# Theatre UAB 2006-07 Production Season

*Ten Minute Play Festival* Lee Shackleford, Producer September 28-30, October 1, 2006

*The Playboy of the Western World*, by John Millington Synge Directed by TBA October 18-22, 2006 Sirote Theatre

> *Intimate Apparel*, by Lynn Nottage. Directed by Cheryl Hall November 10, 11 and 15-19, 2006 Odess Theatre

*The House of Bernarda Alba*, by Federico Garcia Lorca Translated by James Graham Lujan and Richard O'Connell Directed by Will York February 21-25, 2007 Sirote Theatre

Largo Desolato, by Vaclav Havel, English version by Tom Stoppard Directed by Jack Cannon March 3,4 and 6-10, 2007 Odess Theatre

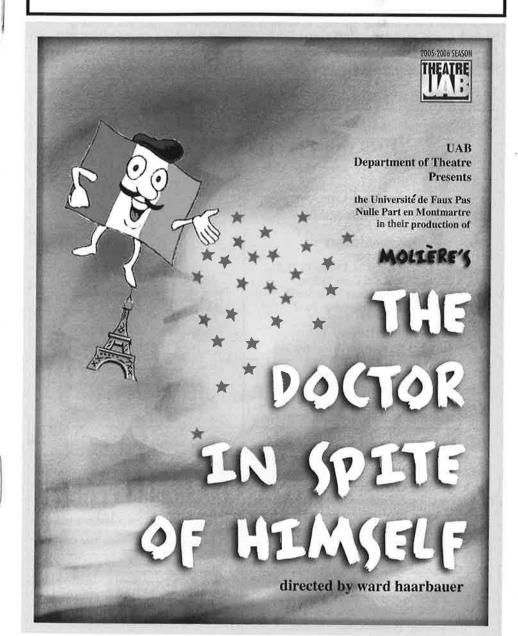
> *The Tempest*, by William Shakespeare Directed by Dennis McLernon April 18-22, 2007 Sirote Theatre

For Individual Tickets please call ASC Box Office 975-2787

# The University of Alabama at Birmingham

# **Department of Theatre**

at the Sirote Theatre in the Alys Robinson Stephens Performing Arts Center



### **OVATION UAB** (Sponsored by Theatre Advisory Committee)

Opening nights at Theatre UAB are OVATION UAB nights. OVATION UAB sponsors a box dinner and conversation with the director and designers before the show, as well as a post-performance party with the cast and crew.

Join us! You will be able to invite your friends to enjoy a tasty meal before the plays, be already parked and ready to settle back for an evening of live theatre.

OVATION UAB has the mission to support and sponsor the students working backstage and performing in Theatre UAB. Membership dues, ranging from \$10 - \$2500, are used to off-set the costs required of each student to participate in the productions.

To become a member of OVATION UAB, please pick up a brochure in the lobby outside the theatre and complete the form. Follow mailing directions listed in the brochure.

### Help us support our rising stars!

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This production is entered in the Kennedy Center American College Theater Festival (KCACTF). The aims of this national theater education program are to identify and promote quality in college-level theater production. To this end, each production entered is eligible for a response by a regional KCACTF representative, and selected students and faculty are invited to participate in KCACTF programs involving scholarships, internships, grants and awards for actors, playwrights, designers, stage managers and critics at both the regional and national levels.

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Productions entered on the Participating level are eligible for inclusion at the KCACTF regional festival and can also be considered for invitation to the KCACTF national festival at the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts in Washington, DC in the spring of 2006.

Last year more than 1,400 productions were entered in the KCACTF involving more than 200,000 students nationwide. By entering this production, our theater department is sharing in the KCACTF goals to recognize, reward, and celebrate the exemplary work produced in college and university theaters across the nation.

### **Theatre UAB Production Staff**

Production Manager Technical Director Costume Studio Supervisor	Ed Zuckerman♦
Program Manager	*Mel Christian
Stage Electrics Director	Richelle Thompson
Properties Master	Phillip Anderson
Scenic Studio Foreman/Master Carpenter.	
Assistant Costume Studio Supervisor	Rachel Vrubel
Scenic Studio AssistantsEthan Fo	
	Robert Woods
Lighting Assistants	Dustin Cañez, Jonathon Offutt
Costume AssistantsSkye Ge	erts, Kristina Howard, Amanda Mattes
Jennifer Pouyadou, Valerie Wynn♦	
Properties Assistants	
Media Relations	
House Manager	
Associate House Manager	



### Theatre UAB Advisory Committee

Russell S. Drummond and Joyce Whitten, Co-Chairs Peggy Carlisle Woodie and Victoria Fritz Ward Haarbauer Jonathan Harrison Alan Hunter Deborah Levine Patty McDonald Bob and Nancy Rentschler Pierre and Holly Tourney Chalethia Williams The University of Alabama at Birmingham Department of Theatre and Patty McDonald and Carol Odess Present The Université de Faux Pas, Nulle Part en Montmartre in their production of

# The Doctor In Spite of Himself

# By Molière

Scenic Design Cliff Simon Lighting/EFX Design Jonathon Offutt

Costume Design Kimberly Schnormeier

Audio Design **Dustin Cañez**  Stage Manager Ashleigh Butgereit

## Directed by Ward Haarbauer

Opening Night, Wednesday, April 19, 2006, 7:30 p.m.

This production is funded in part by The UAB Cultural Activities Committee

Produced by special arrangement with Samuel French, Inc.

### **CAST** In Order of Appearance

Sganarelle	Norman Ferguson
Martine	Liv von Oelreich*
Capitaine Robert	Christopher Johnson
Géronte	Ethan Feigel
	Rachel Hill
Lucas	Tony Calderone
	Catherine Strickland
Lucinde	Emilie Soffe
Léandre	Chris Whetstone
	Ashley Culpepper
Perrine	Sarah Hereford
Orator	Ethan Feigel
Scene Artistes	Tobie Windham, Lee Anne Mitchell

\*The Université de Faux Pas is proud to welcome Ms. von Oelreich as an exchange student from Univarsitetet Sjövöllingälaatövsnå in Northern Sweden.

The play will be performed without intermission.

### **Director's Notes** Don't Worry About Meaning

Relax, this play isn't about Meaning! Molière wrote it in 1666, and that was way too long ago to have serious relevance to us today. He liked to entertain his audiences, and he would like to give you a good laugh, if he were here. He's not, though.

Have you noticed the ads on TV about pills and lotions and vitamins and exercise machines? And how they'll make your life better? And how you can feel confident about that because they're recommended by doctors and nurses and healthy people who use them? And that has to be true because, after all, they're right there on TV telling you so? And do you know who those doctors and nurses and healthy people are? Well, most of the time they're actors! So why do we believe them? Well, most of the time because the ads tell us they're doctors and nurses and healthy people, and they look and talk like they are. Hmmmm.

Ward Haarbauer

Member of Psi Beta Cast, Alpha Psi Omega National Theatre Honorary

### **Theatre UAB Faculty**

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	Kelly Allison, Professor	Head of Design Technology
	Naomi Baker, Assistant Professor	Voice
	Jack Cannon , Assistant Professor	Intro to Theatre
	D. Ward Haarbauer, Professor/Associate Dean	Theatre History
	Cheryl Hall, Assistant Professor	Intro to Theatre
	Ron Hubbard, Associate Professor	Movement
	Karma Ibsen	Professor Emeritus
	Tad Ingram, Visiting Assistant Professor	Acting/Directing
	Dennis McLernon, Assistant Professor	Acting
	Elizabeth Ayres Pollard, Assistant Professor	Costume Technology
	Kimberly Schnormeier, Associate Professor/Associat	te ChairCostume Design
	Lee Shackleford, Instructor	Playwriting
	Cliff Simon, Assistant Professor	Scene Design
	Will York, Professor/Chair	Head of Performance
	Ed Zuckerman, Associate Professor	

### Adjunct Faculty

Martha HaarbauerActing	
Charlotte LantzDance	;
Chalethia WilliamsActing	
Billie SheldonAdministrative Associate	

# A Special Thank-You To:

Marc Navez For Help With The National Anthem.

### **Staff for this Production**

Vocal CoachNaomi Bake
Production Master ElectricianRichelle Thompso
Cutter/DraperRachel Vrube
Assistant Costume Designer/Make-up DesignerAmanda Matte
Assistant to Scene Designer J. Reid Patton
Assistant Stage ManagersKatie Hines, Alec Jame
Scenery/Lighting Construction Timothy Craig, Kyle Darsor
Sarah Hereford, Rachel Hill, Jason Hudsor
Christopher Lopez, Courtney Love, James McCarty, Jr
Jonathan McCrary, Pete Moffatt, Kevin Parker, J. Reid Patton
Andy Scott, Angela Watkins, Chris Whetstone
Tobie Windham, Robert Wood
Scenic ArtistJ. Reid Patton
Properties ConstructionRaven Alexander, Marie Bolivar-Cano
Monica Hooper, Ashley Hubbert, Jonathon Offutt, Wes Seals
Costume/Craft ConstructionJacob Blagburn, Sarah Brandt
Dessilyn Chappell, Alyssa Duke, Alex Fritz, Rachel Hil
Krystal Hsu, Ashley Hubbert♦, Alec James, Kristi Nortor
Anthony Orum, Keith Pettiway, Brittney Rentschler
Briski Shoults, Ashley Starling, Chris Whetstone
Melissa West, Robert Wood
Electrics CrewBridgette Humphries, Norman Ferguson, John Kevin Pocu
Scenery/Properties Running CrewRaven Alexande
Costume Running CrewAlex Fritz, Valerie Wynn
Light Board OperatorErin Hick
Audio Board OperatorJoelle Tucker
Follow Spot OperatorsSkye Geerts, Sherrie Potte
Cover/Poster Design Cliff Simo

# **Theatre UAB**

Presents A New Theatre For Youth Production

# The Adventures of Tom Sawyer

Adapted by Lee Shackleford from the novel by Mark Twain Public Performances June 15-17. 2006 Tours Available June 19-23 and 26-30

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