KEAN UNIVERSITY – COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

(41201) B.A. in THEATRE 120 S.H.

Minimum GPA Required for Declaration: 2.5

Minimum GPA Required for Major: 2.5

Overall Minimum GPA Required for Graduation: 2.5

EFFECTIVE DATE: FALL 2024

GENERAL EDUCATION: 41-42 Semester Hours (S.H.)	1	ACADEMIC Major ^{5**7} 48 S.H.	
Foundation Requirements ¹ 13 S.H.		Required Theatre Courses 24 S.H.	
G.E. 1000 Transition to Kean or GE 3000 Transfer Transitions ²	1	THE 1100 Acting I: The Actor Prepares	3
ENG 1030 Composition ³	3	THE 1300 Elements of Theatrical Design	3
MATH 1000;1010; 1016; 1030; OR 1054	3	THE 2300 Technical Theatre Production	3
COMM 1402 Speech Communication	3	THE 3700 Script Analysis and Dramaturgy	3
GE 2025 Research & Technology	3	THE 3710 World Theatre I (WE)	3
		THE 3720 World Theatre II (WE)	3
Disciplinary & Interdisciplinary		THE 2301-6 or 4301-6 Theatre Lab	3
Distribution Requirements: 28-29 S.H.		Note: taken 6 semesters for 1/2 credit per semester	
Humanities: 9 S.H. (from different areas)		123456	
*ENG 2403 World Literature	3	THE 3145 Speak the Text: Voice for the Performer	3
ΓΗΕ 1000 Introduction to Theatre (grade of C or better)	3		
Take one "GE Approved" course from one area below	3	Major Electives ⁵ 24 S.H.	
Fine Arts/Art History		Area I (Performance)	3
Philosophy or Religion		Area II (Design)	3
Foreign Languages (Must take I and II for credit)		Area III (Technology)	3
Music		Area IV (Theatre in the Community)	3
Interdisciplinary		Area V (Administration)	3
		Area VI (Directing/Playwriting)	3
Social Sciences: 9 S.H. (from different areas)		Area VII (Voice and Movement)	3
HIST 1062 Worlds of History	3	Any Theatre Course	3
Take two "GE Approved" course from two areas below	6	Ally Medite Course	J
	0	Major Capstone Course ⁵ : 3 S.H.	
Psychology Economics or ES 1010 World Geography		THE 4900 Senior Seminar in Theatre	2
Political Science		THE 4300 Sellior Sellinar III Theatre	3
	1	FREE ELECTIVES: 16-17 S.H.	
Sociology or Anthropology Interdisciplinary	+	at least 50% must be 3000/4000 level	
nterdiscipiinary		at least 60 /6 mast se 6000/4000 level	3
Science and Mathematics: 10 or 11 S.H.			3
MATH 1010;1016;1030;1054; CPS 1032;1231	1		3
Lab Science	3		3
Biology; Chemistry; Environmental Sciences; Earth Sciences;	4		
Forensic Sciences; Interdisciplinary; Physics; or Sustainability	4		3
Sciences)		THE 40006 For the condition of the condi	1-2
,	0.4	THE 1996 ⁶ Freshmen Research Experience (optional)	(1)
Additional "GE Approved" Science Course	3-4	THE 3171-73 (1-3 cr) Internship (optional)	(1-3
ADDITIONAL REQUIRED COURSES ⁴ : 11 S.H.	<u> </u>	Special Notes:	
ENG 3215 Shakespeare Survey	3	¹See pre-requisites and equivalencies (on page 2)	
ENG Literature for Theatre (see approved course list)	3	² University requirement for graduation for all undergraduate students that must be satisfied in one of two ways: Complete GE1000 (all freshmen and transfers entering with 0-29 credits) OR complete	
D 2701 Plays: On Page and on Stage	3		
2 S.H. of approved P.E.D. or DANC courses	2	GE 3000 (transfers entering with 30 cr or more)	
	1	³ ENG 1030 requires grade of C or higher	
		4Additional requirements must be completed with a grade of C or better.	
* GE Distribution course required of all students	1	⁵ All major courses require a grade of C or better.	1
** Course required by Major		⁶ Freshman may partner with faculty for 1 S.H. research course; repeatable 1x	
Revised 4/4/19	+	⁷ All theatre pre-requisites are found on Keanwise	1

GENERAL EDUCATION AND UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

GENERAL EDUCATION INFORMATION AND REQUIREMENTS

Testing and Placement

Incoming freshmen and transfer students may be placed in specific GE Foundations, Developmental or ESL courses as a result of testing prior to registration. Students may be exempt from testing due to SAT scores or prior college work.

<u>Prerequisites and Equivalencies for GE</u> Foundations Courses

GE 1000

Required of all freshmen & transfers entering with 0-29 credits

Prereq: None Equiv: ID 1001

GE 3000

Required of transfers entering with 30 credits or more Prereq: 30 credits and ENG 1030

ENG 1030

Prereq: Placement testing or exemption from placement testing
Equiv: ENG 1031/1032, ENG 1033/1034, ENG 1430, ENG 1620, ENG 1020, ENG 1400

MATH 1000 or 1010 or 1016 or 1030

Prereq: MATH 0901 if required by placement testing
Equiv of MATH 1000: MATH 1001/1002,
MATH 1003/1004, MATH 1051

MATH 1044 or 1054

Prereq: MATH 0901 if required by placement testing and MATH 1000

COMM 1402

Prereq: CS 0412 if required by placement testing ENG 1031/1032 or ENG 1033/1034 if required by placement testing May be taken concurrently with ENG 1030

Equiv: COMM 1400

GE 2021- 2026 Research and Technology is offered as college-based course

GE 2021 College of BPM GE 2022 College of EDU GE 2023 College of CLA

GE 2024 College of NAHS

& NJCSTM & NWGC

GE 2025 SVPA & Michael Graves College GE 2026 Undecided Majors and other special

populations
Prereqs: CS 0412 if required by placement testing
ENG 1030 or equivalent
COMM 1402

Equiv: GE 2020

GE Distribution Courses

Approved GE Distribution Courses

All courses taken under the General Education Disciplinary/Interdisciplinary Distribution requirements must be selected from the Approved General Education Distribution Course List

These courses are designated as GEHU, GESS, and GESM.

GEHU Humanities GESS Social Sciences

GESM Science and Mathematics

Required GE Distribution Courses

ENG 2403 is a required Humanities Distribution course with an emphasis on diversity.

Prereq: CS 0412 if required by placement testing; ENG 1030 or equivalent

Equiv. ENG*2203

HIST 1062 is a required Social Sciences Distribution course. Prereq: None

Foreign Language Credit

The three credits for a foreign language that may satisfy the GE Disciplinary/Interdisciplinary Distribution Requirement are awarded only upon successful completion of the second of two semesters of study at the introductory or intermediate level.

Credit for the first semester may be used as elective credit.

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

GE 1000/3000 Requirement

All undergraduate students must satisfy this University Requirement for Graduation by successfully completing one of the following courses at Kean University: GE 1000 Transition to Kean (all freshmen and transfers entering with 0-29 credits) or GE 3000 Transfer Transitions (transfers entering with 30 credits or more).

Writing-Emphasis Requirement

All students are required to complete one "Writing- Emphasis" course. The "W-E" course must be within the major portion of your program. Consult your major program advisor for specific information.

THEATRE ELECTIVES

Area I - Performance

THE 2150 Period Styles of Acting for the Contemporary Stage

THE 2140 Improvisation: Acting Without a Net

THE 3150 Contemporary Acting Techniques

THE 4100 Acting for the Camera

THE 4150 Acting as a Profession

Area II - Theatrical Design

THE 3330 Western Costume History

THE 3340 Costume Design

THE 3335 Scenic Design

THE 3345 Lighting Design

Area III - Technical Theatre

THE 2365 Drafting and Rendering

THE 3350 Make-Up

THE 3355 Scenic Painting and Texturing for Theatre, TV, and Film

THE3320 Costume Construction

THE 4300 Advanced Technical Theatre

Area IV - Theatre in the Community

THE 3200 Creative Drama

THE 3240 Theatre for Young Audiences

THE 3250 Creating Plays for Children

THE 3820 Children's Theatre on Tour

THE 3830 Kean Player's on Tour

THE 3840 Summer Theatre Workshop

Area V - Administration

THE 2450 Stage Management for Theatre

THE 3460 Theatre Administration

Area VI - Directing and Playwriting

THE 3400 Directing I

THE 4400 Directing II

THE 3260 Playwriting

Area VII - Voice and Movement

THE 2110 Movement for the Actor

THE 3120 Advanced Movement

THE 3160 Speak the Speech - Voice in Verse

THE 4110 Stage Dialects

Approved Courses in Literature for Theatre

ENG 2210 World Drama

ENG 3316 Elizabethan and Stuart Drama

ENG 3320 Restoration and 18th c Century Drama

ENG 3514 American Drama 1900-present

ENG 3515 Modern Drama

ENG 3555 Comedy

ENG 4405 Shakespeare Selected Plays

ENG 4421 Tennessee Williams

ENG 4430 Ibsen, Strindberg, Chekhov and Shaw

ID 2701 Plays: On Page and On Stage

Independent Study, Special Topics, Co-ops

THE 3961-3 Issues in Theatre 1-3 credits

THE 3975-7 Theatre Practicum 1-3 credits **

THE 3171, 3172, 3173, 3176, 3177 -Co-op 1-12 credits ** +

ID 3331-3 Public Performance 1-3 credits

ID 3341-3 Behind the Scenes 1-3 credits

** Contract Required

+ A maximum of 12 credits of co-op may be applied to the degree

Travel Learn

THE 4850 Contemporary American Regional Theatre

THE 4860 Contemporary British Theatre

THE 4870 Contemporary NY Theatre

THE 4880 Ancient Theatre in Greece and Turkey

Approved PED - DANC classes

PED 1022 Tai Chi

PED 1023 Yoga

PED 1101 Beginning Modern Dance

PED 1103 Beginning Jazz Dance

PED 1105 Beginning Ballet

PED 1108 Pilates

PED 1109 Zumba Fitness

PED 1110 Ballroom Dancing

PED 1113 Latin Dance

PED 1130 Cardio Fitness

PED 1151 Folk and Square Dance

DANC 2110 Technique & Theory of Ballet

DANC 2120 Technique & Theory of Modern Dance

DANC 2130 Technique & Theory of Jazz

DANC 2140 Musical Theatre Dance

DANC 2150 Styles of Dance

DANC 2160 Tap I

DANC 3160 Tap II