



The Juilliard School presents

# A Celebration in Honor of the 50th Anniversary of the Juilliard Drama Division

Featuring Music and Tributes With Scenes From Our Five Decades

Sunday, October 8, 2017, 6pm Peter Jay Sharp Theater

# 1970s

*The School for Scandal* by Richard Brinsley Sheridan

# 1980s

*Top Girls* by Caryl Churchill

# 1990s

Angels in America: A Gay Fantasia on National Themes Part One, Millennium Approaches by Tony Kushner

# 2000s

*Joe Turner's Come and Gone* by August Wilson

2010s

*Everybody* by Branden Jacobs-Jenkins

# Performed without intermission

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A Message From Joseph W. Polisi President of The Juilliard School

It is with considerable joy and pride that I welcome all of you to this very special event celebrating the Drama Division of The Juilliard School. For half a century, this groundbreaking program first designed by Michel Saint-Denis and John Houseman has flourished, attracting to Juilliard exceptionally gifted young artists who have devoted themselves to a highly disciplined and artistically

rich experience, then gone on to make extraordinary contributions in the fields of acting, directing, and playwriting.

It is wonderful to have with us all the drama alumni who have returned for this celebration. You exemplify the very best of what we strive for as a performing arts institution. The precedent of excellence that you have set throughout the years will serve as an inspiration for the great tradition of Juilliard Drama to continue into the future.

Josephul. Polisi



# A Message From Richard Feldman Acting Director of the Juilliard Drama Division

Welcome back, all!

We know in the theater we make things together we could never make by ourselves. So it seemed right as we mark the 50th anniversary of the Juilliard Drama Division for all of us to come together. Alumni, teachers, staff, students, families, friends: we are here together to remember, to

celebrate, to grieve, to honor, to laugh, to rededicate ourselves, and to begin to chart a course for the next 50 years.

My friend and colleague Roger Oliver bravely undertook the task of writing a brief history of the Drama Division for this commemorative program. It is important to recall the names of great artists and record important events of our division. Tonight we will see excerpts from five plays representing the division's five decades. We must look back before we continue forward on our journey.

But perhaps the true history of the division cannot be told. Its events have played out on stages both too small and too big to be recorded. The history is written inside all of us. It is unseen but lives deep in our bodies and bones and imaginations, where the acquisition of craft leads to the transformation of self.

And that history is outside of us and these walls. On stage and on screen, in classrooms and work spaces, in political arenas and in homes all across the world, the history of the division moves out in an ever-expanding wave as people are moved and changed through the voices and actions of all of you—actors, writers, directors, teachers, activists, citizens, women, and men.

Our art is about the enactment of change. It is easier to enact change than to live it. That is true for individuals and for institutions. Our school is changing. It should. It must. But as we change we have to have the discernment and tenacity to hold to the best principles that make us who we are. We hold fast to our dedication to craft and our dedication to telling the story of what it is like to be a human being. We cannot do the latter without the former.

Fifty years is not very long if we measure in years. But measured in accumulated experiences—the journeys, the discoveries, the revelations, the heartbreak, the faith, the joy—these 50 years are almost infinite in lived life. Many of you will be here for our 100th anniversary. Some of us will not. But we will be making something together, all of us, that we could not make by ourselves. We are part of this great legacy of teaching and learning, craft and humanity.

Here we all are. Let us celebrate together.

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# Juilliard Drama: The First 50 Years

# By Roger Oliver

The invitation came with a condition. William Schuman and the planners of the new Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts wanted Juilliard to become its conservatory component, but needed theater to be represented along with music and dance. Just as Juilliard's Dance Division had pioneered teaching dancers to be adept in both classical ballet and modern dance, the Drama Division would train actors to be equally at home in the classical repertory and modern vernacular drama. Two giants of the theater world, John Houseman and Michel Saint-Denis, were entrusted with bringing this new program to life.

Fifty years later, much has changed in the Juilliard Drama Division. For example, more than 600 students applied for the 35 places in Group 1, while over 2,000 auditioned for the 18 slots in Group 50. And yet the principles articulated by Saint-Denis at the beginning still hold true today, "We are trying to form an actor equipped with all possible means of dramatic production, capable of meeting the demands of today's and tomorrow's ever-changing theater—an actor who is capable of participating in these changes and inventive enough to contribute to them."

The four-year curriculum instituted by Houseman (1902–88) and Saint-Denis (1897–1971) was based on training methods that Saint-Denis and his wife, Suria, who remained as a consultant to the division until her death, in 1987, had devised for conservatories in France, England, and Canada.

In addition to acting classes, the students were to receive instruction in voice and speech work, singing, stage movement and combat, mask work, the Alexander Technique, and other forms of theatrical expression. Houseman and Saint-Denis recruited an internationally renowned faculty, three of whom, Michael Kahn, Elizabeth Smith, and Moni Yakim, continue to work with today's drama students. The current faculty also boasts graduates of the division who help transmit its legacy to current classes. Outstanding guest directors were brought in to further the actors' development outside the classroom.

The success of the program was immediately apparent when Houseman and Margot Harley, the division's first administrative director, formed The Acting Company with members of Group 1, the first graduating class, at its core. Since its inception in 1972, the company has performed almost 150 productions for over three million audience members in 48 states and 10 countries and been described in *The New York Times* as "the major touring classical theater in the United States." Although it's no longer primarily composed of Juilliard actors, the company continues to be home to many Drama Division alumni.

When Houseman stepped down as director in 1976, he was succeeded by Alan Schneider, known for his productions of works by playwrights like Samuel Beckett and Edward Albee, and he was succeeded in 1979 by Michael Langham, who had achieved great success as the artistic director of the Tyrone Guthrie Theater in Minneapolis and the Shakespeare Festival in Stratford, Ontario. Langham brought a greater emphasis on acting Shakespeare to the curriculum; currently drama students perform in Shakespeare rehearsal projects or productions in each of the first three years and occasionally the fourth.

When Langham retired in 1992, Michael Kahn, who taught the third-year acting class and was artistic director of the Shakespeare Theater in Washington, D.C. (he's announced

he'll retire at the end of the 2019 season), became the fourth director of the division, a position now named after the legendary musical-theater composer Richard Rodgers ('24, *music theory*). One of Kahn's first innovations was to transform the Lila Acheson Wallace American Playwrights Program. Begun under Langham, it was initially a residency for young playwrights including Ellen McLaughlin and Tony Kushner, whose *Angels in America: Millennium Approaches* was given its New York premiere in a fourth-year production directed by current acting director Richard Feldman. The Playwrights program now brought young writers under fellowship to Juilliard for one or two years with the possibility of earning an Artist's Diploma. The program's first year was directed by John Guare and Terrence McNally; they were succeeded in 1994 by Marsha Norman and Christopher Durang. When Durang retired in 2016, Norman was joined as co-director by David Lindsay-Abaire, an alumnus of the program.

Kahn instituted a directing fellows program that allowed outstanding directors like himself, JoAnne Akalaitis, Garland Wright, and Andre Belgrader to mentor young directors. Kahn also restored theater history to the curriculum and established music studies as a supplement to the actor's education. In addition, he convened a series of retreats, a practice continued to this day, where the faculty could meet to discuss the curriculum and ways in which the faculty could better serve the students.

In 2006 Kahn became emeritus director of Drama while continuing to teach acting in a series of eagerly anticipated master classes. The next director, James Houghton, had created and built the Signature Theatre into one of the most important and distinctive producing entities in the country. Houghton continued as artistic director of Signature and forged a relationship between the two institutions that is ongoing. He also placed increased emphasis on the relationship between the Drama Division and the rest of Juilliard.

Among the innovations Houghton brought to Juilliard was an expansion of the audition process to include an intensive weekend round of callbacks in which prospective candidates could be further evaluated while experiencing the kind of classes they would have if admitted. At the same time those students chosen to form the next Drama Division group no longer faced the pressure of not being asked to return after the second year. In order to foster a greater sense of community, Houghton created a weekly meeting where students from all four years come together. Many of these sessions are readings of work by the Juilliard playwrights by current acting students and alumni, achieving Houghton's goal of integrating the playwrights more fully into the overall mission of the divisions. At others, a range of guest speakers share their experiences and perspectives.

In terms of performance, Houghton added a second Shakespeare production at the end of the third year to ensure more significant casting opportunities. The final slot of the fourth-year schedule now became a repertory of three plays performed over a two-week period that included contemporary plays and adaptations of classic work. Houghton also expanded Kahn's initiative to make the Drama student body more diverse, paralleling efforts made by the school as a whole. While the Drama Division was always unique in its mixing of undergraduate BFA students and college graduates who were awarded a diploma, in 2012 an MFA program was established that combined the established actor-training program with a series of graduate-level seminars. Since Houghton's untimely death in 2016, the Drama Division has been led by acting director Richard Feldman and managing director Katherine Hood, who had succeeded longtime administrative director Harold Stone when he retired in 2001.

One of the hallmarks of the Juilliard presidency of Joseph W. Polisi, as articulated in his book *The Artist as Citizen*, is the importance of civil awareness and community involvement on the part of performing artists. Students and alumni of the Drama Division have enthusiastically embraced this philosophy in myriad ways.

In addition to their humanitarian activities, Juilliard actors continue to distinguish themselves at the highest levels in their careers as actors, playwrights, and directors. Although prizes and awards are not the only way of acknowledging artistic excellence, the Pulitzer Prizes given to Juilliard playwriting alumni and the Tony, Academy Award, and Emmy nominations and awards as well as Obie citations that acting alumni continue to receive suggest the central role the Juilliard Drama Division continues to perform in theater, film, and television. The philosophy of the division today was summed up by Houghton when he wrote, "I want to see actors and playwrights coming out of this school with an absolute passion and joy connected to the craft of theater-making. I want to see them having honed their instincts, developing what is uniquely their point of view, and I want them to walk out of here having a process that they can lean on—that they leave this school with a treasure chest of instinct and tools to back up that instinct. But more than anything—or in addition to that, and central—is a passion and a joy."

Roger Oliver has been a member of the Juilliard liberal arts faculty since 1985 and the Drama faculty since 1992. He is also an adjunct associate professor of English and Dramatic Literature at New York University, was the founding humanities director for the Brooklyn Academy of Music Next Wave Festival, and has written the theater chapter for the forthcoming book commemorating the festival's 35th anniversary.

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Musicians on tonight's program are: Mike Braugher, *Drums* Nick Choksi, *Guitar* Rinat Erlichman, *Violin* Kate Liu, *Piano* Endea Owens, *Double Bass* Allen Tedder, *Guitar* 

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# The Juilliard School President's Medal

The Juilliard School's President's Medal is bestowed upon individuals who have made an indelible impact on the arts and have served as significant role models both at Juilliard and in the broader performing arts community.

Tonight the school is pleased to present this tribute to the following Drama Division faculty and staff:

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October 7, 2017

### Dear Friends:

I am delighted to extend greetings to all those celebrating the  $50^{\rm th}$  Anniversary of the Juilliard School's Drama Division.

New York is proud to be known as a global hub of culture and creativity, and Juilliard's Drama Division has played a key role in advancing this reputation since its establishment in 1968. Through its acclaimed undergraduate and graduate programs featuring small class sizes and a rigorous, performance-based curriculum, this outstanding educational institution has nurtured generations of talented actors, directors and playwrights, providing them with a collaborative, interdisciplinary environment in which to hone their craft and create innovative works. The program's long list of award-winning alumni is a testament to its excellence, and I am grateful to the school for engaging New York's diverse residents in the arts through its educational outreach programming and free or low-cost performances. As the Division kicks off a year-long anniversary celebration that includes this weekend's homecoming events and a series of staged productions, I applaud its staff, faculty, students and alumni for enriching the world of theatre in the five boroughs and beyond and ensuring the future vitality of our city's dynamic performing arts community.

On behalf of the City of New York, congratulations on this milestone anniversary. Please accept my best wishes for a festive celebration and continued success.

Sincerely fullet.

Bill de Blasio Mayor

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