



Full-Time Program Toronto, ON  
September 2020 – May 2021

## About **our** program

Our program is built to prepare you for your career in contemporary performance and theatre arts, from a distinctively Indigenous cultural foundation. The uniqueness of our training is how it oscillates from Indigenous culture into contemporary theatre and performance techniques. The program equips you, the student, with Indigenous learnings, knowledge, perspectives, practices, and modern performance methodologies. This particular combination is designed to best enable you to tell your stories, in your voice. Our curriculum integrates training in the areas of acting, voice and movement with Indigenous cultural classes in dance, song and oral history. The program also offers professional development which allows students and working actors to train together, adding an essential mentoring element to your training. It is an opportunity for emerging Indigenous artists to work with one another and established Indigenous artists within your own cultural milieu, to embolden one another, to become tomorrow's passionate, inspired and strong Indigenous cultural curators, conservationists and artists.

Our program is performance oriented, so all students will also have a chance to perform. You gain practical performance experience through public performance opportunities in showcase events, story creation projects. And, a year-end show written by an Indigenous playwright or adapted by an Indigenous playwright, featuring senior students.

**Here is the deal.**

**Tuition is \$3,750.00 (CAD) per year.**

Your tuition includes books/supplies, production costs and special events.

You are responsible for your own travel to and from Toronto.

You are responsible for your living expenses.

**No qualified student is ever refused due to a lack of funding.**

We are committed to assisting you in securing funding to study with us.

We offer a complete range of scholarships and student supports.

***Please contact us for more information.***



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## Application requirements:

1. You must be of Indigenous ancestry.
2. You must be 18 years of age or older.
3. You must have a Grade 10 English level.
4. You must be interested in acting, movement, voice, self-discovery and theatre.
5. You must be interested in exploring Indigenous knowledge, with respect for all Indigenous cultures, traditions and art forms.

**Deadline: December 31st, 2020**

\* Please check with the office about available spaces, if you have missed the deadline.

\*\* Applicants applying for funding from their Band Council are encouraged to apply to the Centre for Indigenous Theatre in conjunction with their Education Department deadlines.

\*\*\* *Call us if you need more details, if necessary.*

## Application submission

**Email, Mail or Fax** your **completed** and **signed** application with **all** required attachments to:

### **The Centre for Indigenous Theatre**

180 Shaw Street, Suite 209  
Toronto, Ontario, Canada, M6J 2W5

**Fax:** 1(416) 506-9430

**Email:** [citmail@indigenoustheatre.com](mailto:citmail@indigenoustheatre.com)

Please include all application attachments in your Application email submission.



## Student Application Form

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First name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address (Street): \_\_\_\_\_ Address (Apt, Suite, Unit #): \_\_\_\_\_

City / Town: \_\_\_\_\_ Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal / Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate (year / month / day): \_\_\_\_\_ Pronouns: \_\_\_\_\_

### Indigenous ancestry

First Nations (Status)

First Nations (Non-status)

Inuit/Inuvialuit

Metis

Band name: \_\_\_\_\_ Nation: \_\_\_\_\_

### Application attachments

Please check off, clearly label and enclose all required items with your application.

A 500 word essay about yourself and why you want to attend CIT.

A recent photo of yourself.

A photo/copy of your Health Card.

An up-to-date resume or CV.

Two references, addressed to CIT.

A video audition.

Email us your video by sending a YouTube, Vimeo or other hosted video link to **citmail@indigenoustheatre.com** with **Your Name** & **"Student Application Video"** in the email subject line.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Please note:

\* You are responsible for your travel expenses to and from Toronto.

\* Due to the physical nature of the training, please inform us of any needs for personal or medical accommodations you may require.

\* *The use of drugs/alcohol is **strictly prohibited**.*

\* Attendance for all classes is **mandatory**.

\* If you're a parent that has childcare needs, please inform us and we can provide you with information for local childcare services.

Cheques or Money Orders are to be made payable to **The Centre for Indigenous Theatre**.