
Department of Theatre
School of the Arts

Messiah College EpiCenter / International Programs

Although EpiCenter programs are open to all students, there are some programs that may be of particular interest to students in the Department of Theatre. Below is a description of these opportunities. For more details, stop by the EpiCenter.

*"The world is a great book,
of which they who never stir from home read only a page."*

Resources available in the EpiCenter include:

- ***Applications***
- ***Brochures / Catalogs / Videos***
- ***Course Listings***
- ***International Student Identity Cards***
- ***Fact Sheets***
- ***Passport Photos***

Information is provided about:

- ***Costs***
- ***Deadlines***
- ***Names of Program Advisors***
- ***Passports***
- ***Requirements***
- ***Traveling/Studying Abroad***

Australia Studies Centre

Adventure, academics and art! The Sidney-based Wesley Institute provides students with an opportunity to live in this coastal city, to experience Australian culture, and to study visual, theatrical, and musical arts. Students travel to the Blue Mountains and Jenolan Caves and to the capital city of Canberra.

- ✓ Junior or senior status (Will consider sophomores).
- ✓ 2.75 GPA

Options include courses such as: Acting, Voice, Movement, Theatre History, Introduction to Production, Introduction to Drama, Musical Theatre Performance, Performance Project, Production Project, and dance classes, as well as The Christian Artist in Culture, and The Christian Artist in the Industry.

Gaiety School of Acting

This three-week January Term course takes place in Dublin, Ireland. According to the program syllabus, the course “combines the literary study of plays with work in the craft of acting . . .” In addition to classroom instruction, students visit various Irish museums and theaters, as well as participate in a final performance / reception.

- ✓ Junior or senior status
- ✓ 3.0 or better in two theatre courses
- ✓ Permission of the theatre faculty

Internships

Students who participate in the Messiah College Internship Program have opportunities to test their educational theories as they preview possible career options.

- ✓ Junior or senior status
- ✓ 2.5 GPA

Recent internships include the Arden Theatre (Philadelphia), Ohio Light Opera (Wooster, OH), Shakespeare and Company (Lennox, MA).

London Internship Program

The London Internship Program, sponsored by Arcadia University: Center for Education Abroad, offers internships and academic study for a semester in London, England. Students are placed in field experiences related to their majors and take classes offered by faculty at Arcadia or City University.

- ✓ Junior or senior status
- ✓ 3.0 GPA
- ✓ Completion of at least three theatre courses

Internships are offered in a variety of areas. Students have interned at Green Candle Dance Company, Shaftesbury Theatre, and Battersea Arts Centre.

O'Neill National Theater Institute

This intensive theater program offers students a unique opportunity to study acting, directing, playwriting, movement and voice, and design in a conservatory setting. Students are immersed in theater studies; classes take place seven days a week! Students typically take educational excursions to train with professional theater companies in Stratford-upon-Avon, England or St. Petersburg or Moscow, Russia.

- ✓ Sophomore, Junior, or Senior status
- ✓ Must be in good academic standing

Philadelphia Campus

Studying at Philadelphia allows students to have the benefits of a large university and the closeness of a small community as they experience an urban culture.

- ✓ Sophomore, junior, or senior status
- ✓ 2.5 GPA

Students can take classes from Temple's theatre department, such as Technical Theatre Production, Stage Management, Acting Technique, and costume design. There are also opportunities for students to participate in internships in Philadelphia.

To discover more opportunities, visit the EpiCenter Online: www.messiah.edu/studyabroad

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