#### SRT 47.2 Course Outline as of Fall 2023

## **CATALOG INFORMATION**

Dept and Nbr: SRT 47.2 Title: SRT - STAGECRAFT

Full Title: Summer Repertory Theatre - Stagecraft

Last Reviewed: 5/9/2022

Units		Course Hours per Wee	ek I	Nbr of Weeks	<b>Course Hours Total</b>	
Maximum	6.00	Lecture Scheduled	0	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	0
Minimum	6.00	Lab Scheduled	19.25	11	Lab Scheduled	336.88
		Contact DHR	0		Contact DHR	0
		Contact Total	19.25		Contact Total	336.88
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 0.00 Total Student Learning Hours: 336.88

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable

Grading: **Grade Only** 

00 - Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP Repeatability:

Also Listed As:

Formerly: **THAR 47.2** 

#### **Catalog Description:**

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# **Prerequisites/Corequisites:**

## **Recommended Preparation:**

Previous experience in theatre production

#### **Limits on Enrollment:**

By Audition

### **Schedule of Classes Information:**

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Repertory Theatre (SRT) season. (Grade Only)

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Limits on Enrollment: By Audition

Transfer Credit: CSU;UC.

Repeatability: Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

# **ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:**

AS Degree: Area Effective: Inactive: CSU GE: Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

**IGETC:** Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

**CSU Transfer:** Transferable Effective: Summer 2009 Inactive:

**UC Transfer:** Transferable Effective: Fall 2009 Inactive:

CID:

## Certificate/Major Applicable:

Certificate Applicable Course

#### **COURSE CONTENT**

## **Student Learning Outcomes:**

At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:

1. Students will be able to safely and effectively perform fundamental techniques of stagecraft in the preparation, execution, and performance of multiple productions simultaneously.

### **Objectives:**

At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:

- 1. Safely and effectively perform fundamental techniques of stagecraft in the preparation and performance of multiple theatrical productions before a paying public audience.
- 2. Effectively inventory and maintain lighting and sound instruments, properties, and/or set pieces.
- 3. Work safely and competently with common stagecraft tools, equipment, and materials.
- 4. Correctly utilize fundamental stagecraft terminology.
- 5. Define and demonstrate knowledge of a professionally organized and efficient scene shop operation, including maintenance and safety procedures.
- 6. Work productively as a member of a professional production team.
- 7. Assemble a set in accordance with a ground plan and elevations.
- 8. Recognize the relationship between all elements of professional theatre design and technology, including scenery, scenic painting, properties, electrics, and sound.

## **Topics and Scope:**

- I. About the productions
  - A. The script's historical context and style
  - B. Director's concept
  - C. Scenery and properties design
  - D. Other design interpretations
  - E. Special technical responsibilities

## II. Building the productions - students will learn the fundamentals of the following areas:

- A. Scenery
  - 1. Carpentry
  - 2. Utilizing power tools
  - 3. Utilizing hand tools
  - 4. Proper safety procedures
- B. Electrics
  - 1. Interpreting a lighting plot
  - 2. Hang/focus of lighting instruments
  - 3. Instrument maintenance
  - 4. Proper safety procedures
- C. Properties
  - 1. Research
  - 2. Craft skills
  - 3. Utilizing power and hand tools
  - 4. Proper safety procedures
- D. Paint
  - 1. Interpreting paint elevations
  - 2. Interpreting scale drawings
  - 3. Utilizing projection
  - 4. Proper safety procedures
- E. Sound
  - 1. Playback
  - 2. Intercom communication
  - 3. Microphone maintenance
  - 4. Proper safety procedures

## III. Crew responsibilities--students will be assigned to one or more of the following:

- A. Stage crew: learning the job
  - 1. Interpreting instructions
  - 2. Safety and emergency procedures
  - 3. Backstage protocols and responsibilities
- B. Properties crew: learning the job
  - 1. Interpreting instructions
  - 2. Safety and emergency procedures
  - 3. Backstage protocols and responsibilities
- C. Electrics crew: learning the job
  - 1. Interpreting instructions
  - 2. Safety and emergency procedures
  - 3. Backstage protocols and responsibilities
- D. Paint crew: learning the job
  - 1. Interpreting instructions
  - 2. Safety and emergency procedures
  - 3. Backstage protocols and responsibilities
- E. Sound crew: learning the job
  - 1. Interpreting instructions
  - 2. Safety and emergency procedures
  - 3. Backstage protocols and responsibilities
- IV. Standards of professionalism for technical positions in repertory theatre

# **Assignment:**

1. Complete all running crew responsibilities for each rehearsal and performance during the

SRT season.

- 2. Attend all scheduled rehearsals, performances, and/or strikes to which the student is called.
- 3. Adhere to fundamental standards of professionalism throughout the construction, rehearsal, and performance process, following the terms of the Company Handbook and course syllabus.
- 4. Provide and wear required attire for construction, rehearsals, and performances.
- 5. Read the script for each assigned production.

#### Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade:

**Writing:** Assessment tools that demonstrate writing skills and/or require students to select, organize and explain ideas in writing.

None, This is a degree applicable course but assessment tools based on writing are not included because skill demonstrations are more appropriate for this course.

Writing 0 - 0%

**Problem Solving:** Assessment tools, other than exams, that demonstrate competence in computational or non-computational problem solving skills.

None

Problem solving 0 - 0%

**Skill Demonstrations:** All skill-based and physical demonstrations used for assessment purposes including skill performance exams.

Class performances

Skill Demonstrations 60 - 80%

**Exams:** All forms of formal testing, other than skill performance exams.

None

Exams 0 - 0%

**Other:** Includes any assessment tools that do not logically fit into the above categories.

Professionalism

Other Category 20 - 40%

# **Representative Textbooks and Materials:**

Scripts of plays being performed SRT Company Handbook