

THTR - 797 - Creative Project

2 Graduate Course Change 2020-21

I. General Information

The faculty member originating this proposal is to complete sections I,II, and III.

TURN ON help text before starting this proposal by clicking  in the top right corner of the heading.

You will need to turn on help text again after any actions that refresh the page including after saving proposals, importing information, or running impact reports.

IMPORT curriculum data from the Catalog by clicking  in the top left corner.

Do not make any changes to any information until the proposal has been launched in Step 4.

Department*

Theatre

Prefix*

THTR

Number* 797

Long Course Name* Creative Project

FILL IN ONLY fields required marked with an * after importing data. You will not be able to launch the proposal without completing required fields. Do not make proposed changes to the information that was imported until after the proposal has been launched in Step 4. Changes will only be tracked after the proposal is launched

Short Course Name* CREATIVE PROJECT

Catalog Description*

Planning and execution of a major creative proposal as a thesis production and project.

Tips for Catalog Description (above)

avoid the use of the words *student*, *course*, and *covers*

incomplete sentences are ok

avoid repeating the course title

Summary of Proposed Changes*


- Prefix
- Course #
- Name
- Description
- Credits/Grading
- PreReqs/CoReqs
- Instructional Mode
- Other

Effective Term and Year*

Spring 2020

Justification for Course Change:*

CREATIVE PROJECT in a Theatre MFA degree program is the equivalent of a Master's Thesis and/or a Dissertation in a Doctoral program as an MFA is a TERMINAL DEGREE. Consequently, the grading system for THTR 797 Creative Project should be the same: "S" for Satisfactory progress, "F" for Unsatisfactory (or failing) progress, and "X" for ongoing progress toward a culminating experience. It is astonishing to me (the proposer) that it has taken this long for us to recognize this disparity. This proposal will correct this.

Run an Impact Report by clicking  in the top left corner and answer below according to the results. Copy and paste the results below:

Degree and/or certificate program(s) impacted by this change (Results of Impact Report)*

Impact Report for THTR 797

Source: 2020-2021 Working Graduate Catalog	
Programs	Master of Fine Arts - Theatre

This is exactly right - THTR 797 is required across all sub-plans of the MFA in Theatre and all should share the same grading options.

Substantive changes will necessitate a Program Change form be submitted.

Detail the changes to the program catalog entry required due to this change.*

In the same way that THTR 798 Thesis includes:

"Grading
S/F grading only"

THTR 797 should include this notation.

It yes, list the course

Are you adding a Service-Learning designation to this course? Yes No

If the Service-Learning designation is being added to this course:

A syllabus in Word or PDF format must accompany this form.

Graduate syllabi must meet the minimum criteria as required by the Provost's office (See Semester Memo under Executive Vice President and Provost Policies and Forms www.unlv.edu/policies). Graduate courses that are linked to undergraduate courses (300/500 and 400/600 level joint courses) must clearly state in the syllabus how the class experience and expectations are different for graduate students, what additional requirements students enrolled in the graduate level course must fulfill, and how the grading scale will be applied to graduate students.

Please attach a current syllabus by navigating to the Proposal Toolbox and clicking  in the top right corner.

Information about Service-Learning is available [here](#). Faculty can visit the [faculty Service-Learning page](#) as well as the [UNLV Guide for Service Learning](#) for additional information.

If adding Service-Learning designation, syllabus is attached Attached

II. Course Change Information

Please review all sections below and make necessary changes after you launch the proposal.

Credit change

Fixed/Variable Credits Fixed Variable

If fixed, enter number of credits. If variable, enter minimum and maximum credits (E.g., 1-3)

Number of Credits 1 - 12

Course is Repeatable Yes No

If yes, the maximum number of credits that may be earned is

Grading Change

- Grading System**
- Letter Grade
 - S/U
 - S/F
 - Thesis/Dissertation

Does this course have any non-credit components? Yes No

- If yes, indicate component(s)**
- Clinical
 - Discussion
 - Field Studies
 - Independent Study
 - Internship
 - Laboratory
 - Lecture
 - Practicum
 - Research
 - Seminar
 - Supervision
 - Thesis Research

Requisite Change

(if any) - Graduate standing is the default prerequisite for all graduate-level courses.

Prerequisites Subject to M.F.A. program requirements.

Corequisites

- Instructional Modes**
- In Person Supplemental Web
 - Field Study
 - Hybrid
 - Independent Study
 - Television
 - Web-based
 - Web-based w/ on/off campus meeting

III. Evaluation of Library Resources

Indicate library resources that will be needed as a result of changes to this course (if applicable)

Will this course change require changes to library resources?*

Yes No


Core Journals


Core Books

Electronic Resources

4. LAUNCH proposal by clicking  in the top left corner.

5. After launching the proposal, make all changes and fill in all additional fields.

6. Finish the launch of your proposal by clicking the icon  located in the Proposal Toolbox on left side at top. Make your decision, comment is optional, and click on "Make decision".

You can check the status of the proposal by clicking  in Proposal Toolbox to verify that the proposal has gone to the next step.

This section is completed by the librarian

Level of support the Library can provide

Library Comments


IV. Department Vote Information

Note: This section is to be filled out by the Department Chair on behalf of the committee.

(The role has been assigned to the corresponding person on this step. If incorrect, please notify GradCurriculum@unlv.edu)

1. Review the proposal. Discuss and make appropriate revisions.

2. Fill in vote information.

3. Then go to the proposal toolbox at the top right side. Click on  and select the corresponding decision for the committee. This will enable the proposal to go to the next person on the workflow.

You can check the status of the proposal by clicking  in Proposal Toolbox to verify that the proposal has gone to the next step.

Date faculty voted on proposal March 3, 2020


Result of vote 12 yes/0 no/0 abstention
(Number of yes/no /abstention votes)

Manner of vote In-person
(online, in-person, etc.)

V. Unit Vote Information

Note: This section is to be filled out by the College Committee Chair on behalf of the committee.

(The role has been assigned to the corresponding person on this step. If incorrect, please notify GradCurriculum@unlv.edu)

1. Review the proposal. Discuss and make appropriate revisions.
2. Fill in vote information.
3. Then go to the proposal toolbox at the top right side. Click on  and select the corresponding decision for the committee. This will enable the proposal to go to the next person on the workflow.

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Date faculty voted on proposal

Result of vote
(Number of yes/no /abstention votes)

Manner of vote
(online, in-person, etc.)

VII. Processing Notes (Graduate College/Registrar Use Only)

PS Processing Notes

PS Processing Date

Initials

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Comments for THTR - 797 - Creative Project

Curriculog	4/22/2020 1:20 pm Reply
James Navalta has approved this proposal on behalf of Graduate Course Review Committee. See Graduate Course Review Committee 04-15-2020 for more information.	
Curriculog	3/18/2020 8:28 am Reply
Patrick Clark has approved this proposal on School/College Associate Dean for Graduate Studies/ Dean.	
Francisco Menendez	3/16/2020 9:42 am Reply
Five votes approval.	
Curriculog	3/16/2020 9:42 am Reply
Francisco Menendez has approved this proposal on School/College Committee.	
Curriculog	3/11/2020 5:55 pm Reply
Patrick Clark has approved this proposal on School/College Committee.	
Theatre Chair	3/11/2020 9:54 am Reply
Unanimous support of faculty.	
Curriculog	3/11/2020 9:54 am Reply
Theatre Chair has approved this proposal on Department Chair.	
Theatre Graduate Coordinator	3/9/2020 4:54 pm Reply
Unanimously supported by the department faculty	
Curriculog	3/9/2020 4:54 pm Reply
Theatre Graduate Coordinator has approved this proposal on Graduate Coordinator.	
Curriculog	12/13/2019 9:43 am Reply
Graduate Curriculum has approved this proposal on Technical Review.	
Curriculog	12/12/2019 7:33 pm Reply
Shannon Sumpter has approved this proposal on Originator.	

Curriculog

12/12/2019 7:29 pm [Reply](#)

Shannon Sumpter has launched this proposal.