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## **Life on the Stage**

The theater offerings in UCSB's Department of Theater and Dance — an acting track as well as concentrations in directing, design, playwriting, theater studies and more — fit the bill for aspiring performers, directors, writers and academics alike. By instilling passion and imparting knowledge, the department allows students to find their voice, to build their skills and to grow as actors, as well as people.

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### **About UC Santa Barbara**

The University of California, Santa Barbara is a leading research institution that also provides a comprehensive liberal arts learning experience. Our academic community of faculty, students, and staff is characterized by a culture of interdisciplinary collaboration that is responsive to the needs of our multicultural and global society. All of this takes place within a living and learning environment like no other, as we draw inspiration from the beauty and resources of our extraordinary location at the edge of the Pacific Ocean.