

Theater Program Review



A Midsummer Night's Dream - Fall 2007

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Mission Statement

The Northern Essex Community College Theater Program strives to set the standard of excellence for two-year theater training programs. This program prepares students for transfer to four-year institutions as theater majors, or to pursue other fields, such as education, law, business management, or communications, with the kind of liberal arts experience only a theater program can provide.

How does the Theater program accomplish
the mission and core values of NECC?

Student Engagement

Rumors ~ Spring 2007

How does the Theater program accomplish
the mission and core values of NECC?

Collaborative Learning

How does the Theater program accomplish the mission and core values of NECC?

Diversity



In Darfur ~ Spring 2008

How does the Theater program accomplish
the mission and core values of NECC?

Excellence

As You Like It ~ Fall 2003

How does the theater program satisfy NECC's institutional goals as defined in the Strategic plan?



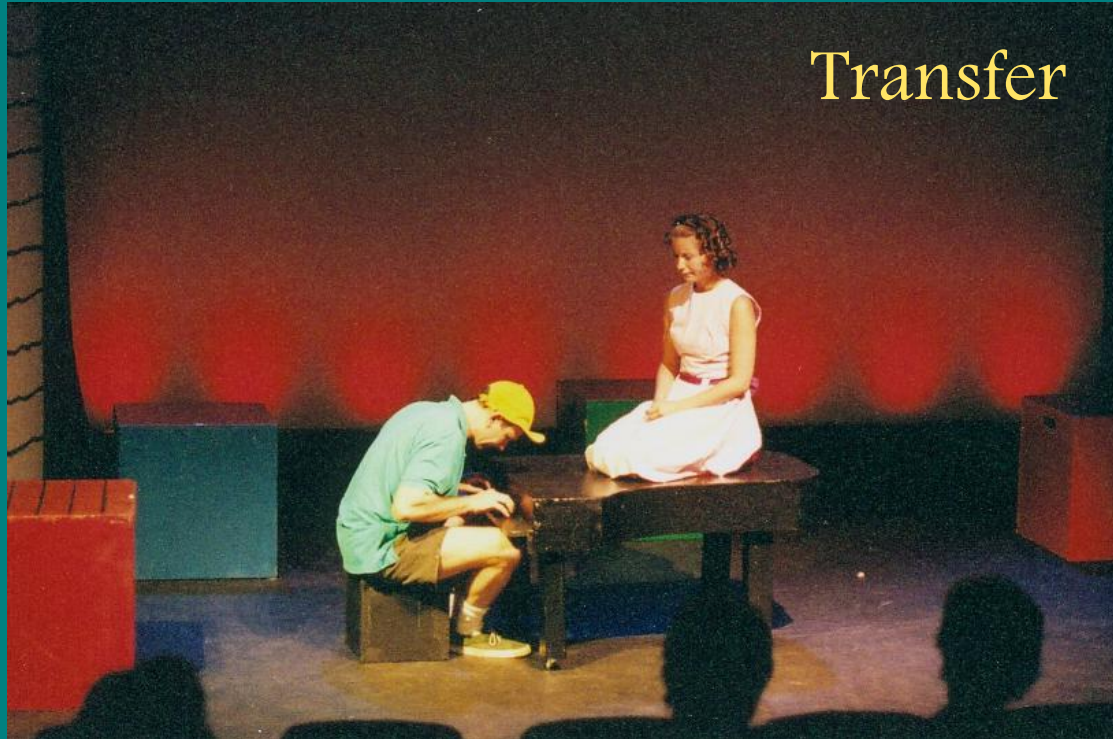
Active Learning

Rumors ~ Spring 2007

How does the theater program satisfy the institutional goals as defined in the Strategic Plan?

“Be the first and best resource for the community.”

How does the Theater Program define student success?



BFA ~ Theater

BA ~ Theater Education

Other majors

You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown ~ Summer 2004

The NECC Fringe Players

How does the Theater Program define student success?



Time Management

The Mousetrap ~ Spring 2004

How does the Theater Program define student success?

Recognition

Kennedy Center
American College Theater Festival

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How does the Theater Program define student success?

Passion

Community Theater



Dead Man Walking ~ Spring 2009

Program Demand, Completion and Retention

Demand

Completion

Retention

Blood Brothers ~ Fall 2004

Faculty



Advantages

Disadvantages

Rocky Mountain National Park ~ Summer 2007

Classroom(s)

Classroom

Scene Shop

Laboratory

Theater



Dead Man Walking ~ Spring 2009

Areas of Strength

Strong Support for Core Values

Theater Program facilitates the Strategic Plan

Multiple measures & indicators of Student Success

Consistent enrollment

Curricular & extracurricular experiences

Dedicated faculty

Areas of Weakness

Enrollment

Retention

Minority Students

The Exonerated - Spring 2009

Action Plans



Pirates of Penzance ~ Summer 2005
The Fringe Players

Enrollment

- ❖ Recruitment
- ❖ Publicity
- ❖ Website

Retention

- ❖ Progress Reports

Minority Students

- ❖ Lawrence class

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The End