

# Theatre (Interdisciplinary Digital Media), MFA

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# School of Music, Dance and Theatre program of study check sheet and guide

This is a three year program with a total of 60 credit hours including the required applied project. The overall course of study is developed with the supervisory committee to ensure a breadth of transdisciplinary knowledge. You must submit a Plan of Study (iPOS) located on your My ASU in your first semester. Use this degree check sheet to assist with filing your Plan of Study and to track your progress in your degree.

### Required Core (9 credits)

Course	Title	Credits needed	Credits taken	Semester/Year	Notes
THE 500	Research Methods	3			
THE 504	Theory and Criticism	3			
THE 520	Theatre History	3			
Total required core credits		9			

### AME (15 credits)

Course	Title	Credits needed	Credits taken	Semester/Year	Notes
		3			Core School of Arts, Media and Engineering courses, to be selected in consultation with each student's School of Arts, Media and Engineering graduate advisor.
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Total credits		15			

### THP/THE (18 credits)

Course	Title	Credits needed	Credits taken	Semester/Year	Notes
		3			Courses to be selected in consultation with each student's School of Arts, Media and Engineering graduate advisor.
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Total credits		18			

### Electives (6 credits)

Course	Title	Credits needed	Credits taken	Semester/Year	Notes
		3			
		3			
Total credits		6			

### Research and Applied Project (12 credits)

Course	Title	Credits needed	Credits taken	Semester/Year	Notes
					The distribution of the Applied Project and Research credits are flexible. You should work with your faculty committee to decide the distribution of credits.
THP 693	Applied Project				
Total credits		12			

## Student Handbook

The student handbook should be used in conjunction with this check sheet. The current handbook can be found on the [Student Canvas Site](#).

## Milestones

There are several milestones students need to complete prior to graduating:

- Have an approved Plan of Study by the start of your first semester.
- Pass all of the coursework required for your degree.
- Successfully complete your applied project with a "B" or better.

Students should see the Area Coordinator of the Theatre (Interdisciplinary Digital Media) program for a complete list of approved electives.

## Continuous Enrollment

Once admitted to a graduate degree program or graduate certificate program, you must be registered for a minimum of 1 credit hour during all phases of your graduate education. Registration for every fall semester and spring semester is required. Summer registration is required for students taking examinations, completing culminating experiences, conducting a doctoral prospectus, defending theses or dissertations or graduating from the degree program. For more information, please refer to the [Graduate Policies and Procedures Handbook](#).

Student Resources	
Theatre Forms, Advising & Handbooks	<a href="https://canvas.asu.edu/enroll/9XD3FB">https://canvas.asu.edu/enroll/9XD3FB</a>
How To Guides - Graduate College	<a href="https://graduate.asu.edu/current-students/completing-your-degree/how-guides">https://graduate.asu.edu/current-students/completing-your-degree/how-guides</a>
Completing your Plan of Study	<a href="https://graduate.asu.edu/current-students/completing-your-degree/your-plan-study-ip-os">https://graduate.asu.edu/current-students/completing-your-degree/your-plan-study-ip-os</a>
Academic Calendar	<a href="https://students.asu.edu/academic-calendar">https://students.asu.edu/academic-calendar</a>
Deadlines for Graduate Students	<a href="https://graduate.asu.edu/current-students/policies-forms-and-deadlines/graduation-deadlines">https://graduate.asu.edu/current-students/policies-forms-and-deadlines/graduation-deadlines</a>
Graduate Student Policies and Procedures	<a href="https://graduate.asu.edu/sites/default/files/asu-graduate-policies-and-procedures.pdf">https://graduate.asu.edu/sites/default/files/asu-graduate-policies-and-procedures.pdf</a>
Academic Integrity	<a href="https://graduate.asu.edu/current-students/policies-forms-and-deadlines/academic-integrity">https://graduate.asu.edu/current-students/policies-forms-and-deadlines/academic-integrity</a>
Apply for Graduation	<a href="https://students.asu.edu/registration/graduation-apply">https://students.asu.edu/registration/graduation-apply</a>
University Registrar Services	<a href="https://students.asu.edu/registration">https://students.asu.edu/registration</a>
Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)	<a href="https://students.asu.edu/policies/ferpa">https://students.asu.edu/policies/ferpa</a>
Enrollment and Degree Verification	<a href="https://students.asu.edu/enrollment-verification">https://students.asu.edu/enrollment-verification</a>