



INVISIBLE THEATRE - PRESS RELEASE

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Invisible Theatre continues its 49th Anniversary Season

with

MADE FOR EACH OTHER

by

Monica Bauer

Directed by

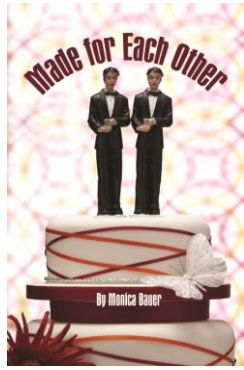
John D. FitzGibbon

Three Performances Only!

November 15-16, 2019

(October 29, 2019, Tucson, Arizona); This not-to-be-missed play by acclaimed Tucson Playwright Monica Bauer has been performed to rave reviews at the Edinburgh Fringe Festival, Orlando Fringe, Boulder Fringe, Off-Broadway at the United Solo Festival and The 2019 Hollywood Fringe Festival. Gay marriage, with an Alzheimer's twist. One actor plays four parts in this tour de force drama with lighthearted comedy about a gay couple, the power of memory, and the need to tell the truth. NY Guest Artist John Fico will reprise his award winning ("an incredible performance" *Three Weeks*) role in this five-star hit

This production is made possible in part through the generous support of Bella Eibensteiner



MADE FOR EACH OTHER by Monica Bauer will play Friday, November 15, 2019 at 7:30 PM and Saturday, November 16, 2019 at 3:00 PM and 7:30 PM at the Invisible Theatre, located at 1400 N. First Avenue (at Drachman), Tucson, AZ 85719.

The single show ticket price for **MADE FOR EACH OTHER** is \$35. Discounts are available for groups, seniors, active military and students. Rush tickets are available for purchase at half-price one half hour prior to performance time and are subject to availability.

Tickets are available for purchase by calling the Invisible Theatre Box Office at (520) 882-9721 and are also available 24/7 on-line through OvationTix at www.invisibletheatre.com.

The running time is 60 minutes with no intermission, plus post-show discussion.

MADE FOR EACH OTHER is appropriate for mature ages 13 and up.

THE INVISIBLE THEATRE

The Invisible Theatre (IT) of Tucson, a 501(c)(3) organization, is dedicated to producing quality theatre and arts education experiences for all facets of the community in an intimate setting that showcases local professional talent and guest artists. IT takes its name from the invisible energy that flows between a performer and audience, creating the magic of theatre. Started in 1971 as an arena for local playwrights, the theatre has expanded its programs to include adaptations of classics and recent Off-Broadway plays and musicals, while continuing to encourage new playwrights through both full productions and staged readings.

Under the leadership of Managing Artistic Director Susan Claassen, Associate Artistic Director James Blair, and PR Director Cathy Johnson, IT is strongly committed to community service and outreach programs. The company's current season includes a six play Main Stage season, many special events, a world class cabaret series, organizational collaborations, educational tours, seminars that encourage community dialogue and Project Pastime – an educational theatre program for mentally challenged youth.

The Invisible Theatre, the recipient of the first Arizona Theatre Association Award for Best Producing Theatre Company, is a member of the Theatre Communications Group and has long enjoyed both local and national recognition for its strong leadership role in the arts community. Productions take place in an intimate 80-seat converted laundry building. IT celebrates its 49th season with an even greater commitment to professionalism, artistic excellence, accessibility, freedom of expression, diverse programming and creative challenge – thus making the Invisible Theatre a very visible force in Tucson's cultural community.

ABOUT THE PEOPLE

JOHN FICO, NY GUEST ARTIST



JOHN FICO won the 2017 Planet Connections Theatre Festivity award for Outstanding Featured Actor in a Comedy for his role in *ANNE RANK IN THE GAZA STRIP* after several years of festival engagements in *MADE FOR EACH OTHER* (NYC: East-to-Edinburgh, EAT's One Man Talking, United Solo, Left Out, Planet Connections 2010 (Nominated: Outstanding Actor in a Solo Show), Edinburgh Fringe, Orlando Fringe, Boulder Fringe, Tucson Solo.) both by Off-Broadway playwright Monica Bauer. Notable NYC credits: *AS I LAY DYING* (Live Source) A. R. Gurney's *SCREEN PLAY* (Flea Theater), *IRON CURTAIN* (Prospect Theatre, Off-Broadway), *THE MOST RIDICULOUS THING YOU EVER HOID* (2010 NYMF winner Outstanding Ensemble Performance), *A STOOP ON ORCHARD STREET* (Mazur Theater), *THE HIGHER EDUCATION OF KHALID AMIR* (2008 MITF, Nominated Outstanding Supporting Actor), *PINK ELEPHANTS - THE MUSICAL* (Slipper Room), and several editions of *STICKY!* (Bowery Poetry Club). TV & Web Series: *The Blacklist*, *I Love You But I Lied* and *The Outs*. (Photo credit courtesy of the artist.)

MONICA BAUER, PLAYWRIGHT



MONICA BAUER is a playwright and former college professor who has been a full-time Tucson resident since 2015. Her education includes a B.A. from Brown, M. Div. from Yale, and a M.A. and Ph.D. from the University of Nebraska. In addition, Monica was the 2005 Teaching Fellow in the Graduate Playwriting Program at Boston University, where she received an MA in playwriting. She worked with Beth Henley at the Sewanee Writer's Conference, and in master classes with Edward Albee and Will Eno at the Great Plains Theatre Conference. She received an Emerging Playwright Award from Urban Stages; Heideman Award Finalist for *ANSWERING*; Winner, Kennedy Center Tiny Plays for Ireland and America for *NO IRISH NEED APPLY*. Her produced full length plays include *THE MATERNAL INSTINCT*, *THE HIGHER EDUCATION OF KHALID AMIR*, *MADE FOR EACH OTHER*, *MY OCCASION OF SIN*, *CHOSEN CHILD* and *VIVIAN'S MUSIC*, 1969. Her plays have been published by Brooklyn Press and Heuer. (Photo credit courtesy of the artist.)

TO PURCHASE TICKETS OR FOR INFORMATION:

To charge tickets by phone, call our Box Office at (520) 882-9721.

You may also visit the Box Office in the Invisible Theatre Lobby (1400 N. First Avenue at Drachman).

To buy tickets online 24/7, go to www.invisibletheatre.com and click on the OvationTix logo.

Visa, MasterCard, Discover and American Express are accepted.

WHEELCHAIR ACCESS:

The Invisible Theatre is fully accessible to patrons using wheelchairs or with other mobility challenges. Seating areas to accommodate persons using wheelchairs are located in the theatre. If patrons require special seating they should inform the Box Office at (520) 882-9721.

ABOUT THIS PRESS RELEASE:

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ONLINE MEDIA MATERIALS:

Attached to this email is a photo of John Fico, NY guest artist, and also Monica Bauer, playwright. These photos are also available at www.invisibletheatre.com (Press). You may also send an email to cathy@invisibletheatre.com requesting photos be sent directly to you.

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