

# —Theatre & Art Groups —

# **About Face Theatre**

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Website: www.aboutfacetheatre.com
Facebook: @About Face Theatre
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Description: AFT exists to create exceptional, innovative and adventurous theater and educational programming that advances the national dialogue on sexual and gender identity.

#### **Airmid Theatre Company**

804 Hampshire Road Bay Shore, NY 11706 USA Contact: Tricia McDermott, Artistic Director Telephone: (631) 704-2888 Email: <u>info@airmidtheatre.org</u> Website: <u>www.airmidtheatre.org</u>/ Facebook: @Airmid Theatre

Twitter: @AirmidTheatre

Description: ATC produces classic works by women. With these plays at the heart of its mission, the company creates a safe home for theatre artists and ignites broad public recognition of the essential contribution women have made to the worlds of theatre, dramatic literature, and society. By establishing the history of playwriting by women and professionally producing their work with actors of both genders as the playwrights intended, they open the door to broader discussion on women's roles today and in the future.

# And Toto Too Theatre Company

P.O. Box 17163 Denver, CO 80217 USA Telephone: 720-583-3975 Email: info@andtototo.org

Website: http://www.andtototoo.org/

Description: And Toto Theatre Company promotes women in the arts, with a focus on producing new works by women playwrights. Their goal is to become an incubator for these works, spearheading their production at venues nationally and internationally.

# Artemisia, A Chicago Theatre

% Unity Lutheran Church 1212 West Balmoral Avenue Chicago, IL 60640 USA Stage 773 1225 West Belmont Chicago, IL 60657

Telephone: 773-327-5252 Email: <u>artemisiatheatre@gmail.com</u> Website: <u>http://www.artemisiatheatre.org</u> Facebook: @Artemisia Chicago Theatre Twitter: @artemisia4vr

Description: Artemisia is a not for profit theatre dedicated to producing female centric entertainment that challenges the perception of women. Artemisia makes women heroes by sharing their stories and amplifying their voices.

# Asian American Women Artists Association

1890 Bryant Street, Suite 302 San Francisco, CA 94110 USA Telephone: 415-252-7996 Email: info@aawaa.net Website: https://www.aawaa.net/

Description: The AAWAA mission is to advance the visibility and recognition of Asian American women in the arts. Through exhibitions, publications, public programs and an informative website, AAWAA is an accessible resource and portal for educators, academics, researchers, arts and social justice communities, and the general public.

# **Babes With Blades Theatre Company**

Telephone: 773-904-0391 Email: <u>postal@babeswithblades.org</u> Website: <u>http://babeswithblades.org/</u> Facebook: @Babes With Blades Twitter: @BabesWithBlades Description: Babes With Blades Theatre (

Description: Babes With Blades Theatre Company uses stage combat to place women and their stories center stage. Through performance, script development, training, and outreach, our

ensemble creates theatre that explores the wide range of the human experience, and cultivates broader perspectives in the arts community and in society as a whole.

#### **Brava! for Women in the Arts**

2781 24th Street San Francisco, CA 94110 USA Telephone: 415-641-7657 Email: info@brava.org Website: www.brava.org Facebook: @Brava Theater

Twitter: @BravaTheater

Description: Brava! For Women in the Arts is a professional arts organization dedicated to cultivating the artistic expression of women, LGBTQIA, people of color, youth and other underrepresented voices.

# The Dark Lady Players

New York, New York USA Email: <u>darkladyplayers@aol.com</u> Website: <u>http://www.darkladyplayers.com/</u>

Facebook: @Dark Lady Players

Description: The Dark Lady Players perform the allegories in the Shakespearean plays to show that The Dark Lady, the feminist poet Amelia Bassano Lanier, created them as religious parodies which were fronted by Shakespeare, the play-broker.

# **Echo Theatre**

P.O. Box 570422 Dallas, TX 75357-0422 USA Telephone: 214-546-8736 Email: <u>mail@echotheatre.org</u> Website: <u>http://www.echotheatre.org</u> Facebook: @Echo Theatre Dallas Twitter: @EchoDallas

Description: Echo Theater is the Southwest's premiere theatrical organization dedicated to producing work created by women+, tackling difficult topics with sensitivity, embracing comedy with abandon and exploring all facets of the human condition.

# Gibney: Company, Community, Center

890 Broadway, Fifth Floor New York, NY 10003 USA Telephone: 212-677-8560 Email: development@gibneydance.org

280 Broadway New York, NY 10007 USA Telephone: 646-837-6809

Website: <u>http://www.gibneydance.org/</u> Facebook: @Gibney Dance Page Twitter: @GibneyDance

Description: A dance company, performing arts hub and social action incubator, Gibney, through expansive programming, pushes boundaries, addresses pressing issues, lifts voices and mobilizes the power of movement to transform lives, and in turn, change the world we live in.

# Giwayen Mata, Inc.

1241 Campbellton Place, SW Atlanta, GA 30310 Telephone: 678-613-8342 Director Email: tomiyale@giwayenmata.org Website: http://giwayenmata.org

Description: Giwayen Mata, the award-winning, dynamic, soul-stirring, all-sistuh dance, percussion and vocal ensemble, celebrates the lives of women and uplifts communities and the planet, while perpetuating the cultures of Africa and the Afrikan Diaspora through the study, creation, teaching and presentation of artistic media including dances, rhythms, songs, poetry and prose around the world.

# **Guerrilla Girls**

Telephone: 917-742-2973 Email: <u>info@guerrillagirls.com</u> Website: <u>http://www.guerrillagirls.com</u> Facebook: @Guerrilla Girls Twitter: @guerrillagirls

Description: The Guerrilla Girls are feminist activist artists who wear gorilla masks in public and use facts, humor and outrageous visuals to expose gender and ethnic bias as well as corruption in politics, art, film, and pop culture.

# **Guerrilla Girls On Tour**

PO Box 125 Blue Point New York, NY 11715 USA Contact: Aphra Behn Email: <u>info@ggontour.com</u> Website: <u>www.ggontour.com</u> Twitter: @GuerrillaGsOT

Description: Anonymous/feminist New York City based touring theatre company that creates fresh and original comedies celebrating women's history — past, present and future. All work is presented using masks and draws from a variety of classic theatre techniques such as physical theatre, vaudeville and parody resulting in a unique style.

# **Honest Accomplice Theatre**

17 Kermit Place

Brooklyn, NY 11218 USA

Telephone: 646-591-7051 Email: <u>admin@honestaccomplice.org</u> Website: <u>http://honestaccomplice.org/</u> Facebook: @Honest Accomplice

Twitter: @HonestAccomThtr

Description: Honest Accomplice Theatre is a non-profit with a mission to generate dialogue and stimulate change by focusing on topics that are often silenced, seen as shameful, or portrayed as one-dimensional, specifically through the lens of the women and trans experience. To deliver on this mission, Honest Accomplice Theatre produces work by the community, with the community, and for the community.

# La Centrale Galerie Powerhouse

4296 St-Laurent Boulevard Montréal Québec H2W 1Z3 Canada Telephone: 514 871 0268 Email: galerie@lacentrale.org Website: http://www.lacentrale.org/en Facebook: @La Centrale Galerie Powerhouse Twitter: @lacentralemtl

Description: La Centrale galerie Powerhouse is an artist-run centre dedicated to the dissemination and development of multidisciplinary feminist practices. It is committed to supporting practices and artists that are not very visible in the dominant cultural institutions, and this at various stages of their careers. Our programming dialogues with feminisms and supports intersectionality and social justice.

# **Live Girls Theatre**

Seattle, WA USA Email: info@lgtheater.org Website: http://lgtheater.org Twitter: @lgtheater Description: Live Girls! Theater is a Seattle based theater company dedicated to producing and developing new plays by women.

# Los Angeles Women's Shakespeare Company (LAWSC)

1158 26th Street, Suite 399 Santa Monica, CA 90403 USA Telephone: 310-453-5069 Email: lawsc@earthlink.net Website: http://www.lawsc.net/ Facebook: @Los Angeles Women's Shakespeare Company Twitter: @lawtf Description: A nonprofit organization which produces professional productions of Shakespeare's plays with an all-female ensemble.

# Los Angeles Women's Theatre Festival

LAWTF PO Box 94 North Hollywood, CA 91603 USA Telephone: 818-760-0408 Email: lawtfspotlight@yahoo.com Website: http://www.lawtf.org Facebook: @Los Angeles Women's Theatre Festival Twitter: @lawtf

Description: The Los Angeles Women's Theatre Festival ("LAWTF") was organized to provide a vehicle for the development of women artists utilizing theatre to educate, enlighten and empower solo artists, audiences and volunteers.

# [The] Los Angeles Women's Theatre Project

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Website: http://www.losangeleswomenstheatreproject.org/
Facebook: @TheLAWomensTheatreProject
Twitter: @Deejae1
Founded: 2007
Description: The Los Angeles Women's Theatre Project was founded in 2007 by Playwright Dee
Jae Cox and Executive Producer/Songwriter Michele Weiss, as a 501 (c) 3 nonprofit organization

Jae Cox and Executive Producer/Songwriter Michele Weiss, as a 501 (c) 3 nonprofit organization in order to address the critical lack of representation that women face in theatre, film and all aspects of the media and Performing Arts. The LAWTP is dedicated to the education, support, promotion and production of performance projects that are created by women and are of interest and benefit to women.

# The Magdalena Project

Brynderwen Llangranog Llandysul Sa44 6ad, Ceredigion Wales Email: magdalena@themagdalenaproject.org

Website: http://www.themagdalenaproject.org/en

Description- The Magdalena Project is a dynamic cross-cultural network of women's theatre and performance, facilitating critical discussion, support and training. It is a nexus for diverse performance groups and individuals whose common interest lies in a commitment to ensuring the visibility of women's artistic endeavour.

# National Association of Women Artists

National Association of Women Artists, NAWA 315 West 39th Street 15 Gramercy Park South, Room 301 New York, NY 10003 USA Telephone: 646-461-0068 Email: office@thenawa.org Website: http://www.nawanet.org Facebook: @The NAWA Twitter: @NAWAnews Description: Promotes women artists of all backgrounds and traditions through exhibitions, pro programs, and its historic archive.

#### National Museum of Women in Arts

1250 New York Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC 20005-3970 Telephone: 202-783-5000, 1-800-783-5000 Website: www.nmwa.org Facebook: @Women In The Arts Twitter: @womeninthearts Description: The only museum in the world dedicated exclusively to recognizing the contributions of women artists.

# **New Georges**

Office:

New Georges 25 Broadway, 9th Floor New York, NY 10004 USA The Room: New Georges 520 Eighth Avenue, 3rd Floor New York, NY 10018 USA Telephone: 646-336-8077 Email: info@newgeorges.org Website: http://www.newgeorges.org Facebook: @New Georges

Twitter: @newgeorges

Founded: 1972

Description: Founded by women actors concerned about the scarcity of roles for women. New Georges is a play and acting development organization that produces new plays by women.

# The Nora Theatre Company

Central Square Theater 450 Massachusetts Avenue Cambridge, MA 02139 USA Telephone: 617-576-9278 Email: info@centralsquaretheater.org

Website: www.thenora.org

Description: The Nora Theatre Company produces illuminating contemporary and modern classic theater and champions the voice of women.

# Nora's Playhouse

P.O. Box 21597 Brooklyn, NY 11202 USA

Email: <u>norasplayhouse@gmail.com</u> Website: <u>http://www.norasplayhouse.org/</u> Facebook: @Nora's Playhouse Twitter: @norasplayhouse

Twitter: @norasplayhouse

Description: Nora's Playhouse provides an environment for women's stories to be told through the collaboration of women theatre artists. Nora's Playhouse is interested in telling a wide range of women's stories and has a particular commitment to shedding light on women's human rights issues. Our long-term vision includes educational theatre outreach to teenage girls.

# The Paper Birds Theatre Company

3 St Peter's Buildings York Street Leeds, West Yorkshire LS9 8AJ UK

Email: <u>info@thepaperbirds.com</u> Website: <u>http://www.thepaperbirds.com/</u> Twitter: @ThePaperBirds

Facebook: @ThePaperBirdsTheatre

Description: The Paper Birds are an all female collective based in Leeds, West Yorkshire. The company was co-founded in 2003 by a group of women who shared a passion and respect for experimental theatre. Since forming, The Paper Birds has continued to devise highly visual, physical theatre. The company tours and delivers workshops both nationally and internationally.

# **Parity Productions**

450 West 17th Street, Suite 604

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New York, NY 10011-5818 USA Telephone: 646-737-5180 Email: <u>info@parityproductions.org</u> Website: <u>https://parityproductions.org/</u> Facebook: @Parity Prods Twitter: Description: Parity Productions combines a

Description: Parity Productions combines art and advocacy with its mission to create new and innovative work as well as hire 50% women and TGNC artists. It is a 501(c)(3), not-for-profit theatre company formed in 2016 by international award-winning director, Ludovica Villar-Hauser.

# **Professional Women Photographers**

119 West 72nd Street, #223

New York, NY 10023
USA

Email: info@pwponline.org
Website: <a href="http://www.pwponline.org">http://www.pwponline.org</a>
Facebook: @ProfessionalWomenPhotographers
Twitter: @PWPonlineorg
Description: Professional Women Photographers (PWP) is a non-profit organization dedicated to the advancement of women photographers.

# **Rosalind Productions**

Los Angeles, CA USA Email: <u>rosalindprods@gmail.com</u> Website: <u>http://www.rosalindproductions.com</u> Facebook: @rosalindproductions Twitter: @rosalindprods Description: Rosalind Productions explores stories in which the female characters are as vital, complex and influential as the male characters.

# [The] Society of Women Artists

UK

Website: <u>https://www.society-women-artists.org</u>

Facebook: @SWABritain

Email: info@society-women-artists.org.uk

Description: The Society of Women Artists (SWA) is a British art body and registered charity that has had a unique history dedicated to promoting art by women. The SWA are keen to promote new artists from the UK and internationally and encourage non-members and young artists to show their work at the SWA annual exhibitions.

# **Sphinx Theatre Company**

London England Email: info@sphinxtheatre.co.uk Website: www.sphinxtheatre.co.uk/ Twitter: @sphinxtheatre Facebook: @SphinxTheatreCompany Founded: 1973 Description: Founded as The Women's Theatre Group in 1973 Sphinx Theatre Company, renamed in 1990, has been in the vanguard of promoting, advocating and inspiring women in the arts through productions, conference and research.

# **Spiderwoman Theater**

333 DeGraw Street Brooklyn, NY 11231 USA Telephone: 929-4869879 Email: <u>info@spiderwomantheater.org</u> Website: <u>http://spiderwomantheater.org/</u> Facebook: @Spiderwoman Theater

Description: A mission to present exceptional theatre performance and to offer theater training and education rooted in an urban Indigenous performance practice, creating an environment where the Indigenous, women's and arts communities can come together to examine and discuss their cultural, social and political concerns.

# **Split Britches**

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Twitter: @Split\_Britches
Facebook: @Split Britches
Founded: 1980
Description: Founded in New York in 1980 with Deb Margolin, Split Britches continues with the duo and solo work of Lois Weaver and Peggy Shaw which spans satirical, gender-bending performance, methods for public engagement, videography, digital and print media, explorations of ageing and wellbeing, and iconic lesbian-feminist theatre.

[The] Takarazuka Revue Japan Website: <u>https://www.kageki.hankyu.co.jp</u> Facebook: @TakarazukaRevue Description: The Takarazuka Revue is a Japanese all-female musical theatre troupe based in Takarazuka, Hyogo Prefecture, Japan. Women play all roles in lavish, Broadway-style productions of Western-style musicals and stories adapted from films, novels, shojo manga, and Japanese folktales.

# **Tennessee Women's Theater Project**

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 15825 Nashville, TN 37215-8525 Physical Address: Z. Alexander Looby Theatre 2301 Rosa L. Parks Blvd. Nashville, TN 37228 USA Telephone: 615-681-7220 Website: http://www.twtp.org/ Facebook: @TennesseeWomen'sTheaterProject Twitter: @twtp\_dot\_org Description: Giving a voice to women through theater arts.

# **Theatre Unbound**

P.O. Box 6134 Minneapolis MN 55406 USA Telephone: 612-721-1186 Email: <u>info@theatreunbound.com</u> Website: <u>www.theatreunbound.com</u>

Facebook: @TheatreUnbound

Description: Theatre Unbound delivers thought-provoking live theatre conceived and created by women, providing audiences with engaging, rarely-seen perspectives on issues that are relevant and universal.

# **Twenty Percent Theatre Company**

Minneapolis, MN USA Telephone: 612-227-1188 Email: info@tctwentypercent.org Website: www.tctwentypercent.org

Facebook: @20 Theatre Company Twin Cities

Description: The 20% Theatre Company is committed to supporting and vigorously promoting the work of female and transgender theatre artists, and celebrating the unique contribution of these artists to social justice and human rights.

# **Venus** Theatre

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21 C Street Laurel, MD 20707 USA Telephone: 202-236-4078 Email: Deb@venustheatre.org Website: http://www.venustheatre.org Facebook: @Venus Theatre Twitter: @venus\_theatre Description: A women's theatre company that performs plays by talented women playwrights and employs talented female actors, directors, designers and others.

# Vida: Women in Literary Arts

New York USA Email: info@vidaweb.org Website: http://www.vidaweb.org Facebook: @VIDAlit Twitter: @VIDA\_lit Founded: 2009 Description: VIDA is a non-profit, intersectional feminist literary organization. We are dedicated to creating transparency surrounding gender imbalances and the lack of diversity in the literary

Voix de Femmes ASBL Rue Saint-Thomas, 32 4000 Liège Belgique Tel: +32 (0) 4 257 48 14 Contact: Flo Vandenberghe or Emilie Rouchon E-mail: contact@voixdefemmes.org Website: http://www.voixdefemmes.org/ Facebook: @Voix De Femmes Twitter: @voixdefemmes Founded: 1991

landscape. We also work to amplify historically-marginalized voices.

Description: Voix de Femmes est un projet en développement à l'intersection de la culture, des arts et du féminisme. Ses activités sont ancrées dans son engagement auprès des femmes artistes de toutes origines dans toutes les disciplines.

Description: Voix de Femmes is a developing project at the intersection of art, culture and feminism. Its activities are anchored in its commitment to women artists of all origins in all disciplines.

# WAM Theatre

PO Box 712 Lenox, MA 01240

USA

Telephone: 413-274-8122 Email: <u>info@wamtheatre.com</u> Website: <u>http://www.wamtheatre.com/</u> Facebook: @WAMTheatre

Description: WAM Theatre's philanthropic mission is two-fold. First, to create professional theatrical events for everyone with a focus on women theatre artists and/or stories of women and girls. Second, to donate a portion of the proceeds from those events to organizations that benefit women and girls worldwide.

# Woman Made Gallery

2150 S Canalport Avenue, 4A-3 Chicago, IL 60608 USA Telephone: 312-738-0400 Email: general@womanmade.org Website: http://www.womanmade.org Twitter: @WomanMade Facebook: @womanmadegallery.1992 Instagram: @womanmadegallery Founded: 1992 Description: The goal of Woman Made C

Description: The goal of Woman Made Gallery is to support all women in the arts by providing opportunities, awareness, and advocacy while building an alternative community where artistic values and criteria are determined by women, for women.

# Women Artists of the West

California USA Website: http://www.waow.org Facebook: @womenartistsofthewestorg Instagram: @womenartistsofthewest Founded: 1971 Description: Supports and promotes art created by women.

# WomenArts

1442 Walnut Street, Suite 67 Berkeley, CA 94709 USA
Telephone: 510-868-5096
Website: <u>www.womenarts.org</u>
Facebook: @WomenArts
Description: WomenArts is dedicated to increasing the visibility of women artists in all art forms.
We share news about trailblazing women artists and gender parity activists all year long.

#### Women in the Arts Inc.

7512 Dr. Phillips Blvd., Suite 50-635 Orlando, FL 32819 USA

Email: <u>womeninthearts@gmail.com</u> Website: <u>http://www.womenintheartsinc.org</u> Facebook: @womenintheartsinc

Twitter: @WomenintheArtsc

Description: Women in the Arts, Inc. is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization dedicated to promote and raise public awareness of women's contributions to the Arts, including performing, visual, written and fine arts. Women in the Arts celebrates and honors the genius of women, their artistic abilities and expressions through hosting an annual exhibit and fundraising event.

# Women In Comedy Festival

45 Prospect Street Cambridge, MA 02139 Email: info@wicf.com Website: http://www.womenincomedyfestival.com Facebook: @womenincomedyfestival Twitter: @WICF Description: Bringing together women and men from

Description: Bringing together women and men from all walks of comedy: improv, sketch, stand up, musical comedy, and storytelling stand up, WICF gives Boston comedy audiences a chance to see both local and nationally known comedians, and industry a chance to scout terrific talent.

# Women's Caucus for Art

P.O. Box 1498 Canal Street Station NY, NY 10013 USA

Office:

Women's Caucus for Art 640 Bartholomew Road, Room 122A Piscataway, NJ 08854 USA Contact: Karin Luner, Director of Operations

Email: k.luner@nationalwca.org

Website: www.nationalwca.org

Twitter: @artWCA

Facebook: @nationalWCA

Description: National member organization dedicated to expanding opportunities and recognition for women in the arts.

# Women's Studio Workshop

PO Box 489 Rosendale, NY 12472

USA

Telephone: 845-658-9133 Email: <u>info@wsworkshop.org</u> Website: <u>http://www.wsworkshop.org</u> Facebook: @Women's Studio Workshop Twitter: @WSWorkshop Founded: 1974 Description: The Women's Studio Workshop is an artist's workspace dedicated to encouraging the voice and vision of women artists while providing professional opportunities and employment for women at various stages of their careers.

# Women's Theatre Alliance

2936 N. Southport Chicago, IL 60657-4120 USA

Email: wtachicago@gmail.com

Website: www.wtachicago.org

Description: Membership organization devoted to supporting, promoting, and showcasing Chicago's female theatre artists

# The Women's Theater Company

The Women's Theater Company The Parsippany Playhouse 1130 Knoll Road Lake Hiawatha, NJ 07034 USA Telephone: 973-335-3038 Email: info@womenstheater.org Website: http://womenstheater.org/ Facebook: @The Women's Theater Company Twitter: @Womenstheater

Description: A professional theatre company dedicated to the development, promotion and inclusion of women in all aspects of theatre production.

# WOW Cafe Theatre

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Telephone: 917-725-1482
Email: wowcafetheater@gmail.com
Website: www.wowcafe.org
Twitter: @wowcafetheatre
Facebook: @wowcafetheatre
Description: WOW Cafe Theatre has been around since 1980. A collectively-run theatre, operating on a sweat-equity basis, open to any woman and/or transgender person. Offering

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artistic freedom, a working theater space to members, and the technical support to create and produce works, regardless of economic status.

# **WProject Theater**

2162 Broadway New York, NY 10024 USA Telephone: 212-765-1706 Email: info@womensproject.org Website: http://www.womensproject.org Facebook: @WPTheater Twitter: @WPTheater Description: WP Theater (formerly know

Description: WP Theater (formerly known as Women's Project Theater) is the nation's oldest and largest theater company dedicated to developing, producing and promoting the work of women and trans theater artists at every stage in their careers.

# **Zephyr Dance**

2010 North Damen Chicago, IL 60647 USA Telephone: 773-489-5069 Email: <u>michelle@zephyrdance.com</u> Website: <u>http://www.zephyrdance.com</u> Facebook: @Zephyr.dance Twitter: @Zephyr.dance Description: Modern women's dance company for women offering outreach and educational programs to help girls improve self-esteem.

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