School of Theatre, Television, and Film
Orientation Handout Fall 2020

Contact Information for TTF Advisors:

Until further notice, all Advising will take place virtually using Zoom or via email. To access Zoom information and to find your advisor’s open office hours, visit the TTF Advising Information Google Doc

Advisors can also be reached by email:
- TFM Advisor/Head of Undergraduate Advising, TTF
  Stuart Voytilla
  Email: svoytilla@sdsu.edu

- Theatre Advisor:
  Dr. Katie Turner
  Email: laura.turner@sdsu.edu

Important dates:
- First day of classes: August 24th
- General Auditions: August 27th, Self-Tape Auditions due by 5pm (See the TTF Fall 2020 Auditions doc for details)
- TTF Fall Convocation First week of classes (Monday or Wednesday, 12-1pm). Exact date and Zoom link will be provided by August 1st
- Add/drop deadline (last chance to change class schedule): September 4th by 7:59pm
- Census Date (first date students can change major or emphasis): September 21st
  (The full academic calendar for Fall can be found here)

Checklist—Things to do to connect yourself fully to the School of Theater, Television, and Film!

☐ Check that the email address on Blackboard is correct. (visit https://blackboard.sdsu.edu)

**We highly recommend you use your SDSU email address; alternatively, have your SDSU email forward to your preferred email address to avoid missing important information

☐ Check for email from Angie Parkhurst (TTF Coordinator); if nothing received by August 28th, major advisor should be notified

☐ Check your SDSU EMAIL for information from courses being taught using Canvas (some instructors are opting to use the Canvas system instead of Blackboard. Communications from Canvas ONLY go to your SDSU email address. You MUST check this to be sure you understand whether any of your courses are using Canvas.)

☐ Submit Audition Self-Tape by August 27th at 5pm (Required for Performance students, optional for others)

☐ Bookmark the TTF Advising Information Google Doc--visit regularly to see TTF info, as well as find advisor’s availability
TTF 2020-2021 Mainstage Season Information

Find descriptions and dates for our season [here](#).

**Student Club Information**

TTF has a robust student-club community. For a full list and contact information, visit [here](#).

**Emphases Within the Majors.** (For complete details on each emphasis, visit [https://ttf.sdsu.edu/](https://ttf.sdsu.edu/))

- Television, Film, and New Media:
  a. Critical Studies
  b. Production (requires Petition Portfolio to advance)
  c. TFM Minor in Critical Studies
- Theatre:
  a. General Theatre (ideal for those undecided, those with a strong interest in directing or stage management, or those who have a wide variety of interests)
  b. Performance (requires audition)
  c. Design and Technology (includes classes specific to TV and Film)
  d. Design for TV and Film
  e. Youth Theatre
  f. Theatre Minor