

Theatre & Dance at Wayne

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Hilberry Gateway construction delays prompt Theatre and Dance at Wayne production schedule changes

DETROIT – Due to construction delays at the Hilberry Gateway, Theatre and Dance at Wayne has adjusted its winter semester production schedule. To accommodate the interruption of rehearsals, construction and preparation — along with ensuring student safety and the quality of our productions — performances have been adjusted, as detailed below. Theatre and Dance at Wayne thanks everyone for their understanding and flexibility as we prepare to enter an exciting new era in the Hilberry Gateway.

Current ticket holders affected by these adjusted dates will be contacted directly by the box office via email. If you wish to adjust your tickets, please contact the Theatre and Dance at Wayne box office at 313-577-2972 or boxoffice@wayne.edu. The box office can be reached from 2 to 6 p.m., Tuesday through Friday, as well as two hours before scheduled performances.

Updated Winter 2023 Production Schedule

Company Fresh Showcase	
Location: Allesee Dance Theatre	
Date	Time
Friday, March 24	8 p.m.
Saturday, March 25	2 and 8 p.m.

To Sangana presents “Connections”	
Location: Allesee Dance Theatre	
Date	Time
Saturday, April 1	7:30 p.m.
Sunday, April 2	3 p.m.

Dance Workshop Showcase	
Location: Allesee Dance Theatre	
Date	Time
Friday, April 7	7:30 p.m.
Saturday, April 8	2 and 7:30 p.m.

Cabaret	
Location: STAGE – Hilberry Gateway	
Date	Time
Friday, April 7	8 p.m.
Saturday, April 8	2 and 8 p.m.
Wednesday, April 12	2 p.m.
Thursday, April 13	7 p.m.
Friday, April 14	8 p.m.
Saturday, April 15	2 and 8 p.m.
Sunday, April 16	3 p.m.

She Kills Monsters	
Location: Allesee Dance Theatre	
Date	Time
Friday, April 14	8 p.m.
Saturday, April 15	2 and 8 p.m.

Marcus; or the Secret of Sweet	
Location: STUDIO – Hilberry Gateway	
Date	Time
Friday, April 14	8 p.m.
Saturday, April 15	2 and 8 p.m.
Wednesday, April 19	2 p.m.
Thursday, April 20	7 p.m.
Friday, April 21	8 p.m.
Saturday, April 22	2 and 8 p.m.
Sunday, April 23	3 p.m.

94th Annual Spring Dance Concert	
Location: STAGE – Hilberry Gateway	
Date	Time
Friday, April 21	7:30 p.m.

Saturday, April 22	7:30 p.m.
Sunday, April 23	3 p.m.

Motor City Cabaret	
Location: Allesee Dance Theatre	
Date	Time
Friday, April 28	8 p.m.
Saturday, April 29	2 and 8 p.m.

Orlando	
Location: STUDIO – Hilberry Gateway	
Date	Time
Friday, May 5	8 p.m.
Saturday, May 6	2 and 8 p.m.
Wednesday, May 10	2 p.m.
Thursday, May 11	7 p.m.
Friday, May 12	8 p.m.
Saturday, May 13	2 and 8 p.m.
Sunday, May 14	3 p.m.

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Wayne State University COVID-19 Policy

Masks are optional but strongly recommended. Visitors no longer need to complete the Wayne State Daily Screener and masks are now optional. Theatre and Dance at Wayne abides by Wayne State COVID protocols to ensure the safest environment for you and our community. Our commitment to your health and safety includes timely updates to university protocols.

About the Hilberry Gateway

The [College of Fine, Performing and Communication Arts](#) presents the Hilberry Gateway: the future performance home for the Maggie Allesee Department of Theatre and Dance and the Department of Music, currently under construction at the corner of Cass and Forest. It will house two state-of-the-art theatres with 21st-century technology design, the production facilities and the Gretchen C. Valade Jazz Center.

- A 550-seat proscenium theatre and an up-to 150-seat black box theatre

- The 350-seat Gretchen C. Valade Jazz Center (the renovated Hilberry Theatre at Cass and Hancock), plus the 110-seat Jazz Underground
- Outdoor performance and reception space between the two theatre buildings that opens to Cass Avenue

The Hilberry Gateway is scheduled to open in Spring 2023.

About Theatre and Dance at Wayne

Theatre and Dance at Wayne is the producing entity of the Maggie Allesee Department of Theatre and Dance, a department within the College of Fine, Performing and Communication Arts at Wayne State University. The department offers undergraduate and graduate programs in theatre and dance, including a Bachelor of Arts in Theatre; Bachelor of Fine Arts in Theatre with an emphasis in either Performance, Design and Technology, or Stage Management; Bachelor of Science in Dance; Bachelor of Fine Arts in Dance; Master of Fine Arts in Acting, Set Design, Costume Design, Lighting Design, Stage Management, and Theatre Management; Master of Arts in Teaching Artistry; and a Master of Arts in Arts Administration. Minors are available in Africana Theatre and Dance, Theatre Design and Technology, Theatre, Theatre Management, Dance, Community and Studio Dance. Additional information on academic programs can be found at theatreanddance.wayne.edu/

About Wayne State University

Wayne State University is one of the nation's preeminent public research universities in an urban setting. Through its multidisciplinary approach to research and education, and its ongoing collaboration with government, industry and other institutions, the university seeks to enhance economic growth and improve the quality of life in the city of Detroit, state of Michigan and throughout the world. For more information about research at Wayne State University, visit research.wayne.edu/

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