



Course Location

Derby Theatre, 15 Theatre Walk,
Derby DE1 2NF, United Kingdom
Monday 7th - Friday 11th September 2020
10.00am - 5pm approx.



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ABTT is now offering the Bronze Certificated Award for Theatre Technicians:

The ABTT will, so far as is practicable, control the risk to health and safety during their undertaking and will, with the host theatre, prepare a detailed risk assessment. Participants in training must be prepared where required to observe social distancing, to wear respiratory Personal Protective Equipment and to wear disposable gloves.



What is the Bronze Award for Theatre Technicians?

The Bronze Award is a five day course which gives candidates knowledge and understanding of best practice, whether they are working in regional rep, touring, multi-art form studios, community theatre, the West End or as a freelancer. The Bronze Award delivers the first vocational step for professional development to the theatre technician and is undertaken in various venues throughout the year.



Who can do the course?

Both members and non-members are eligible to take these courses – though it may often be cheaper to become a member prior to booking.

1. Candidates should begin by taking the Bronze course, before the Silver or Gold Award.
2. Those wishing to pursue the Silver or Gold Award should be able to demonstrate that they have attained a similar level of understanding as achieved in the previous courses.
3. At Gold level, candidates cover formal risk management skills required by managers, HODs or supervisors.



How is the course structured?

The course is split in to five sections, these include: 1. An Introduction to Health & Safety and Manual Handling, 2. Electrical Fundamentals, 3. Knots & Splicing, 4. Safe Use of Temporary Access Equipment and 5. Fundamentals of Flying which is followed by the Bronze Award Test. You may do the whole course, sit the test and receive full certification. Alternatively you can pick individual modules best suited to your interest and need for skills development – an attendance certificate is available.



What do the modules cover?

- Module 1 covers manual handling, musculoskeletal injuries, injuries caused by the handler and UK Theatre/BECTU Code of Conduct for Fit-ups & Get-Outs
- Module 2 includes Basic Electricity; measuring; resistance; power; electrical supply; generation; AC/DC; frequency; three phase and an introduction to BS761 IET Wiring Regulations
- Module 3 covers the handling of different ropes, tying knots proficiently and safely by practical demonstration - enabling differentiation between natural and man made fibre ropes, splicing rope ends.
- Module 4 introduces step ladders (inc. Zarges), ladders, trestles, Tallescopes, mobile scaffolding, selecting appropriate equipment, planning and managing work at height, inspection and record keeping, manœuvring and assembly.
- Module 5 teaches safe handling of counterweight sets and hemp, covering terminology, parts of a counterweight set, loading and unloading, operating, first line maintenance, single/double purchase systems, knots in practice, tying off at a pin rail, spotting and other methods of hanging.





Course Costs:

£740 + VAT for Non-Members
£640 + VAT for ABTT Members
Cost includes RCS certification to SCQF Level 7,
relevant ABTT Codes of Practice & Training Log book.
(A £100 deposit is required to secure your place).



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BRONZE AWARD TRAINING REGISTRATION FORM

Course Date: September 7th - 11th 2020

Please complete the application below for the Bronze Award:

Name: Membership No:

Address:.....

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..... Postcode:.....

Telephone Number:(home&mobile).....

Email:

Please indicate what relevant experience you have, if any:

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Please indicate if you require any assistance during the course e.g dyslexia/disability etc.:.....

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I agree to observe social distancing and if required wear wear respiratory Personal Protective
Equipment and disposable gloves throughout the duration of this course.

Signature:

To be invoiced please fill in all the information below:

Name: Purchase Order No:

Address:.....

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Accounts Email..... Postcode:

Please complete and return with your remittance to the ABTT Office.

To pay by credit card: Please call the office on 0207 242 9200 and we will happily assist.

To pay by cheque: Please enclose a cheque for the full amount to be made payable to: THEATRICAL TRADING LTD
and post to the Association of British Theatre Technicians at the Farringdon Road address listed.

