

Why Be a Drama Major?

- **Acquire** skills businesses are looking for: creative thinking, collaborative work, excellent time management, and the ability to stand on your feet and speak publicly.
- **Explore** important spiritual, political, psychological, and emotional issues that affect our everyday lives.
- **Develop** strong critical thinking skills, maintain a healthy, energetic, and flexible body, and hone your creative expression.



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“I was drawn to CUA for the family. All members of the community are working towards the same goal. If you want to help the world, it is the CUA Drama Department that will get you there.”

— **Bridget Grace Sheaff**
Class of 2014

- Located on a beautiful green campus, CUA is nestled in the up-and-coming Brookland community just minutes from the heart of Washington, D.C.
- We provide **connections to more than 70 professional theatre companies** in the D.C. community, and our students receive opportunities with such prestigious institutions as **Arena Stage**, the **Kennedy Center**, **Signature Theatre**, **Woolly Mammoth Theatre**, and more.
- Our B.A. program incorporates **academic rigor** with **top-notch theatrical productions**, giving you both excellent training in the theatrical field and a scholarly foundation in the liberal arts. We **encourage double majoring** because theatre supports all fields.
- We teach acting, directing, playwriting, design, production, literary analysis, and stagecraft, giving you a **comprehensive look at the art** and the **opportunity to focus on your interests**. Why?
 - You gain an **understanding and practical knowledge** of all the elements of theatre.
 - You discover additional aspects of theatre that **spark your passion**.
- We train **professionals who work consistently** in the performing arts and other exciting fields. By studying in the Department of Drama, you will:
 - Gain **marketable skills** in the scene shop, costume shop, box office, and business office.
 - Apply the knowledge you learn in the classroom immediately in **professional quality productions**.
 - Connect with a **network of alumni** who are willing to mentor you.
 - Use the training and connections we provide to find **employment opportunities**.

Apply and join our CUA family.