

THE CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LOS ANGELES, DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE ARTS AND DANCE
CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO ATTEND OUR 2009-2010 PRODUCTION SEASON

Marriage Is...

A Socially Significant Season of Theatre Arts and Dance

October 23-25

Tea

By Velina Hasu Houston
Directed by Dr. Pamela Dunne

THE LUCKMAN INTIMATE THEATRE
OCT 23-24 AT 7:30PM / OCT 24-25 AT 2:30PM

Five Japanese women married to American servicemen during the occupation of Japan reflect on their years as "war brides," during the ceremony of taking tea. Life in reminiscence, movingly told as the women seek to find balance within themselves, within the group, and within two cultures.

Tickets \$16 General; \$12 Seniors & Students; \$8 CSULA Students only.

November 12-22

Evita

Music by Andrew Lloyd Webber.
Lyrics by Tim Rice. Directed by Dr. James A. Hatfield. Musical Direction by Dr. David Connors and Gerald Sternbach.

THE STATE PLAYHOUSE
NOV 12-14 & 19-21 AT 7:30PM,
NOV 15 & 22 AT 2:30PM

Depicting the rise and fall of Argentina's first lady, Eva Peron, this musical moves audiences across cultures and genders. With so few choices available to her in her time, Evita still transcends reality, using her sexuality to acquire wealth, power, and the ever-fleeting love of the people.

Tickets \$20 General; \$16 Seniors & Students; \$10 CSULA Students only.

December 3-5

Moving Dance Images

Directed by Professor Hae-Kyung Lee

KING HALL STUDIO ONE THEATRE
DEC 3-5 AT 7:30PM

Our dance students feature their own concepts and choreography, as amazing dance pieces.

Tickets \$16 General; \$12 Seniors & Students; \$8 CSULA Students only.

January 29-31

Shakespeare and Shaw

Marriage, amor apasionado, and more.
Directed by Professor Theresa Larkin

THE LUCKMAN INTIMATE THEATRE
JAN 29-30 AT 7:30PM / JAN 30-31 AT 2:30PM

An original variety performance showcasing the diverse talent of our Theatre Arts and Dance students as they interpret the literature of William Shakespeare and G.B. Shaw. Marriage, love, passion, envy, and a dash of socialism all conceptualized for our contemporary society.

Tickets \$16 General; \$12 Seniors & Students; \$8 CSULA Students only.

February 25-27

Winter Dance Concert

Directed by Professor Hae-Kyung Lee

KING HALL STUDIO ONE THEATRE
FEB 25-27 AT 7:30PM

From studio class to the stage, our dance students present culturally diverse dance styles, all energized by student expression, potential, and an undeniable love of dance.

Tickets \$16 General; \$12 Seniors & Students; \$8 CSULA Students only.

March 4-7

Burn This

By Lanford Wilson
Directed by Professor Stephen Rothman

THE ARENA THEATRE
MAR 4-6 AT 7:30PM / MARCH 6-7 AT 2:30PM

Shadows of death, sexuality, love, and gender, are parted, revealed, and humanized in Pulitzer Prize-winning author Lanford Wilson's sympathetic portrayal of individuals caught in contemporary malaise.

Tickets \$16 General; \$12 Seniors & Students; \$8 CSULA Students only.

April 15-18

M. Butterfly

By David Henry Hwang
Directed by Dr. David Olsen

THE STATE PLAYHOUSE
APR 15-17 AT 7:30PM / APR 17-18 AT 2:30PM

Fantasies and realities of feminine gender ideals collide in this acclaimed play presenting issues of gender, war, diplomacy, feminism, romance, and Western operatic stereotypes. Prized for Hwang's thought-provoking dialogue, the Pulitzer Prize-nominated and Tony Award-winning play remains both socially relevant and reflective of current events.

Tickets \$16 General; \$12 Seniors & Students; \$8 CSULA Students only.

April 29-May 8

The John Lions New Play Festival

Directed by Professor Jose Cruz Gonzalez

THE STATE PLAYHOUSE
APR 29-30, MAY 1, & MAY 6-8 AT 7:30PM /
MAY 2 & 8 AT 2:30PM

Since its inauguration in 1997, the John Lions New Play Festival has produced over fifty new original plays by CSULA student playwrights.

Tickets \$16 General; \$12 Seniors & Students; \$8 CSULA Students only.

May 21-23

Couplings

Directed by Professor Hae Kyung-Lee and Special Guest Artists

THE LUCKMAN MAINSTAGE THEATRE
MAY 21-22 AT 7:30PM / MAY 22-23 AT 2:30PM

Guest Artist choreographers in collaboration with Theatre Arts and Dance faculty lead the Cal State LA dancers in new interpretive choreography emerging from the season theme, "Marriage Is...".

Tickets \$16 General; \$12 Seniors & Students; \$8 CSULA Students only.

Please accept our invitation to purchase tickets.

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