

MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

December 16, 2005

MEMORANDUM

TO: Dr. June Youatt, Assistant Provost for Undergraduate Education
and Dean of Undergraduate Studies

FROM: Dr. Linda O. Stanford, Assistant Provost for Academic Services and
Registrar

RE: Request to Establish a Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree in Theatre
For Transmittal to the University Committee on Academic Policy (UCAP)

The request referenced above is being sent to you for action by the University Committee on Academic Policy (UCAP).

The Department of Theatre is requesting a new Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree in Theatre. The college-level requirements for the Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree require a minimum grade-point average of 2.00 in courses in the major that will count toward the degree. (*See the attached requirement*) The department is also requesting in the requirements that students complete a concentration in either Acting or in Design with a minimum grade-point of 2.00 in each course completed for the concentration.

UCAP Response Requested:

Please ask the UCAP, at its meeting on January 19, 2006, to consider the request to require a minimum grade-point of 2.00 in each course completed for the concentration in Acting or in Design within the degree requirements.

Please mail the related materials referenced under the heading Attachments at the end of this memorandum to the members of the UCAP.

The academic program request referenced above will be included on the agenda for the January 12, 2006 meeting of Subcommittee C, University Committee on Curriculum (UCC). Requests that are approved by Subcommittee C on January 12 will be before the Full Committee, UCC, for action on February 2, 2006. Requests that are approved by the Full Committee on February 2 will be included in the February 21, 2006, Report of the UCC to the Academic Council.

If you have any questions about this memorandum or the attached materials, please call me at 5-8420. Thank you for your help.

Attachments:

1. Request for a New Academic Program form dated October 20, 2005; Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree in Theatre and attachments.

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