Course Prefix and Number: THTR 153  Credit Hours: 3

Course Title: Acting I

Course Prerequisites: None


Course Description: The study and application of basic acting theories and principles for the beginning actor.

Learning Outcomes: At the end of this course, the student will

A. create a character for the stage;
B. identify and incorporate basic acting theories into character preparation and performance;
C. observe and analyze behavior of self and others for character preparation; and
D. audition in a professionally prepared format.

To achieve the learning outcomes, the student will
(The letter designations at the end of each statement refer to the learning outcome(s).)

1. prepare and perform specifically designed characters in at least two (2) monologue and one (2) duo or trio scene presentations. (A,B,C,D)
2. demonstrate usage of fundamental acting theories through examination and through incorporation into class acting presentations. (A,B,C,D)
3. keep a daily character sketch journal of observations of behaviors of self, others, and animals. (C,D)
4. prepare a professionally formatted acting audition for class. (A,B,C,D)

Course Requirements: This course requires attendance, class participation, assignments, exams, and projects as determined by the instructor.

Course Grading Scale:

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