ABOUT A DEGREE IN DRAMA
Drama teaches students the skills necessary for careers in the acting, writing, marketing, directing and editing fields. The program also equips graduates with the skills necessary for efficient and effective visual and oral communication, provides opportunities to gain personal and professional contacts, offer a broad base of knowledge and experiences, and to provide information to make informed career decisions.

RELATED SKILLS
Create powerful images with sight, sound, motion & words
Ability to write clearly
Write press releases, scripts, or other promotional materials
Effective speaking
Present specific viewpoints
Influential/persuasion skills
Synthesizing information
Create entertaining and persuasive messages
Demonstrate creativity and artistic expression
Define hypotheses
Critical thinking skills
Evaluate information and sources
Planning and managing skills
Work with deadlines
Work independently
Attention to details
Work in teams /small groups
Reporting and editing skills
Interpretation skills
Evaluate ideas and presentations
Improvisation skills

HIRING INSTITUTIONS
National Theater Companies
Theme Parks
Children’s Theaters
Community Theaters
Universities
Public School Systems
Television Stations
Radio Stations
Dinner Theaters
Touring Shows
United States Army
Opera Houses
Private Schools

RELATED WEBSITES
Career Services, University of Oklahoma
Weitzenhoffer Family College of Fine Arts, OU
Acting Careers
Television and Radio Employment
Magazine Publishers of America
TV Jobs: Broadcast Employment Services
Job Links for Actors and Actresses
American Theater Information
www.hiresooner.com
www.ou.edu/finearts/
www.entertainmentcareers.net
http://tvandradiojobs.com
www.magazine.org
www.tvjobs.com/index_a.htm
www.theatermirror.com/websites.htm
www.americantheaterweb.com