The Theatre major can help prepare people for many career opportunities including work in the specific areas of theater production or performance as well as the related areas of advertising, television, film, recreation, education, and management. Theater managers manage theaters for stage productions or motion pictures. Related career titles include actor, director, costumer, script coach, stunt person, playwright, drama coach, set designer, business manager and instructor.

For additional career possibilities, visit the Career Services Center on the main campus to utilize computerized career information systems and other valuable career resources.

### TRANSFER

Students planning to transfer to a four-year college should complete the lower-division major requirements and the general education pattern for the appropriate transfer institution. Santa Monica College has articulation agreements for this major with the following UC, CSU, and private institutions. Exact major requirements for these and other UC and CSU campuses can be found online [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org). Articulation agreements with private institutions can be found online at [www.smc.edu/articulation](http://www.smc.edu/articulation).

### ASSIST

ASSIST.org is a student-transfer information system that shows how course credits earned at Santa Monica College can be applied when transferred to a University of California (UC) or California State University (CSU). ASSIST.org is the official repository of articulation for California's public colleges and universities and provides the most accurate and up-to-date information about major requirements and general education.

Along with meeting minimum admission requirements, one of the most important aspects of a successful transfer is the completion of significant coursework in the major prior to transfer, for two very specific reasons.

- One, completion of major coursework makes you more attractive for admission, especially for the more competitive universities.
- Two, completion of major coursework at SMC prior to transfer will allow you to transfer and graduate from the university in a timelier manner.

ASSIST.org has listed the exact courses that you should complete at SMC to satisfy lower-division major requirements prior to transfer to public California universities, but not all majors at all universities are included at this site.

### UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY**
- Theater and Performance Studies B.A.

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, DAVIS**
- Dramatic Art A.B. - Theatre Emphasis

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, IRVINE**
- Drama B.A.

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES - SCHOOL OF THEATER, FILM & TELEVISION**
- Theater B.A. - Acting
- Theater B.A. - Design/Production
- Theater B.A. - Directing
- Theater B.A. - General Theater
- Theater B.A. - Musical Theater
- Theater B.A. - Playwriting
- Theater B.A. - Teaching Artists Program

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE**
- Theatre B.A.

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO**
- Theatre B.A.
- Theatre and Dance B.A.

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA**
- Theater B.A.
  - Theater B.A. - Acting Emphasis

*Please access the above website for transfer requirements to the UC and/or CSU campuses.*
### UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA CRUZ
- Theater Arts B.A.
- Theater Arts B.A. - Design and Technology Concentration
- Theater Arts B.A. - Drama Concentration

General education requirements for the University of California campuses are listed on a separate sheet in the Transfer/Counseling Center, as well as online (go to [www.smc.edu/articulation](http://www.smc.edu/articulation)).

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### CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, BAKERSFIELD
- Theatre Arts B.A.

### CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, CHANNEL ISLANDS
- Performing Arts B.A. - Theatre Emphasis

### CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, CHICO
- Theatre B.A.

### CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, DOMINGUEZ HILLS
- Theatre Arts B.A. - Dance Option
- Theatre Arts B.A. - Theatre Arts Option

### CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, EAST BAY
- Theatre Arts B.A.
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  - Theatre Arts B.A. - Directing Option
  - Theatre Arts B.A. - Musical Theatre Option
  - Theatre Arts B.A. - Technology and Design Option
  - Theatre Arts B.A. - Theatre and Dance for Children and Community Option
  - Theatre Arts B.A. - Theatre History and Literature Option

### CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, FRESNO
- Theatre Arts B.A. - Dance Option
- Theatre Arts B.A. - Acting Track
- Theatre Arts B.A. - Design/Technology Track
- Theatre Arts B.A. - General Track

### CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, FULLERTON
- Theatre Arts B.A.
  - Theatre Arts B.A. - Applied Studies in Theatre Concentration
  - Theatre Arts B.A. - Specialized Studies in Theatre Concentration
  - Theatre Arts B.A. - Teaching Concentration

### CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, FRESNO
- Theatre Arts B.F.A.
  - Theatre Arts B.F.A. - Acting Concentration
  - Theatre Arts B.F.A. - Musical Theatre Concentration

### HUMBOLDT STATE UNIVERSITY
- Theatre Arts B.A.

### CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LONG BEACH
- Theatre Arts B.A.
  - Theatre Arts B.A. - Performance-Acting
  - Theatre Arts B.A. - Technical Theatre-Scenery/Costume/Lighting Design Option

### CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LOS ANGELES
- Communication B.A. - Performance Studies Option
- Theatre Arts and Dance B.A.
  - Theatre Arts and Dance B.A. - Dance Option

### CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, NORTHRIDGE
- Theatre B.A.

### CALIFORNIA POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIVERSITY, POMONA
- Theatre B.A.
  - Theatre B.A. - Acting Subplan
  - Theatre B.A. - Dance Subplan
  - Theatre B.A. - Education and Community Subplan
  - Theatre B.A. - Technical Theatre and Dance Subplan

### CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, SACRAMENTO
- Theatre B.A.

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Santa Monica College has and articulation agreement for this major ([see www.smc.edu/articulation](http://www.smc.edu/articulation) for exact requirements) with the following local private institution:

**LOYOLA MARYMOUNT UNIVERSITY**

B.A. Theatre Arts

Core requirements for this major can be found online on the LMU website:  
[http://www.lmu.edu/resources/articulation/list/santa_monica/Santa_Monica_College_2009-10_Lower_Division_Major_Requirements/Theatre_Arts.htm](http://www.lmu.edu/resources/articulation/list/santa_monica/Santa_Monica_College_2009-10_Lower_Division_Major_Requirements/Theatre_Arts.htm)

THE SCHOOLS LISTED ABOVE ARE WHERE MOST SMC STUDENTS TRANSFER TO, BUT THERE ARE MANY OTHER TRANSFER DESTINATION OPPORTUNITIES!