## UMBC UGC Change in Existing Course: <u>THTR 341: Theatre Ensemble II</u>

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**COURSE INFORMATION:** (please provide all information in the "current" column, and only the information changing in the "proposed" column)

change		current	proposed
Х	Course Number(s)	341	405
	Formal Title	Theatre Ensemble II	
	Transcript Title (≤30c)	Theatre Ensemble II	
	Recommended Course Preparation	none	
Х	Prerequisite NOTE: Unless otherwise indicated, a prerequisite is assumed to be passed with a "D" or better.	THTR 241 Ensemble I	THTR 305 Ensemble I passed with a grade of C or better.
	# of Credits Must adhere to the <u>UMBC Credit Hour</u> Policy	3	
	Repeatable?	X Yes	🗌 Yes No
	Max. Total Credits	6	
	Grading Method(s)	X Reg (A-F) 🗌 Audit 🗌 Pass-Fail	🗌 Reg (A-F) 🗌 Audit 🗌 Pass-Fail

## CURRENT CATALOG DESCRIPTION:

An advanced course in the creative and collaborative process of theatre-making. Students participate as directors, designers, writers, adapter and performers to create works in a process that allows for a deeper investigation of performance style, genres or methods. Students, in consultation with the instructor, design appropriate research activities and develop ensemble methods to create their performance pieces. This is a non-production focused course; the semester culminates in a presentation of works-in-progress. Recommended Course Preparation: THTR 202 and THTR 244 and 200-level design. This course is repeatable for a maximum of 6 credits or 2 attempts.

## PROPOSED CATALOG DESCRIPTION

An advanced course in the creative and collaborative process of theatre-making. Students participate as directors, designers, writers, adapter and performers to create works in a process that allows for a deeper investigation of performance style, genres or methods. Students, in consultation with the instructor, design appropriate research activities and develop ensemble methods to create their performance pieces. This is a non-production focused course; the semester culminates in a presentation of works-in-progress.

## **RATIONALE FOR CHANGE:**

With the appropriate change of Theatre Ensemble I to a 300-level course, Theatre Ensemble II becomes THTR 405 with THTR 305 as a prerequisite.