Department:

Theatre

Course Description:

This course is designed to provide an introduction to the development of theatrical presentation from antiquity to the modern stage. The course will examine direction, management, design, and performance. Representative dramatic productions will be viewed to provide insight into the historical development and artistic values of theatre.

Course Competencies:

The learning outcomes and competencies detailed in this syllabus meet or exceed the learning outcomes and competencies specified by the Kansas Core Outcomes Groups for this course as approved by the Kansas Board of Regents. (Kansas Regents Shared Number Course and Title: KRSN Course THT 1010 Theatre Appreciation.)

Upon completion of the course, the student should be able to:

1. Classify and define theatre terminology.
2. Analyze and evaluate dramatic productions and performances.
3. Explain the collaborative nature of theatre.
4. Outline the historical and cultural development of theatre.

Course Content:

A. Theatre in Today’s World
B. The Audience
C. Creating Theatre
D. Theatrical Genres
E. Production
F. Acting
G. The Director and Producer
H. Scenery and Costumes
I. Lighting and Sound
J. Global Theatre Past and Present

Learning Assessments:

Course competencies will be assessed by class attendance and participation, quizzes, critiques, a mid-term exam, and a final exam.
Instructional Materials:


Guidelines for Requesting Accommodations Based on Documented Disability or Medical Condition

It is the intention of Highland Community College to work toward full compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, to make instructional programs accessible to all people, and to provide reasonable accommodations according to the law.

Students should understand that it is their responsibility to self-identify their need(s) for accommodation and that they must provide current, comprehensive diagnosis of a specific disability or medical condition from a qualified professional in order to receive services. Documentation must include specific recommendations for accommodation(s). Documentation should be provided in a timely manner prior to or early in the semester so that the requested accommodation can be considered and, if warranted, arranged.

In order to begin the process all students **must** complete the “Disabilities Self-Identification Form” at this link: https://highlandcc.edu/pages/disability-services.

This form can also be accessed at the Highland Community College homepage under Students Services/Student Resources/Disability Service or by contacting the Disabilities Coordinator.