
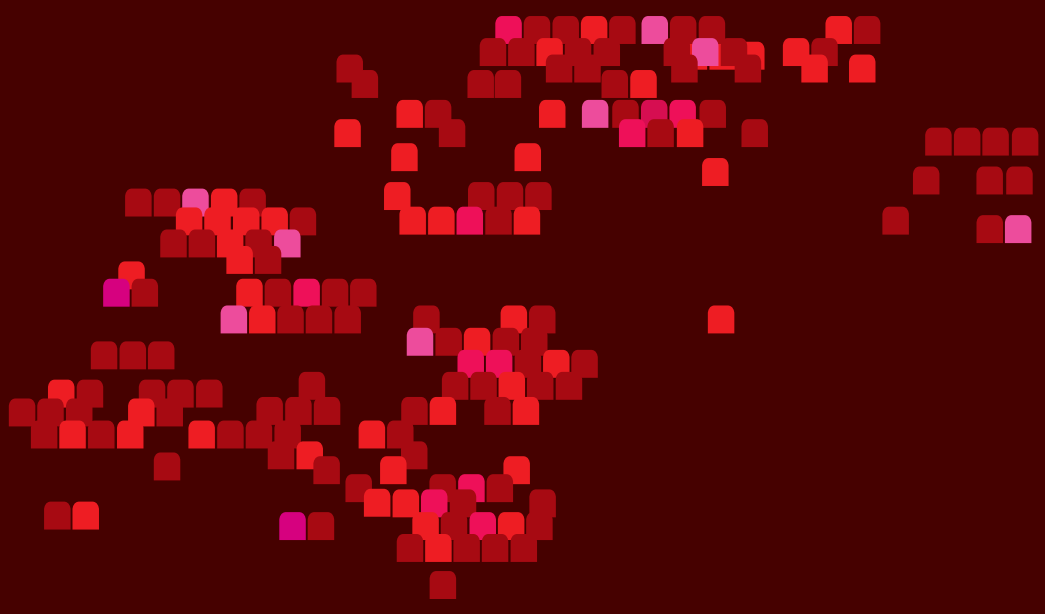




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## WORLD PREMIERE PLAY

Damon Chua

### **FILM CHINOIS**

Grove Theatre Center, Kevin Cochran and Charles Johanson

## WORLD PREMIERE MUSICAL

Rachel Sheinkin, Brendan Milburn and Valerie Vigoda

### **SLEEPING BEAUTY WAKES**

Book by Rachel Sheinkin; Music and Lyrics by Brendan Milburn and Valerie Vigoda  
Center Theatre Group: Kirk Douglas Theatre and Deaf West Theatre

## RAY STRICKLYN MEMORIAL AWARD FOR SOLO PERFORMANCE

Dael Orlandersmith

### **THE GIMMICK**

Fountain Theatre, Simon Levy

## ENSEMBLE PERFORMANCE

Russell Andrews, James Avery, Richard Brooks, Bill Lee Brown, Lizette Carrion, Alex Morris,  
Darryl Alan Reed, John Toles-Bey, Mel Winkler

### **JITNEY**

Executive Producer - Stagewalker Productions, Producers - Russell Andrews and Alan Nagggar

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## DIRECTION OF A PLAY

Stuart Rogers

### **THE LONG CHRISTMAS RIDE HOME**

Theatre Tribe, Sara Shapley & Stuart Rogers

## DIRECTION OF A MUSICAL

David Lee

### **CAN-CAN**

Pasadena Playhouse

## CHOREOGRAPHY

Lee Martino

### **ON YOUR TOES**

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## MUSICAL DIRECTION

### **TWO RECIPIENTS**

Dan Wheetman

### **BACK HOME AGAIN: A JOHN DENVER HOLIDAY CONCERT**

Rubicon Theatre Company and Harold Thau Productions

Brendan Milburn

### **SLEEPING BEAUTY WAKES**

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## TOURING PRODUCTION

### **JERSEY BOYS**

Center Theatre Group: Ahmanson Theatre, Dodger Theatricals, Joseph J. Grano, Tamara and Kevin Kinsella, Pelican Group, in association with Latitude Link and Rick Steiner

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## PLAY LARGE THEATRE

### **SOUVENIR**

Richmark Entertainment and Janice Montana

## FRANKLIN R. LEVY MEMORIAL AWARD FOR MUSICAL INTIMATE THEATRE

### **THE MARVELOUS WONDERETTES**

Marvelous Dreams, LLC, David Elzer and Peter Schneider

## MUSICAL LARGE THEATRE

### **HERSHEY FELDER AS GEORGE GERSHWIN ALONE**

Geffen Playhouse, Hershey Felder/Eighty-Eight Productions

## SET DESIGN INTIMATE THEATRE

Tom Buderwitz

### **PARADISE LOST: SHADOWS AND WINGS**

The Theatre @ Boston Court

## SET DESIGN LARGE THEATRE

### **TWO RECIPIENTS**

Roy Christopher

### **CAN-CAN**

Pasadena Playhouse

Keith Mitchell

### **THE VALUE OF NAMES**

Falcon Theatre

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## LIGHTING DESIGN INTIMATE THEATRE

Steven Young

### **PARADISE LOST: SHADOWS AND WINGS**

The Theatre @ Boston Court

## LIGHTING DESIGN LARGE THEATRE

Michael Gilliam

### **HERSHEY FELDER AS GEORGE GERSHWIN ALONE**

Geffen Playhouse, Hershey Felder/Eighty-Eight Productions

## SOUND DESIGN INTIMATE THEATRE

Martin Carrillo

### **PARADISE LOST: SHADOWS AND WINGS**

The Theatre @ Boston Court

## SOUND DESIGN LARGE THEATRE

Jon Gottlieb

### **HERSHEY FELDER AS GEORGE GERSHWIN ALONE**

Geffen Playhouse, Hershey Felder/Eighty-Eight Productions

## COSTUME DESIGN INTIMATE THEATRE

Audrey Fisher

### **TRYST**

Black Dahlia Theatre

## COSTUME DESIGN LARGE THEATRE

Tracy Christensen

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## LEAD ACTOR IN A PLAY

Alan Mandell as Francis Biddle

**TRYING**

The Colony Theatre Company

## LEAD ACTRESS IN A PLAY

Judy Kaye as Florence Foster Jenkins

**SOUVENIR**

Richmark Entertainment and Janice Montana

## LEAD ACTOR IN A MUSICAL

Hershey Felder as George Gershwin

**HERSHEY FELDER AS GEORGE GERSHWIN ALONE**

Geffen Playhouse, Hershey Felder/Eighty-Eight Productions

## LEAD ACTRESS IN A MUSICAL

Michelle Duffy as Pistache

**CAN-CAN**

Pasadena Playhouse

## FEATURED ACTOR IN A PLAY

**TWO RECIPIENTS**

Hugo Armstrong as Jim the Hanger

**BLEED RAIL**

The Theatre @ Boston Court

Dan Alemshah as Claudia Vestibule

**THE FAT OF THE LAND**

The New Theatre, Don Cummings, Dan Alemshah and Mary McBride

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## FEATURED ACTRESS IN A PLAY

Judith Moreland as Christine

**MISS JULIE**

Fountain Theatre

## FEATURED ACTOR IN A MUSICAL

David Engel

**CAN-CAN**

Pasadena Playhouse

## FEATURED ACTRESS IN A MUSICAL

Vicki Lewis as Mimi

**HOTEL C'EST L'AMOUR**

The Blank Theatre Company

## LA STAGE ALLIANCE BOARD OF GOVERNORS AWARDS:

### **CAREER ACHIEVEMENT**

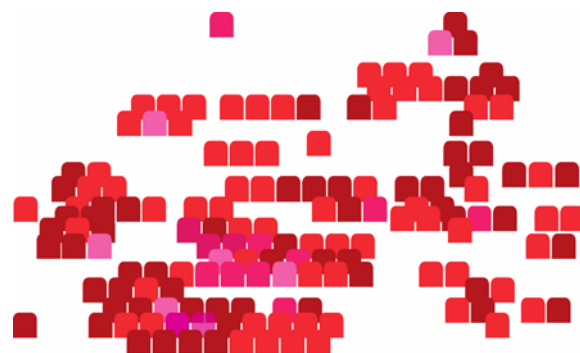
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### **THE JAMES A. DOOLITTLE LEADERSHIP IN THEATRE AWARD**

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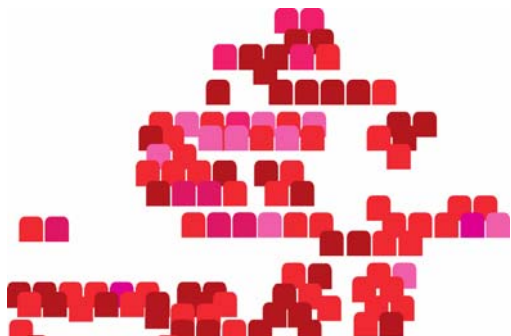
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