

**Hixson-Lied College of Fine and Performing Arts
Johnny Carson School of Theatre and Film**

**Learning Outcomes for a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Theatre Arts
with an Emphasis in Film and New Media Production**

When students graduate with an Emphasis in Film and New Media, they will be able to:

1. Demonstrate an understanding of each of the three phases of motion picture production: pre-production, production, post-production and will have utilized this understanding by applying established organizational techniques to their own productions.
2. Develop an understanding of the motion picture industry and the range of career options available within the industry.
3. Gain an understanding of story as it relates to narrative movie-making and apply that understanding to screenplays that they write.
4. Develop and produce movies from concept through completion utilizing original scripts and both digital and traditional motion picture technology.
5. Develop an aesthetic sense in both screenwriting and as directly applied to *mise-en-scene* within individual movie projects.
6. Develop and demonstrate a technical proficiency in motion picture lighting, sound, editing, camera and production organization.
7. Solve both technical and aesthetic problems that arise during the three phases of the production process.
8. Demonstrate an understanding of digital media, web site design and the production process for a range of digital applications.
9. Demonstrate through study and practice an understanding of acting and directing for both stage and screen.
10. Demonstrate their understanding that the movie making process is a collaborative art form by filling a variety of crew positions on student projects during their tenure in the FNM program.