

Course Name: Acting II

**Course Number:** THR\* E210

Credits: 3

**Catalog description:** A continuation of THR\* 110 intensifying the development of the fundamental tools of the actor. Students will gain knowledge of advanced techniques of script analysis and character development.

**Prerequisite, Corequisite, or Parallel:** THR\* 110 or permission of the instructor.

## **General Education Competencies Satisfied:**

**HCC General Education Requirement Designated Competency Attribute Code(s):** 

**△** AESX Appreciation of the Aesthetic Dimensions of Humankind

Additional CSCU General Education Requirements for CSCU Transfer Degree Programs:

None

**Embedded Competency(ies):** 

None

**Discipline-Specific Attribute Code(s):** 

**☒ FINA** Fine Arts elective

**Course objectives:** 

## **General Education Goals and Outcomes:**

△ Appreciation of the Aesthetic Dimensions of Humankind: Students will understand the diverse nature, meanings, and functions of creative endeavors through the study and practice of literature, music, the theatrical and visual arts, and related forms of expression.

## **Course Specific Objectives:**

- 1. Cultivate creative approach to theater performance
- 2. Practice and apply techniques of theater performance
- 3. Develop and apply imaginative capabilities toward interpretation of theatrical scripts and the problem solving activities inherent in the theatrical creative process
- 4. Develop and apply group cooperative skills as relates to theater performance
- 5. Develop and apply the use of voice to theater performance
- 6. Develop and apply the use of the body to theater performance
- Practice and apply productive analysis of internal and external acting performances within historical, social, political, cultural, and aesthetic contexts

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- 8. Practice and apply techniques toward the creation of theatrical acting performances that respond to and influence society and culture.
- 9. Articulate the consequences of a decision or a course of action as it relates to the ethical dimensions surrounding the creation, circulation, and interpretation of works of performing art

## **Course Content:**

- 1. Introduce and practice exercises developing vocal and physical ability and dexterity
- 2. Introduce and practice exercises developing imagination, focus, concentration, cooperation and discipline
- 3. Develop skills for improvisation and ensemble capabilities
- 4. Introduce and practice techniques for dramatic and creative characterization
- 5. Introduce and practice techniques for script analysis and interpretation
- 6. Unite and apply attained knowledge to performance level of quality
- 7. Present class work to public audience

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