



LA Mission College Career Center

THEATER ARTS

MAJOR SHEETS

SKILLS

(things you will learn or use)

- Imagination
- Creativity
- Flexibility
- Patience
- Basic reading, writing, and editing skills
- Strong communication skills
- Independence

INTEREST

- Drawing
- Popular culture
- Media
- Working with ideas
- Starting up and carrying out projects
- Working with forms, designs, and patterns

WHAT IS THEATER ARTS?

The study of Theater Arts has as its core the presentation of live performances. Student actors, writers, designers, directors, and technicians apply skills of critical thinking and creative interpretation to a wide range of dramatic literature and to the cultures and periods that produce that literature; they undertake the nuanced research necessary to construct a contextual frame for dramatic literature; and they exercise the imaginative reach to make those fictional worlds come to life.

LAMC DEGREES & CERTIFICATES OFFERED

- Associate of Arts for Transfer (AA-T) in Studio Art
- Associate of Arts for Transfer (AA-T) in Theater Arts
- Associate of Arts Degree in Art, Gallery and Museum Studies
- Associate of Arts Degree in Painting

TRANSFER RELATED MAJORS

- **CSU Los Angeles:** Theater
- **CSU Fullerton:** Theater
- **CSU Long Beach:** Theater Arts
- **CSU Northridge:** Theater
- **San Diego State:** Performance (Acting and Musical Theater)
- **UCLA:** Theater
- **UC Berkeley:** Theater and Performance Studies
- **UC Santa Barbara:** Theater



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WORK ENVIRONMENT

- Pace is fast and hectic at times; often there is pressure of deadlines
- Overtime may be required to get the job done
- The work is considered glamorous and exciting by many
- Use computers to help create designs, to store and retrieve text, and to produce reports

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

www.lamission.edu/careercenter
<http://www.lamission.edu/Art/Home.aspx>
www.assist.org
www.salary.com
<https://uncw.edu/career/whatcanidowithamajorin.html>
www.cacareerzone.org
<http://degrees.calstate.edu/>
https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/counselors/files/undergraduate_majors_list.pdf

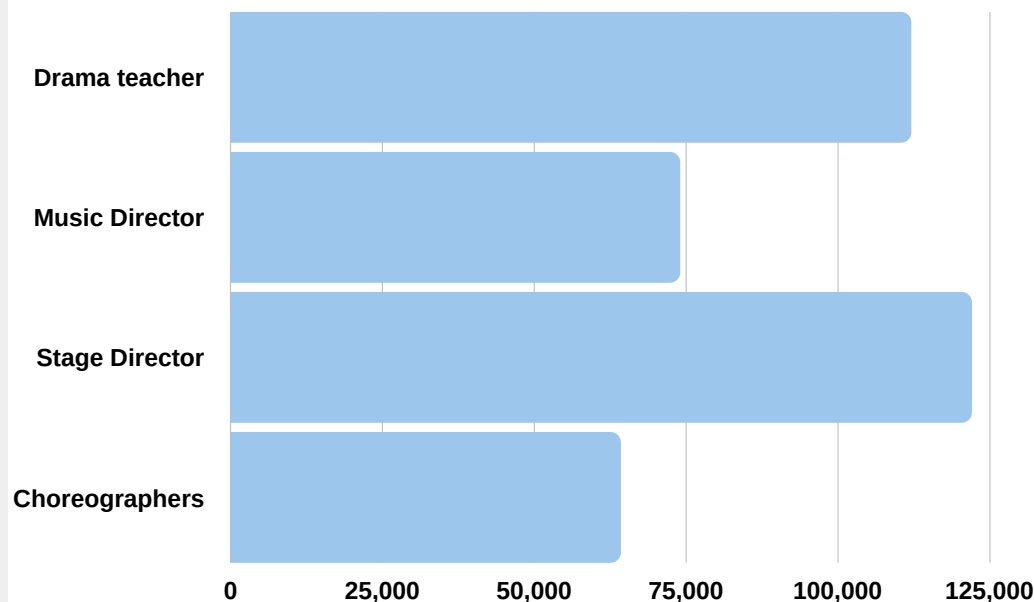
POTENTIAL JOB TITLES

- Animator
- Web developer
- Art director
- Film & video editor
- Advertisement
- Graphic designer
- Illustrator
- Digital designer
- Set designer

POTENTIAL EMPLOYERS

- Advertising firms
- Internet and software Development companies
- Internet companies
- Software development Companies
- Department stores
- Publishing houses
- Web designing companies
- Television Studios

*EARNINGS



*Earning can vary by occupation and experience. The following are average annual wages as of 2019 in California based on California Career Zone <https://www.cacareerzone.org/>

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