What can I do with a major in Theatre Studies?

Overview

The ideal theatre artist is one that combines virtuosity of a specific field with a larger awareness of art, history, politics, philosophy, religion and science. The event of theatre is a combination of varied fields of study. St. Norbert College is in the position to offer students interested in studying theatre, but not to the exclusion of all other areas, an opportunity to develop their talent and technique, while simultaneously learning about becoming an active member of our society.

Career Titles

- Acting Coach
- Actor/Actress
- Admissions Director
- Advertising/Marketing
- Agent
- Amusement Park Entertainer
- Animal-Talent Coordinator
- Announcer
- Art Director
- Booking Manager
- Broadcast Journalist
- Business Manager
- Buyer
- Casting Director
- Communication Technology
- Community Affairs Officer
- Copy Writer
- Costume Designer
- Costumer
- Critic
- Customer Service Manager
- Development/Fund Raiser
- Director
- Draftsman
- Drama Coach
- Equipment Operator
- Exhibit/Display Designer
- Facilities Manager
- Faux Painter
- Foreign Correspondent
- Health Educator
- Human Resource Specialist
- Impersonator
- Instructor, Theater Arts
- Labor Relations Specialist
- Lighting Designer
- Lighting Operator
- Lobbyist
- Magician
- Make-up Artist
- Media Planner
- Media Salesperson
- Mediator
- Mime
- Model
- Movie Theater Manager
- Narrator
- Negotiator/Mediator
- Paralegal
- Playwright
- Producer
- Program Assistant
- Prop Manager
- Public Affairs Officer
- Public Relations Specialist
- Puppeteer
- Radio/TV Announcer
- Recruiter
- Rigger
- Sales Representative
- Scene Painter
- Script Coach
- Script Manager
- Set Designer
- Sound Designer
- Special Events Coordinator
- Stage Manager
- Stand-In
- Student Affairs Specialist
- Stunt Coordinator
- Stunt-person
- Talent Manager
- Talent Scout
- Teacher
- Ticket Sales Coordinator
- Tour Guide
- Tourism Director
- Training & Development Director
- Video Store Manager
- Writer/Editor

Employers

- Advertising Agencies
- Amusement Parks
- Apparel Manufacturers
- Art Museums
- Auction Galleries
- Ballet Companies
- Colleges/Universities
- Consumer Magazines
- Corporate Communications
- High Schools
- Lighting Companies
- Movie Studios
- News Stations
- Newspapers/Magazines
- Nonprofit Organizations
- Opera Companies
- Orchestras
- Party Companies
- Radio/TV/Film
- Repertory Companies
- Resorts
- Retail Concerns
- Science Centers
- Sports Industry
- Symphonies
- Talent Agencies
- Telecommunications
Cosmetic Firms • Performing Arts Groups • Television Studios
Cruise Lines • Photography Studios • Theater Studios
Educational Institutions • Promotional Companies • Theatres
Galleries • Public Relations Firms • Trade Associations
Government Agencies • Publishing Firms • Training Centers for Arts

Skills
Adaptability • Experimenting with ideas • Integrating others’ ideas
Alternate views of culture and society • Explaining concepts • Interpersonal skills
Appreciation of aesthetics • Flexibility and adaptability • Interpretive and perceptive
Attention to detail • Good work ethic • Presentation, public speaking skills
Awareness of the power and creation of imagery and symbols in media • Greater ability to communicate in and to large groups of people • Quick-thinking
Basic reading, writing and editing skills • Imagination and creativity • Self-expressive
Composing and translating • Increased ability for analysis and criticism • Simplifying ideas
Continually conceiving and developing ideas • Increased awareness of personal image and communication style • Strong communication skills
Critical reading, writing and editing • Increased knowledge and appreciation of the Fine and Performing Arts • Work with self-direction
Expansion of creativity and intuition • Innovative

Salary
NACE (National Association of Colleges and Employers) Spring 2014 Salary Survey Average Offers:
Visual and Performing Arts Bachelor’s Degree: $32,000

The job titles and employers listed below are a sample of the results from the annual St. Norbert College Career Services graduate follow-up survey for the Classes of 2003-2013.

Graduate Information: Job Titles
No Data Available

Graduate Information: Employers
No Data Available

For the most current information about Majoring in Theatre Studies from Career Services, including links regarding Alumni Profiles, Career Information, Professional Associations, and Jobs and Internships, please visit:

http://www.snc.edu/career/students/majors/theatrestudies.htm