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**New Course Request**

<b>SDSU</b>	<b>Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences / School of Performing Arts</b>
<b>Institution</b>	<b>Division/Department</b>

<b>Institutional Approval Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>
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**Section 1. Course Title and Description**

Prefix & No.	Course Title	Credits
THEA 346	Theatre Activities – Technical	1

<b>Course Description</b>	Credit earned by backstage and crew work. May be repeated for a total of 8 credits.
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**Pre-requisites or Co-requisites**

Prefix & No.	Course Title	Pre-Req/Co-Req?
None		

**Registration Restrictions**

None
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**Section 2. Review of Course**

2.1. Was the course first offered as an experimental course?  Yes  No

2.2. Will this be a unique or common course?

Unique Course

Prefix & No.	Course Title	Credits
THEA 145	Theatre Activities – Technical	1

Provide explanation of differences between proposed course and existing system catalog courses below:

First and second year students will take THEA 145 and third and fourth year students will take THEA 346.
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**Section 3. Other Course Information**

3.1. Are there instructional staffing impacts?

No. Schedule Management, explain below: This course would be offered each semester. There would be no additional workload for faculty, as practicum credits are already being taught and are part of the existing assignments.

3.2. Existing program(s) in which course will be offered: Theatre (BA/BS)

3.3. Proposed instructional method by university: A - Studio

3.4. Proposed delivery method by university: 001 – Face to Face Term Based Instruction

3.5. Term change will be effective: Fall 2019

3.6. Can students repeat the course for additional credit?  Yes, total credit limit: 8  No

3.7. Will grade for this course be limited to S/U (pass/fail)?  Yes  No

3.8. Will section enrollment be capped?  Yes, max per section:  No

3.9. Will this course equate (i.e., be considered the same course for degree completion) with any other unique or common courses in the common course system database in Colleague and the Course Inventory Report?  Yes  No

3.10. Is this prefix approved for your university?  Yes  No

**Section 4. Department and Course Codes (Completed by University Academic Affairs)**

4.1. University Department Code: SPAR

4.2. Proposed CIP Code: 50.0502

Is this a new CIP code for the university?  Yes  No

**NEW COURSE REQUEST  
Supporting Justification for On-Campus Review**

Corey Shelsta <b>Request Originator</b>	Corey Shelsta <b>Signature</b>	3/21/2019 <b>Date</b>
David Reynolds <b>Department Chair</b>	David Reynolds <b>Signature</b>	3/21/2019 <b>Date</b>
Jason Zimmerman <b>School/College Dean</b>	Jason Zimmerman <b>Signature</b>	3/22/2019 <b>Date</b>

- Provide specific reasons for the proposal of this course and explain how the changes enhance the curriculum.  
The School of Performing Arts is increasing the number of activities (practicum) credits required for the Theatre major. THEA 346 would be used for upper division activities credits for third and fourth year students.
- Note whether this course is:  Required  Elective
- In addition to the major/program in which this course is offered, what other majors/programs will be affected by this course?  
None
- If this will be a dual listed course, indicate how the distinction between the two levels will be made.  
N/A
- Desired section size: 20
- Provide qualifications of faculty who will teach this course. List name(s), rank(s), and degree(s).  
Corey Shelsta, MFA., Professor  
Billy Wilburn, MFA., Associate Professor
- Note whether adequate facilities are available and list any special equipment needed for the course.  
No special equipment is needed and adequate facilities are available.
- Note whether adequate library and media support are available for the course.  
There is adequate library and media support available.
- Will the new course duplicate courses currently being offered on this campus?  Yes  No
- If this course may be offered for variable credit, explain how the amount of credit at each offering is to be determined.  
N/A