

PROFESSIONAL THEATRE (ACTING)

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3 YEARS

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If you would like to:

- Act on stage or in films
- Rehearse and perform with other creative people
- Develop your physical and vocal skills
- Build characters and investigate theatrical texts
- Establish interpersonal and professional communication skills
- Network with members of Montreal's theatre scene

Then the Professional Theatre (Acting) Program could be for you.



My memories of making truthful art surrounded by like-minded individuals in Dawson's theatre program will last a lifetime.

— Vassiliki G.

As a student in the Professional Theatre (Acting) Program, you will be trained to work as a professional actor. Working in dedicated rehearsal spaces and performing in a modern theatre, you will be prepared for performance both before the camera as well as on stage. The skills acquired in the Professional Theatre (Acting) Program will allow you to be an excellent communicator in any field.

What will you learn?

- To master movement techniques, as well as voice and speech techniques
- To situate theatrical works in their historical perspective
- To stay in physical shape to keep up with the demands of the profession
- To develop an artistic sensibility
- To manage one's professional life

Where will this program lead you?

Graduates often find employment as stage actors, in film and in voice performance industries. Others go on to pursue university studies in dramaturgy, drama therapy or further studies in theatre. Transferrable skills acquired in the Professional Theatre (Acting) Program can lead to a career in law, sales or other people-oriented domains.

What do you need to apply?

- A Diploma of Secondary Studies (DES) or academic background judged equivalent to the DES
- Audition*

*For the most up-to-date and complete details, visit www.dawsoncollege.qc.ca/professional-theatre

What else should you know?

As a student in the program, you will attend plays by Montreal professional theatre companies and benefit from professional artists currently working in the performing Arts who will help you hone your ability to market your skills.

You will also perform in five productions at Dawson's very own theatre, complete with the latest sound equipment, costume shop and set-building workshop.

Application Deadline

March 1



LIST OF SPECIFIC COURSES

All students must also take **General Education** courses such as **English, French, Humanities and Physical Education**, in addition to complementary courses.

YEAR 1

Term 1	Term 3	Term 5
<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Movement for Actors I▪ Improvisation I▪ Voice and Speech I▪ Acting I (Character)▪ Acting I (Analysis)▪ Text I▪ History and Literature I	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Movement for Actors III▪ Improvisation III▪ Voice and Speech III▪ Acting III▪ Make-up, Rehearsal and Performance I▪ Text III▪ History and Literature III	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Movement for Actors V▪ Improvisation V▪ Voice and Speech V▪ Acting V – Rehearsal▪ Acting Before the Camera I▪ Rehearsal and Performance I▪ History and Literature V▪ Singing I▪ Career Management
Term 2	Term 4	Term 6
<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Movement for Actors II▪ Improvisation II▪ Voice and Speech II▪ Acting II (Character)▪ Acting II (Analysis)▪ Text II▪ History and Literature II	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Movement for Actors IV▪ Improvisation IV▪ Voice and Speech IV▪ Acting IV▪ Make-up, Rehearsal and Performance II▪ Text IV▪ History and Literature IV	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Movement for Actors VI▪ Voice and Speech VI▪ Acting VI - Rehearsal▪ Acting Before the Camera II▪ Rehearsal and Performance II▪ History and Literature VI▪ Singing II