

Faculty Recommended Career Paths for Theatre

Theatre

Theatre is not about emoting and portraying passions. Good theatre is about *Objectives and Tactics*. The stakes must always be high and you want something from someone, or you want someone to feel a particular way. If they do not do what you want or feel how you want them to feel - if you are not succeeding in your objective - you must switch tactics. Learning this powerful tool, mixed with training in speech, movement, physical grounding, confidence, and presence lends an enormous advantage to many careers. In addition, theatre students learn from day one the art of teambuilding, collegiality, and collaboration. To major in theatre will give a student an unparalleled edge in competitive markets. Potential career paths include:

- Politics
- Law
- Medicine
- Ministry
- Education
- Journalism
- Business
- Grant Writing
- Communications
- Psychology
- Tourism/Travel
- Hospitality
- Social Work
- Public Relations
- Real Estate
- Sales
- Copy Editing
- Game Development/YouTube
- Human Resources
- Advertising
- Film and Television Production

Design and Technical Theatre

Majoring in Design and Technical Theatre provides students with practical design and building skills. These students also learn a superb level of collaboration, leadership, and organizational skills. The Design/Tech side also prepares students to enter into apprenticeships in trade fields with hands on experience in the use of tools, hardware, and design. Potential career paths include:

- Web Design
- Architecture
- Event Planning and Design
- Theme Parks
- Fashion
- Makeup
- Sound
- Contractor
- Carpentry
- Electrician/Lighting
- Welding
- Interior Design
- Journeyman Apprenticeships