


WILL POWER!



FREE WORKSHOP FOR EDUCATORS IN CONJUNCTION WITH
YALE REP'S PRODUCTION OF *THE SERVANT OF TWO MASTERS*
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2010, 9:30AM–4:30PM

SCHEDULE

(session times subject to change)

9:15AM–9:30AM CHECK-IN

CEU Registration and light refreshments

9:30AM–12:30PM MORNING SESSIONS

Ruth M. Feldman

Director of Education and Accessibility Services,
Yale Repertory Theatre

WELCOME

James Bundy, Artistic Director, Yale Repertory Theatre

INTRODUCING...

Hannah Rae Montgomery, DRA '11, and Emmy Miller, DRA '12
Production Dramaturgs

A sneak peak into the world of Yale Rep's *The Servant of Two Masters*.

TEACHING COMEDY TODAY

Catherine Sheehy, Resident Dramaturg, Yale Repertory Theatre
Comedy has always been forced to justify itself in the face of its more serious literary relatives. Theorists have sought to pay for their enjoyment of the form's guilty pleasure by assuring themselves it served a higher purpose as well. In a quick and amusing survey of the leading theories of comedy from the Greeks to Molière, the Restoration and, of course, *commedia dell'arte*, on through modern masters like Bergson, Bakhtin, and Mel Brooks, we'll talk about the serious business of teaching comedy to the young.

12:30PM–1PM LUNCH AND CONVERSATION

1PM–4:30PM AFTERNOON SESSIONS

POWERFUL GESTURES: HOW WE READ EMOTION THROUGH THE HUMAN FORM IN ART

Jessica Sack, Jan & Frederick Mayer Associate Curator of
Public Education, Yale University Art Gallery

This session will address how expression, gesture, and setting are used by artists to create characters in their work.

THE SPEED OF FUN: A GALAVANTATIOUS JAUNT INTO *COMMEDIA* Joby Earle, Actor, DRA '10

In an introductory exploration of the fundamental physical vocabulary of *commedia dell'arte*, Joby will lead the group through a series of exercises geared towards experiencing the joys and challenges of performing *commedia*.

4:30PM WRAP UP/CEU CHECKOUT/ END OF DAY

WORKSHOP OBJECTIVES

The WILL POWER! Teacher Workshop provides educators with knowledge and hands-on experiences that can be incorporated into their classrooms by:

- Connecting with curriculum standards and strategies
- Building critical thinking skills
- Stimulating perceptual abilities
- Engaging students in approaching this classic Goldoni comedy

SUPPORT

This season's WILL POWER! is generously supported by Ms. Esme Usdan; Anna Fitch Ardenghi General Charitable Purpose Trust, Bank of America, Trustee; NewAlliance Foundation; Target Stores.

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DIRECTIONS

FROM I-95 NORTH OR SOUTH

Follow I-95 to Exit 47 (Route 34 Connector, Downtown New Haven). Take Route 34 to Exit 3 onto Frontage Road. Cross immediately into the right-hand lane of Frontage, then turn right at first traffic light onto York Street. Continue through the next two traffic lights. Yale Rep is on corner of York and Chapel Streets. Entrance to Yale Rep Lounge is on Chapel Street to the right of the center stone entrance stairs.

FROM I-91

Follow I-91 to Exit 1 (Route 34 Connector) and follow the directions above.

FROM THE MERRITT PARKWAY

Take the Merritt to Exit 54 (I-95 North) and follow the directions above. Note that when returning on I-95 South, you take exit 38 for the Merritt.

PARKING

CHAPEL-YORK GARAGE

Located at 150 York Street between Crown and Chapel Streets.
Cost: \$10 if in by 9AM and out by 5PM.

YALE CENTER FOR BRITISH ART LOT

Located directly behind Yale Repertory Theatre at 153 York Street. Cost: \$8 flat rate.

QUESTIONS? Contact Ruth M. Feldman at 203.432.8425 or rm.feldman@yale.edu.

REGISTRATION FORM

Please print clearly or type directly into the form using Acrobat.

List your school, name, and contact information for each attendee. Attach an additional sheet if you're registering more than two teachers from your school. Breakfast pastries, cold and hot beverages, light lunch, and mid-afternoon snack provided. **Please list any food restrictions for each registrant.**

REGISTRANT 1

SCHOOL _____

NAME _____

DAY/SCHOOL PHONE _____

EVENING PHONE _____

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EMAIL _____

FOOD RESTRICTIONS _____

REGISTRANT 2

SCHOOL _____

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**REGISTRATION DEADLINE: WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 2010
DON'T DELAY—SPACE IS LIMITED!!!!**

EMAIL: rm.feldman@yale.edu
or FAX: 203.432.2585 (no cover sheet necessary)



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