

## MEMO

To: Provost Saul Jimenez-Sandoval and Chairman Thomas Holyoke

From: J. Daniel Herring, Chair

Date: September 5, 2019

Subject: Department Name Change

On September 5, 2019 the faculty of the Department of Theatre Arts unanimously agreed that the Department of Theatre Arts should officially change its name to the Department of Theatre and Dance. The department now offers both a BA degree in Theatre as well as a BA in Dance. This change will also provide more visibility for our Dance program when we are recruiting future students to Fresno State.

We respectfully request the approval of the Provost and the Academic Senate to implement this name change which more accurately represents our department.