

# THEA 226: Footholds UK Shakespeare Study Abroad

This course is a two-week intensive study abroad program to England. The first week is spent working with top-tier industry professionals at East 15 Acting School in London, and viewing productions at noted theatres there, as well as meeting professional actors for Q&A sessions. The second week is spent in Stratford-upon-Avon training closely with the Royal Shakespeare Company, attending lectures and seminars at the Shakespeare Birthplace Trust, and viewing two productions at the Royal Shakespeare Theatre. The course culminates in a performance of scenes and monologues in Shakespeare's own gardens for visiting tourists.

**Credits:** 3

**Prerequisites:**

Grade of B or better in THEA 225.

**Program:** Theatre

**Recommended:**

THEA 101, 221, 222, 260 and 200B.

**Student Learning Outcomes:**

- Analyze professional productions in London and Stratford.
- Interface effectively with current industry professionals.
- Demonstrate knowledge of Shakespeare's plays and roles.
- Perform scenes and monologues from Shakespeare's canon in his own gardens.