

What can I do with this major: Theatre Arts

Theatre is a performance art, and classes in the Theatre Arts Program are production oriented with many opportunities for students and community members to participate in public performances of shows. Departmental productions are integrated into all course studies and are used as practical examples of the theory and practice covered in each course. A full range of courses are offered allowing the student to gain a broad-based background in all aspects of theatre, including students planning to transfer to a four-year institution, students seeking fulfillment of general education requirements, and students wishing to broaden their vision as artists.

Degrees and Certificates offered at AVC

- ❖ [Theatre Arts - AAT](#) (transferable)

Possible Job/Career Titles

Associate Degree:

- ❖ Actor, Entertainer, Performance Artist
- ❖ Box Office Sales
- ❖ Crew Heads: Props, Costumes
- ❖ Rigger
- ❖ Theatre Technician
- ❖ Stage Assistant

Bachelor Degree:

- ❖ Agent
- ❖ Art Director
- ❖ Director
- ❖ Lighting Designer
- ❖ Set Designer
- ❖ Theatre Manager
- ❖ Producer
- ❖ Stage Manager
- ❖ Technical Director

Work Industries and Employers

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| ❖ Television Broadcasting Studios | ❖ Production Companies |
| ❖ Movie Production Agencies | ❖ Radios Broadcasting Studios |
| ❖ Talent Search Agencies | ❖ Arts, Media and Performance Centers |
| ❖ Theaters | ❖ Public or Community Programs |
| ❖ Colleges and Universities | ❖ Acting Conservatories |
| ❖ K-12 Institutions | |

The information reflected is intended to act as a tool for exploration. Please visit the [Career Center](#) for more specific information on majors and careers



Next Steps...

Connect with Professional Associations

Associations are a group of people who come together for a common purpose. You can find helpful information about jobs and careers.

- ❖ [International Society for the Performing Arts Foundation \(ISPA\)](#)
- ❖ [National Association of Schools of Music, Dance, Art and Design](#)
- ❖ [American Association of Community Theatre](#)
- ❖ [Screen Actors Guild](#)

CSU/UC Major Preparation (BA):

- ❖ [CSU Northridge: Theatre B.A.](#)
- ❖ [CSU Los Angeles: Theatre Arts B.A.](#)
- ❖ [CSU Channel Islands: Performing Arts B.A. \(Theatre Arts Emphasis\)](#)
- ❖ [CSU San Bernardino: Theatre Arts B.A. with an option in Musical Theatre](#)
- ❖ [UC Santa Cruz: Theatre Arts B.A.](#)
- ❖ ... and more! - <https://www.transferbound.com/>

Develop your Skills and Experience

- ❖ [AVC Performing Arts Theatre](#)
- ❖ Jobs and Internships ([College Central Network](#))
- ❖ [SAG-AFTRA Los Angeles Programs](#)
- ❖ [Backstage Resources](#)
- ❖ [SAG-AFTRA Los Angeles Events](#)
- ❖ [Auditions and Creative Professionals Jobs](#)

View Additional Information

- ❖ [Occupational Outlook Handbook](#)
- ❖ [Candid Career Videos](#)
- ❖ [Assist](#): Student Transfer Information System
- ❖ [ONET](#) OnLine: Job and Career Exploration
- ❖ [Linkedin Alumni Tool](#)
- ❖ [Transfer Schools](#)