The University of Rhode Island, Theatre Department Presents:

Directed by Sarah Elizabeth Taylor
Stage Management by Hector Manny Maldonado
Scenic Design by Sam Cote
Lighting Design by Caoilfhionn Farrell
Sound Design by Alexander Linn
Costume Design by Riley Nedder

OR, by Liz Duffy Adams
Originally produced in New York City by Women’s Project (Julie Crosby, Producing Artistic Director).

Dec. 8, 9, & 10, 2022, 7:30 pm
Dec. 11, 2022, 2:00 pm

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CAST

Aphra Behn.........................................................Jenna Muldoon
King Charles II / William Scott / Lady Davenant.........Peter McGreen
Nell Gwynne / Maria / Jailer.................................Olivia Humulock

UNDERSTUDIES

Aphra Behn.........................................................Jenson Tavares
King Charles II / William Scott / Lady Davenant.........Liam Roberts
Nell Gwynne / Maria / Jailer.................................Caroline Catino

Or, is a senior Directing project and part of the URI Theatre Directing curriculum. Or, is fully student-produced. All members of the cast and production team are students, advised by faculty mentors.

URI Theatre Mission Statement
The URI Theatre program provides a conservatory experience with a pre-professional liberal art setting. The distinguished faculty, guest artists and staff place an equal emphasis on the theoretical and practical understanding of theatre. Artistically vibrant, relevant and rooted in collaboration, our unique production program enriches all students and serves the educational and cultural needs of the university and the greater community.

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Technical Director..............................................................Sam Cote
Production Managers..................................................Meagan Frye, Zoe Pepin
Assistant Directors.....................................................Rose Bohac, David Weber
Assistant Stage Managers.................................Erin Grafing, Jackie Johnson,
                                          Ella Kenny, Allegra Levone,
                                          Joey Lloyd, Alora McCarroll
Dramaturge.................................................................Sara Laurent
Intimacy Coordinator...............................................Kayla J. Ribeiro
Dialect Coach..............................................................Liam Roberts
Charge Scenic Artist....................................................Tess Cruz
Assistant to Charge Scenic Artist.........................Courtney Satterley
Scenic Artists..............................................................Michael Galvin, Sophia Greco,
                                          Amanda Lambert, Sarah Taylor, Meghan Turner
Set Designer.................................................................Sam Cote
Properties Designer.....................................................Meagan Frye
Properties Designer Supervisor...............................Melie Hayes
Assistant Technical Director Supervisor................Colin Cleary
Student Master Electricians..............Amanda Lambert, Casey Pratt
Carpenters.................................................................Sophia Greco
Set Construction Crew.................................Nick Comito,
                                          Sophia Greco, Bianca Iafrate,
                                          Casey Pratt, Courtney Satterley,
                                          Brandon Tallardy, THE161
Stage & Properties Running Crew..............Savannah Estremera,
                                          Gwen Glaude, Jeremy Rodriguez,
                                          Domenica Silvestri, Liliana Varela
Light Board Operator..........................Bianca Iafrate
Sound Board Operators…………………………………Jace Kassed
Assistant Costume Designer…………………………Rachel Arruda
Costume Construction Crew………………………Rachel Arruda, EJ Caraveo, 
                                           Dan Foster, Kalif Madriaga, 
                                           Sydney Nogueira, Kit Selle, THE250
Costume Maintenance Supervisor……………………Rachel Arruda
Costume Maintenance Crew…………………………..Nick Comito, 
                                           Jocelyn Fonseca, Sydney Nogueira
Wardrobe, Wig, Hair, Makeup Crew Head………………Kit Selle
Wardrobe Running Crew……………….Ashlyn Banno, Anna Blaney, 
                                           Sophia Greco, Katie Lemme, 
                                           Julia Thelen, Josh Winderman
Wig, Hair & Makeup Designer……………………….Riley Nedder
Publicity Assistant……………………………………Lizzy Klebart
Poster Design………………………………………..Courtney Satterley
Office Assistants……………………………………Lizzy Klebart, Zoe Pepin
Box Office Managers……………………………Michael Galvin, Liam Horne, 
                                           Hector Manny Maldonado
Box Office Staff………………………….Theo Fantozzi, Lizzy Klebart, 
                                           Zoe Pepin, Meghan Turner, Jenna Wentworth
Student House Managers………………..Aaron Adams, Ben Davis, 
                                           Meagan Frye, Kafui Glover, Robert Knight, 
                                           Matt Perrotta, Chris Scarpa, Sabrina Youn
Ushers…………………………………………………THE100 Students
Social Media Team….Sam Cote, Caoilfhionn Farrell, Meagan Frye, 
                                           Michael Galvin, Gwen Glaude, Erin Grafing, 
                                           Hector Manny Maldonado, Jenna Muldoon, Henry O’Brien
SUPERVISORS

Technical Director Supervisor..............Jacob Richards-Hegnauer
Master Carpenter.............................................Erin Doyle
Costume Designer Supervisor.....................Alison Walker Carrier
Sound Designer Supervisor..............................Michael Hyde
Master Electrician Supervisor......................Haley Ahlborg
Resident House Manager............................Michael G. Lapointe
Publicity Director/ Admin Supervisor............Bonnie Bosworth
Program Design........................................Emma June Guglielmi
Photography.................................................Jesse Dufault
Promotional Videographer..........................Sean McVeigh

FACULTY ADVISORS

Production Management......................Professor Paula McGlasson
Directing and Acting..............................Professor Rachel Walshe
Intimacy Coordinator/ Dialect Coach.....Professor Tracy Liz Miller
Lighting/Set Designer..............................Professor James Horban
SPECIAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Sarah Couch

Darby Wilson

Casting Policy

URI Theatre is committed to equal opportunity and non-traditional casting. Our productions strongly encourage any/all students, staff, faculty or members of the community to audition and/or participate in URI productions. There will be no discrimination based on sex, race, color, age, national or ethnic origin, sexual orientation, religion, gender, gender identity or expression, veteran and/or disability status.

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Jeff Church................................................Guest Artist, Acting
Maria Day Hyde..........................Guest Artist, Intro to Theatre
Michael Hyde..........................Guest Artist, Sound Design
Anthony Estrella..........................Guest Artist, Acting
Emma June Guglielmi..................Administrative Assistant I
Jacob Richards-Hegnauer..................Technical Director
James Horban..................Assistant Professor, Design & Technology
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Michael G. Lapointe..............................House Manager
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Tracy Liz Miller.....................Assistant Teaching Professor
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Patrick Saunders...........Director, Guest Artist, Introduction to Acting
Dante Sciarra..................Guest Artist, Dance for Musical Theatre
Stephanie Traversa..................Guest Artist, Make-up
Sarah Toatley..................Guest Artist, Theatre History
Rachel Walshe................................Assistant Professor, Acting, Directing

Retired URI Theatre Faculty & Staff

Joy Spanabel Emery..........................Professor Emerita (deceased)
Julius Galgoczy..........................Technical Director
Alan Hawkridge..........................Lecturer
Sally Tschantz-Dwyer..................Costume Shop Manager
Judith Swift..........................Professor, Comm. Studies and Theatre
Kimber Wheelock..................Professor Emeritus (deceased)
Christian Wittwer..........................Professor Emeritus
Bryna Wortman..........................Professor Emerita
OR, by Liz Duffy Adams

December 8-11, 2022

OR, takes place (mostly) during one night in the life of Aphra Behn: poet, spy, and the first professional female playwright. Sprung from debtors’ prison and desperate to get out of the spy trade, she has a shot at a production at one of only two London companies. But only if she can finish her play by morning despite interruptions from sudden new love, complicated royal love, and very dodgy ex-love who may murder the king in the morning. This neo-Restoration comedy is “…playful and highly literate,” with “…imagination, radical instincts, and sardonic but generous humor.”

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By the Way, Meet Vera Stark by Lynn Nottage

February 23-26 & March 2-5, 2023

It’s the Golden Age of Hollywood, and aspiring starlet Vera Stark works as a maid to Gloria Mitchell, an aging star grasping at her fading career. When circumstances collide and both women land roles in the same Southern epic, the story behind the cameras leaves Vera with a surprising legacy of the impact that race had on her controversial career. Two-time Pulitzer Prize-winner Lynn Nottage’s fast-paced, sly satire, takes you on a seventy-year journey through Vera’s life and the cultural climate that shaped her.

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Into The Woods
Music and Lyrics by Stephen Sondheim
Book by James Lapine
Originally Directed on Broadway by James Lapine
Orchestrations by Johnathan Tunick

April 20-23 & 27-30, 2023

Follow a Baker, the Baker’s Wife, Cinderella, Jack (of Beanstalk fame), Little Red Riding Hood, and the Witch to search for their true heart’s desire. Will everyone’s wish be granted? Or will the consequences of their actions return to haunt them later? James Lapine and Stephen Sondheim take everyone's favorite storybook characters and bring them together for a timeless, yet relevant, piece. Last performed at URI in 2004, Into the Woods is a Tony Award winning musical and a crowd favorite!

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