

## UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI PALERMO

DEPARTMENT	Scienze Umanistiche
ACADEMIC YEAR	2017/2018
BACHELOR'S DEGREE (BSC)	ARTS, MUSIC AND PERFORMING ARTS
SUBJECT	HISTORY OF DIRECTION
TYPE OF EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITY	В
AMBIT	50158-Musica e spettacolo, tecniche della moda e delle produzioni artistiche
CODE	13028
SCIENTIFIC SECTOR(S)	L-ART/05
HEAD PROFESSOR(S)	SICA ANNA Professore Ordinario Univ. di PALERMO
OTHER PROFESSOR(S)	
CREDITS	6
INDIVIDUAL STUDY (Hrs)	120
COURSE ACTIVITY (Hrs)	30
PROPAEDEUTICAL SUBJECTS	
MUTUALIZATION	
YEAR	1
TERM (SEMESTER)	2° semester
ATTENDANCE	Not mandatory
EVALUATION	Out of 30
TEACHER OFFICE HOURS	SICA ANNA
	Tuesday 10:00 14:00 Viale delle Scienze Ed.12, settimo piano, stanza 711

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PREREQUISITES	No prerequisite
LEARNING OUTCOMES	Exploration of the themes that concern theories and techniques of the theatre directing. The aims is to offer the capability to develop a research field on origins and developments of theatre directing. Acquisition of the capability to individualise the artistic and cultural of directing in different types of productions.
ASSESSMENT METHODS	oral exam : a) 30-30 cum laude; b) 27-29; c) 24-26; d) 21-23; e) 18-21; f) not sufficient
EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES	Analysis of the fundamental directing rules in Realism, neo-Realism and post- Naturalism. Specifically, the goal is to reach an extended knowledge that can be able to individualise further themes and researching field on theatre directing.
TEACHING METHODS	The course includes 15 sessions - all sessions are two hours long
SUGGESTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	Angelo Maria Ripellino, Il trucco e l'anima: I maestri della regia nel teatro russo nel Novecento, Einaudi, 2002  Anna Sica, La regia teatrale di Arthur Penn, (il docente fornira' il pdf del volume ai frequentanti, 2002 /o/or/ /edited by Robert H. Hethmon, Lee Strasberg at the Actor's Studio, Theatre Communication Group, 1996.  Peter Brook, Lo spazio vuoto (The Empty Space), Bulzoni, 1999 /o/or/ Maria Shevtsova, Robert Wilson, Routeledge, 2007.  Kostantin Sergei Stanislavkij, Le mie regie teatrali, o I Tomo 'Il gabbiano (The Seagull)', o Il tomo 'Zio Vanja (Uncle Vanja)', o Ill tomo 'Il giardino dei ciliegi (The Cherry Orchard)', Ubulibri /o/or/ Gli spettacoli goldoniani di Giorgio Strehler 1947-1991, Bulzoni, 1992.  Anna Sica, Chekhov Poetic and Social Realism on the Italian Stage 1924-1964, New Theatre Quartely, Cambridge University Press, 2008; Anna Sica, Chekhov Poetic and Social Realism: Communication beyond Classification, Culturalstudies.it, 2008 (il docente fornira' i pdf dei saggi).

## **SYLLABUS**

Hrs	Frontal teaching	
30	Title of the course: Origins, Forms and Developments of the Theatre Directing; Actors' Direction and Stage Direction:	
	1.Actors' Direction	
	2.Stage Direction	
	3.The Nineteenth-Century Theatre Directing	
	4.Direction's rules: from Realism to the Physical Actions' System	
	5.The Method 's Directing: Lee Strasberg	
	6. Arthur Penn's Work	
	7. Improvisation in Naturalistic Theatre Directing	
	8.Chekhov and Theatre Directing	
	9. Luchino Visconti's Chekhovian Productions	
	10. Giorgio Strehler's Theatre Directing: from Realism to Symbolism, His Goldonian Productions	
	11. Literary and Politics in Strehler's Theatre Directing	
	12.Peter Brooke's Theatre Directing	
	13.Robert Wilson's Theatre Directing	
	14.One Actor-Play's Directing	
	15.Contemporary Directing Method: Directing without Acting	