



PH.D DRAMA AND THEATRE
2023-2024 Degree Requirements

The following 10 required seminars must be completed by the end of the 3rd Year & a minimum of one seminar per academic year must be taken in the *UCSD Dept. of Theatre & Dance*:

- Drama 290:** Dramatic Lit and Theatre History Prior to 1900 (2 courses) _____ 8 units
- Drama 291:** Dramatic Lit and Theatre History, 1900 to Present (3 courses) _____ 8 units
- Drama 292:** Cultural and Critical Theory (4 courses) _____ 16 units
- 2 Additional Seminars** _____ 8 units

Additional required courses:

- Drama 293:** Directed Studies _____ units vary
- Drama 294:** Dissertation Research _____ units vary
- Drama 399:** University Teaching (4 courses) _____ 8 units

Optional Emphasis in Dramaturgy:

- Drama 244:** Dramaturgy: Theory and Methods (1 course) _____ 4 units
- Drama 297:** Dramaturgy Practicum (1 course) _____ 4 units
- Drama 290 or 291** (1 course) _____ 4 units

Foreign Language Requirement (must be completed by end of 3rd Year): _____

Comprehensive Examinations - 1st Year Written Exam: _____

Advancement to Candidacy: Qualifying Exam

Students MUST advance to candidacy no later than the end of fall quarter of their 4th Year.

- 2nd Year Winter Quarter: Select advisor
- 2nd Year Spring Quarter: Select committee (one from each campus)
Develop area of dissertation focus and reading list
- 3rd Year Fall Quarter: Prospectus due
- 3rd Year Winter Quarter: Qualifying paper due
- 3rd Year Spring Quarter: Oral exam

Notes:

A total of 144 quarter units in graduate (200+) or approved upper-division undergraduate (100-199) courses must be completed with a grade of at least "B" in each course. Forty of these units are taken in required seminars; the balance is made up of elective seminars, independent study and research projects (including preparing the three qualifying papers), and dissertation research. Normative time for completion of the degree is five years; total registered time in the Ph.D. program at UCI or UCSD cannot exceed seven years.