

**WILMINGTON UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY
BASIC COURSE INFORMATION**

COURSE TITLE: Acting I

COURSE NUMBER: DRA 110

ADDITIONAL MATERIAL: 1 VHS videotape (bring to 1st class meeting)

I. MAJOR INSTRUCTIONAL GOALS:

GOAL A: To recognize and understand the various acting styles

Learning Objectives: The student will:

- A-1 Identify various acting styles
- A-2. Demonstrate ability to perform in the different acting styles

GOAL B: To investigate various techniques for creating a character analysis

Learning Objectives: The student will:

- B-1. Investigate and apply various techniques for examining characters
- B-2. Properly identify a character on various levels
- B-3. Use character analysis to properly portray character

GOAL C: To understand the relationship between voice and body and the character

Learning Objectives: The student will:

- C-1. Learn the role of the body when working on a character
- C-2. Learn the role of the voice when working on a character
- C-3 Learn to integrate voice and body into a believable character

GOAL D: The student will use appropriate written oral communication skills

Learning Outcomes: The student will:

- D-1. Communicate information orally in a logical and grammatical manner
- D-2. Present written information using standard APA style (where applicable)

II. CLASS PARTICIPATION:

Students are expected to attend class and participate actively and in a positive way. Questions and relevant observations are encouraged and enrich the experience of the entire class.

Computers in the classrooms are intended to be used as tools to enhance the students' learning experience. Instant messaging, gaming, emailing, and surfing the web are distractions to the

student, the surrounding students, and the instructor and constitute inappropriate behavior. Students are ethically obliged to avoid these and similar practices.