

There are approx. fifteen courses required to complete the major, comprised of a background in theory and practice of theater arts, as well as a focus on drama, dance or design in the upper-division classes. You may declare the Theater Arts major after you have completed four specific lower division courses. These pre-requisites should be completed by your sophomore year (it may be begun during your first year on campus) and your major declared no later than the end of your sophomore year. **Transfer students may declare the major during their first quarter on campus with the understanding that these pre-requisites will be completed as soon as possible.**

DECLARING THE MINOR

You may declare the minor at any time. There are seven courses required to complete the minor, comprised of a background in theory and practice of theater arts, as well as a focus on drama, dance or design. Please stop by the office to pick up a list of the requirements, or call the office for information and advising.

First year and Transfer students: please contact the student advisor, at 831 / 459-2974, or e-mail theater@ucsc.edu for advise on enrolling in courses. We will be glad to assist you in making a study to show you how you may complete the Theater Major in your time here at UCSC.

