



## *Performing Arts Minor*

**Performing Arts Minor – 18 credits**

**Minimum GPA required: 2.00**

**Overview:** Students in the Performing Arts minor will choose an **area of concentration** out of **Theatre, Dance, or Music**. They will take courses in that area and at least one additional one to a total of **18 credits** divided in three sections: introductory course, concentration requirements, and elective courses.

<i>Courses</i>	<i>Grade</i>
<b>Introductory Course – 3 credits</b>	
THR 1010 Introduction to Performing Arts	
<b>Concentration Requirement Courses – 3 credits, in a discipline of student's choice:</b>	
DANC 2000 Intro to Dance: Ballet, Modern, and Jazz Dance MUSC 1170 Music of Cultures of the World THR 1500 Introduction to Theatre <sup>2</sup>	
<b>Elective Courses – 11 credits:</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Most of these courses can be repeated several times. Contact instructor for approval.</li> <li>At least 4 of these credits must be covered by designated Group Performance courses, which are marked with an asterisk.</li> <li>All students enrolled in the minor must take electives in at least two of the three disciplines covered by the minor (dance, music, theatre).</li> <li>Courses in the Concentration Requirement, but outside the student's choice of concentration, may be taken as electives.</li> </ul>	
DANC 2650 Spanish Dance: Flamenco* <sup>1</sup> (3 credits) DANC 2670 The New Flamenco Experience* <sup>1</sup> (3 credits) DANC 3680 Advanced Spanish Dance: Flamenco II* (1-2 credits) DANC 2660 Latin Rhythms and Dance* <sup>1</sup> (3 credits) DANC 2680 Advanced Latin Rhythms and Dance* <sup>1</sup> (2 credits) MUSC 2010 Applied Music (Voice) (1-2 credits) MUSC 2020 Applied Music (Piano) (1-2 credits) MUSC 2030 Applied Music (Guitar) (1-2 credits) MUSC 3410 Chamber Music Ensemble (1 credit) MUSC 3420 University Chorale* (1 credit) THR 2510 Acting I <sup>1</sup> (3 credits) THR 3555 Theatre Workshop (1 credit; repeatable up to 8 credits)* THR 3560 Advanced Theatre Workshop <sup>1</sup> (2 credits; repeatable up to 16 credits)*	
<b>Capstone: Final Performance Project** – 1 credit</b>	
DANC 4980, MUSC 4980 or THR 4980 Independent Study	

<sup>1</sup>Fulfills UUC: Creative Expression

<sup>2</sup>Fulfills UUC: AH&C



\*\*The capstone must be related to the student's concentration area and be taken towards the end of the minor. You will present a final solo or group capstone performance lasting between 10 and 20 minutes that displays what has been learned through the minor. This could be a theatre work, a monologue, a solo or ensemble musical recital, a dance piece or a musical theatre piece.

**Transfer courses:** Students can transfer up to 4 credits to count towards concentration or elective requirements.

### Examples of Completed Minors:

#### Concentration in Dance

COURSES	CREDITS
THR 1010 Introduction to Performing Arts	3
DANC 2000 Introduction to Dance: Ballet, Modern, and Jazz Dance	3
DANC 2650 Spanish Dance: Flamenco* <sub>1</sub>	3
DANC 3680 Advanced Spanish Dance: Flamenco II*	2
DANC 2660 Latin Rhythms and Dance* <sub>1</sub>	3
THR 1500 Introduction to Theatre ( <b>as elective</b> )	3
DANC 4980 Independent Study	1

#### Concentration in Music

COURSES	CREDITS
THR 1010 Introduction to Performing Arts	3
MUSC 1170 Music of Cultures of the World <sub>2</sub>	3
MUSC 2010 Applied Music (Voice) (Fall)	2
MUSC 2010 Applied Music (Voice) (Spring)	2
MUSC 3420 University Chorale* (Fall)	1
MUSC 3420 University Chorale* (Spring)	1
THR 3560 Theatre Workshop*	2
THR 2510 Acting I <sub>1</sub>	3
MUSC 4980 Independent Study	1

#### Concentration in Theatre

COURSES	CREDITS
THR 1010 Introduction to Performing Arts	3
THR 1500 Introduction to Theatre	3
THR 2510 Acting I <sub>1</sub>	3
THR 3560 Theatre Workshop* (Fall)	2
THR 3560 Theatre Workshop* (Spring)	2
MUSC 2010 Applied Music (Voice) (Fall)	2
MUSC 2010 Applied Music (Voice) (Spring)	2
THR 4980 Independent Study	1