Mosquitoes by Lucy Kirkwood



Fourth-Year Drama Production 2024–25 Season

Juilliard



Welcome to the Juilliard Drama Division's production of Lucy Kirkwood's *Mosquitoes*. We are excited to continue our fourth-year season with this powerful production that explores the territory between personal boundaries and scientific frontiers.

In their final year at Juilliard, fourth-year actors call on all aspects of their training, bringing passion and conviction to a compelling and diverse roster of plays in collaboration with professional directors and designers and our expert production department. We hope you will return to the McClelland Drama Theater in December for Will Power's *The Seven*, directed by Raz Golden; and in February for William Shakespeare's *Twelfth Night*, directed by Miranda Haymon.

In the spring, third-year actors from Group 55 will make their Drama Theater debut with two exciting plays.

We are very happy to be able to share our season with you and look forward to seeing you again and again at Juilliard.

Warmly,



Evan Yionoulis Richard Rodgers Dean and Director of the Drama Division

The Juilliard School presents

A Fourth-Year (Group 54) Performance Project

Mosquitoes

by Lucy Kirkwood

directed by Lisa Peterson

November 8–11, 2024 Stephanie P. McClelland Drama Theater

Friday at 7:30pm Saturday at 1pm and 8pm Sunday at 7pm Monday at 7:30pm

Scenic Design: Tanya Orellana Costume Design: Dina El-Aziz Lighting Design: Cat Tate Starmer

Sound Design and Original Music Composition: Liam Bellman-Sharpe

Projection Design: Stefania Bulbarella

Production Stage Manager: Iván Dario Cano*

* This individual appears courtesy of Actors' Equity Association.

MOSQUITOES was first performed in the Dorfman Auditorium of the National Theatre, London, on July 25, 2017.

Originally commissioned by Manhattan Theatre Club, (Lynne Meadow, Artistic Director;

Barry Grove, Executive Producer) with funds provided by the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation.





Please make certain that all electronic devices are turned off during the performance. The taking of photographs and the use of recording equipment are not permitted.

Cast (in order of appearance)

Jenny Kay Benson
Alice Elizaveta
The Boson Gabriel Gaston

Luke Taip Oskar Ćeman
Natalie/Journalist Leela Bassuk
Karen Katherine Lane
Henri/Cameraman Omete Anassi
Gavriella Bastianelli/ Mia Wurqaft

Policewoman

French Scientist/Guard Luca Fontaine*

Mosquitoes will be performed with a 10-minute intermission.

Alexander Technique Coach

Production Team for Mosquitoes

Dwight Bacquie Charlotte Okie Alicia Rodis Kira Weaver[†]

Associate Projection Designer/ Video Programmer Lizzy McClelland[†] Sarah Woods Sarah Woods Sarah Woods Sarah Woods

Fight/Intimacy Director

Stage Manager

 Production Managers
 Stage Supervisor
 Stagehand
 Fight Captain

 Duncan Gallagher
 Connell Gess
 Hank Boyan
 Mia Wurgaft

lan Guzzone

Voice Coach

Production Activities Manager,
Drama
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Jennifer Linn Wilcox

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The Company of Actors in their fourth year of training in the Juilliard Drama Division



lyinoluwa Michael Akintoye



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Gabriel Gaston



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