

Four-Year Graduation Plan - Courses and Critical Benchmarks




The following is a sample course of study. It is the Student's responsibility to ensure that all program requirements are met. This guide is not a substitute for academic advisement. **All incoming freshmen must develop an academic plan (which maps out all courses needed to graduate within your intended major/degree). Your academic advisor is available to meet with you and create your specific plan.**

*Your path to graduation may vary slightly based on factors such as college credit you earned while in high school, transfer work from other institutions of higher learning and placement in Mathematics. You are responsible for checking prerequisites to any courses. Critical Courses and minimum recommended grades (as noted below) provide feedback regarding major fit and help indicate likelihood of successful completion of chosen academic program and degree.*




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|------------|--|------------------------------|-----|---------------------|-------|
| First Math | MATH 110 or MATH 116, or 200-level MATH/STAT | Foreign Language Requirement | Yes | Free Elective Hours | 11-16 |
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| Critical Course or Benchmark | Course Subject, Number, and Title and Academic Plan Benchmarks<br>Bold = UMKC General Education Core Requirement<br>*Prerequisite May Be Required<br>**Co-Requisite Enrollment Required | Min Recom Grade | Credit Hours (CH) | Notes |
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Fall Semester Year 1: 16 hours

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|  | <b>**Anchor I: Reasoning and Values</b> - <a href="#">Click for options</a>   |    | 3 | <b>ALEKS Math Placement Exam</b> is required prior to enrollment in MATH 110 and some 200-level MATH/STATS courses.<br><br>If ALEKS places student in MATH 100: Intermediate Algebra, student may complete Math requirement in the first summer. |
|  | <b>**DISC 100: Reasoning and Values</b> (Speech and Writing)  |    | 3 |  |
|   | MATH 110: College Algebra ( <b>Focus B</b> ) OR<br>MATH 116: Math for Liberal Arts ( <b>Focus B</b> ) OR<br>*MATH/STAT 200+ – <a href="#">Click for options</a> |    | 3 |  |
|  | THEATRE 403, Theatre Company and Production   | C- | 1 |  |
|  | THEATRE 113, Intro to Technical Production  | C- | 3 |  |
|  | Free Elective   |    | 3 |  |
|  | Complete 15 term hours toward degree (recommended), 12 minimum (required)<br>Earn minimum 2.000 term GPA<br>Earn minimum 2.000 cumulative UM GPA                |    |   | <b>MATH 110 satisfies Focus B: Scientific Reasoning &amp; Quantitative Analysis Requirement.</b>   |

Spring Semester Year 1: 15 hours


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|  | <b>**Anchor II: Culture and Diversity</b> - <a href="#">Click for options</a>   |    | 3 | Foreign Language is required for all B.A. degrees in the College of Arts and Sciences; The <a href="#">foreign language placement exam</a> is highly recommended to ensure placement in the correct level. |
|  | <b>**DISC 200: Culture and Diversity</b> (Speech and Writing)   |    | 3 |  |
|  | Foreign Language Requirement (110 or higher) – <a href="#">Click for options</a>  |    | 3 |  |
|  | <b>Focus A: Arts and Humanities</b> - THEATRE 130: Foundations of Fine Arts Theatre (for Majors)  | B  | 3 |  |
|  | THEATRE 403: Theatre Company and Production   | C- | 1 |  |
|  | Free Elective   |    | 3 |  |
|  | Complete Anchor I and DISC 100<br>Complete 15 term hours toward degree (recommended), 12 minimum (required)<br>Complete 30 total hours minimum toward degree<br>Complete Math requirement (110, 116, or 200-level MATH/STAT course) |    |   |  |

Complete at least one Foreign Language course (110 or higher)  
 Earn minimum 2.000 term GPA  
 Earn minimum 2.000 cumulative UM GPA

Summer Semester Year 1: 0 hours if all previous courses completed


May use summer semester ensure completion of 30 hours per academic year or to lighten fall and spring course loads.

Fall Semester Year 2: 15 hours

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|  | Foreign Language Requirement (120 or higher)   |    | 3 | POL-SCI 210, HISTORY 101 or 102 fulfill <b>Focus C: Human Actions, Values, and Ethics</b> as well as the Missouri Constitution requirement.<br><br>Take the <b>RooWriter Writing Assessment</b> the semester immediately following DISC 200 and at least a semester before registering for a Writing Intensive course. |
|  | THEATRE 210: Intro to Design for Theatre   | C- | 3 |  |
|  | THEATRE 403: Theatre Company and Production  | C- | 1 |  |
|  | <b>Focus C: Human Actions, Values, and Ethics</b> Take POL-SCI 210, HISTORY 101 or HISTORY 102 for MO Constitution Requirement |    | 3 |  |
|  | ART-HIST 110: Intro to the Visual Arts (CAS Arts & Humanities Requirement)   | C- | 3 |  |
|  | Free Elective  |    | 2 |  |

Complete 15 term hours toward degree (recommended), 12 minimum (required)  
 Earn minimum 2.000 term GPA  
 Earn minimum 2.000 cumulative UM GPA

Spring Semester Year 2: 16 hours

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|  | Foreign Language Requirement (211 or higher)  |    | 3 |
|  | THEATRE 295: Speech for the Theatre (or THEATRE elective)   | C- | 3 |
|  | THEATRE 298: Movement for Actors (or THEATRE elective)  | C- | 3 |
|  | THEATRE 403: Theatre Company and Production   | C- | 1 |
|  | <b>Focus B</b> - (if not fulfilled above) – <a href="#">Click for options</a> OR Free Elective                          |    | 3 |
|  | CONSVTY 120: Music Appreciation ( <b>Focus Elective</b> ) OR CONSVTY 120N: Music Appreciation ( <b>Focus Elective</b> ) | C- | 3 |

Complete Anchor II and DISC 200  
 Complete Foreign Language Requirement (211 or higher)  
 Complete 15 term hours toward degree (recommended), 12 minimum (required)  
 Complete 60 total hours toward degree  
 Earn minimum 2.000 term GPA  
 Earn minimum 2.000 cumulative UM GPA

Summer Semester Year 2: 3 hours

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|  | THEATRE 497: Repertory Theater or Free Elective | C- | 3 | May be taken now or next summer semester. |
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Fall Semester Year 3: 16 hours


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|  | <b>**Anchor III: Civic and Community Engagement</b> <a href="#">Click for options</a> |  | 3 | <a href="#">RooWriter Writing Assessment</a> must be taken |
|  | <b>**DISC 300: Civic and Community Engagement</b> (Speech and                         |  | 3 |  |

# UMKC Major Map: Bachelor of Arts in Theatre (General Track)

## First-Time College Students


Catalog Year: 2014 - 2015

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|  | Writing)   |    |   | prior to registration in Theatre 351WI. |
|  | THEATRE 350: Theatre History I                         | C- | 3 |   |
|  | THEATRE 378: Stage Management I                        | C- | 3 |   |
|  | THEATRE 403: Theatre Company and Production            | C- | 1 |   |
|  | PHILOS 321: Ethics (CAS Arts & Humanities Requirement) |    | 3 |   |

 Complete RooWriter Writing Assessment  
 Complete 15 term hours toward degree (recommended), 12 minimum (required)  
 Earn minimum 2.000 term GPA  
 Earn minimum 2.000 cumulative UM GPA

### Spring Semester Year 3: 14-15 hours

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|  | THEATRE 300: Acting I  | C- | 3   |
|  | THEATRE 3XX/4XX: Theatre Design Elective Course  | C- | 3   |
|  | THEATRE 351WI: Theater History II (CAS Writing Intensive Requirement)                    | C- | 3   |
|  | THEATRE 403: Theatre Company and Production  | C- | 1   |
|  | CAS Science & Math Requirement – Must take Lab Science to fulfill Laboratory requirement |    | 4-5 |

 Complete 15 term hours toward degree (recommended), 12 minimum (required)  
 Earn minimum 2.000 term GPA  
 Earn minimum 2.000 cumulative UM GPA


### Summer Semester Year 3: 0-3 hours

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 Complete THEATRE 497: Repertory Theatre with a C- or higher grade

### Fall Semester Year 4: 13 hours

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|  | THEATRE 415: Beginning Directing (Capstone)  | C- | 3 | Apply for graduation and complete Final Degree Audits for the following: UMKC General Education Core, CAS Degree Requirements, Major Requirements, and/or Minor Requirements. |
|  | THEATRE 3XX/4XX: Theatre Elective Course   | C- | 3 |   |
|  | THEATRE 403: Theatre Company and Production  | C- | 1 |   |
|  | Missouri Constitution course (if not fulfilled by above) – <a href="#">Click for options</a> OR other CAS Social & Behavioral Sciences Requirement – <a href="#">Click for options</a> |    | 3 |   |
|  | Free Elective  |    | 3 |   |

 Complete 15 term hours toward degree (recommended), 12 minimum (required)  
 Earn minimum 2.000 term GPA  
 Earn minimum 2.000 cumulative UM GPA

Take the ETS Proficiency Profile (EPP) exit exam.


### Spring Semester Year 4: 13-16 hours

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|  | THEATRE 3XX/4XX: Theatre Elective Course   | C- | 3 | In combination with required upper-level courses, take enough Free Elective hours at the 300/400-level to meet the |
|  | THEATRE 403: Theatre Company and Production                                      | C- | 1 |  |
|  | CAS Social & Behavioral Sciences Requirement - <a href="#">Click for options</a> |    | 3 |  |

# UMKC Major Map: Bachelor of Arts in Theatre (General Track)

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|  | CAS Science & Math Requirement - <a href="#">Click for options</a>   |  | 3   | minimum requirement of 36 upper-level credit hours. |
|  | <i>Free Elective (only take these credits if needed to reach 120 minimum hours)</i>  |  | 1-3 |   |
|  | Complete 15 term hours toward degree (recommended), 12 minimum (required)<br>Earn minimum 2.000 term GPA<br>Earn minimum 2.000 cumulative UM GPA |  |     |   |

## Graduation Requirements Summary

| Total Hours (120 minimum) | Total Hours at UMKC (30 hours min) | Major GPA | UMKC GPA |
|---------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------|----------|
| 120                       | 30                                 | 2.0       | 2.0      |

## Other Information and Policy

### Non-course requirements

RooWriter Writing Assessment  
ETS Proficiency Profile (EPP) exam

**Met**

The School reserves the right to make changes in courses, degree requirements and course schedules without notice.

Students are expected to maintain a quality of achievement significantly above minimum UMKC standards for degree work. Individual student progress will be monitored throughout the program. Satisfactory progress is required of all students for retention in the program. Students are expected to maintain academic standards, perform satisfactorily in courses, refrain from academic dishonesty, comply with the established University and teacher education timetables and requirements, and refrain from unethical or unprofessional behavior or behaviors that obstruct the training process or threaten the welfare of the student or others. Other circumstances involving student behavior will be addressed by the faculty on an individual basis.

A minimum of 36 upper-level hours required for graduation.

## Advising Contact Information

College of Arts and Sciences Advising  
09 Schofield Hall (Basement)  
816.235.1148  
<http://cas.umkc.edu/advising/default.asp>

## Career Opportunities

UMKC Career Services Resources: <http://www.career.umkc.edu/?q=node/87>  
O\*Net OnLine: <http://www.onetonline.org/find/>