

STONY BROOK UNIVERSITY CAREER CENTER

Theatre Arts

The Department of Theatre Arts provides a rich, fertile environment, with great teachers who nurture, mentor, and provide opportunities for students, helping them to reach their creative potential. Our liberal arts curriculum allow students to view the world through a theatrical lens while developing academic and creative tools that will help them succeed in any endeavor.

The objective of study in Theatre Arts is to provide students with the opportunity to explore a range of forms of self-expression. Students are introduced to the practical tools necessary to communicate effectively through the theatre, the media, and technology. In addition, they investigate the historical and theoretical basis on which these art forms are based, giving them a strong foundation on which to pursue the many opportunities available to a student graduating as a Theatre major.



Students graduate with a strong background in the liberal and theatre arts. After graduation they may pursue theatre-related careers, go on to further study, or enter other professions such as law, business, publishing, advertising, communications, computer graphics, and public relations.

Transferable Skills

- Analytical and critical abilities
- Rhetorical skill
- Didactic skills
- Creative expressions
- Communication and interpersonal skills
- Working in teams
- Public speaking and presentation
- Technical writing and communication

Career Communities to Consider

- Arts & Communications
- Public Service
- Education & Helping Professions
- Exploring