Faculty of Arts

DRAMA

Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA)

Drama and theatre provide the means not only to reconstruct the world as it is, but also to model human possibilities. In this program you’ll enhance your understanding of drama by participating in productions, interacting with professionals, and acquiring practical and theoretical foundations that will help you build a solid career. During the course of your studies you’ll gain creative thinking skills, research and analytical capabilities, written and verbal communication skills, as well as rigorous practical and theoretical training in drama.

Did You Know?

This is one of the few programs in Canada that offers playwrighting at the undergraduate and graduate levels.

Jonathan B.
Jonathan Brower
Jonathan is the co-founder and artistic director at Third Street Theatre, Calgary’s only queer theatre company, and youth engagement manager at Alberta Theatre Projects.

“Every professor contributes something different and they’re always interested in guiding you outside of class time or offering extra exercises. Many have connections outside the university and are willing to provide students with extra opportunities, tools and networking. The results: looking at a call board after auditioning and seeing my name beside one of the characters!”

Fatima Z., drama student

Awards

Job Titles

Student Clubs

PERFORMER
THEATRE DESIGNER
PERFORMING ARTS MANAGEMENT

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2 Select your program
3 Select your type of admission (high school or transfer)
4 Choose the location of your high school

Sample First-Year Courses

History of the Theatre: Origins to the Mid-Eighteenth Century
Introduction to Scenography
Introduction to Drama
Introduction to Acting
Introduction to Theatre Production
Theatre for Young Audiences
Theatre Creation