University of South Carolina
Department of Theatre and Dance

SAMPLE PROGRAM OF STUDY:
MFA IN LIGHTING DESIGN

FIRST SEMESTER
***  Pre-Semester Teaching Workshop
710  Graduate Design Studio
760  Text Analysis
796  Computer-Assisted Design
588  Advanced Stage Lighting Design I

SECOND SEMESTER
797  Computer Imaging
589  Advanced Stage Lighting Design II
550  Costume History
721  Lighting Design Practicum

THIRD SEMESTER
788  Professional Lighting Design Practices I
721  Lighting Design Practicum
- - -  Critical or Supportive Studies Elective

FOURTH SEMESTER
789  Professional Lighting Design Practices II
582  Costume Design
721  Lighting Design Practicum
778  Director’s Workshop I

FIFTH SEMESTER
554  Theatre Safety
556  Scene Design
- - -  Skills Course Elective
- - -  Skills Course Elective or Lighting Design Practicum

SIXTH SEMESTER
790  Professional Internship

THEA 799: THESIS PREPARATION (3) will be elected during the appropriate semesters.