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## Mainstage Season | Student Production Season

### 2025-2026

- **Madison New Works Lab: Sarai's Knife, The Sparkle Wars**
- **New Dance Festival**
- **The Play That Goes Wrong**
- **The Light in the Piazza**
- **Dancescapes**
- **PIPPIN**
- **New Voices in Dance**
- **The House of Bernarda Alba**
- **Basement Demons and Trailer Saints**
- **Pillow Talk**
- **Romeo and Juliet**
- **Jesus Christ Superstar**
- **Little Women**
- **Holler if You Hear**

### 2024-2025

- **Madison New Works Lab: Grief Tour**
- **New Dance Festival**
- **Silent Sky**
- **Natasha, Pierre, and the Great Comet of 1812**
- **Dancescapes**
- **Big Fish**
- **The Antipodes**
- **New Voices in Dance**
- **TRAP**
- **Mr. Burns: A Post Electric Play**
- **A Wrinkle in Time**
- **How to Take Care of Your Flower**
- **The Trail to Oregon**
- **Friend Art**
- **The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee**

### 2023-2024

- **New Dance Festival**
- **Sunday in the Park with George**
- **Anon(ymous)**
- **Dancescapes**
- **The SpongeBob Musical**
- **New Voices in Dance**
- **The Birds**
- **Dance Nation**
- **In the Forests of the Night**
- **Too Much Light Makes the Baby Go Blind**
- **War Stories**
- **The Last Five Years**
- **Circle Mirror Transformation**

### 2022-2023

- **New Dance Festival**
- **The Humans**
- **Rent**
- **Dancescapes**
- **Chicago**
- **New Voices in Dance**
- **R.U.R**

### 2021-2022

- **A Midsummer Night's Dream**
- **Head Over Heels**
- **Dancescapes**
- **Once**
- **New Voices in Dance**
- **Isle of Noises**

### 2020-2021

The fall 2020 Mainstage production season did not occur due to COVID-19.

- **Figs and Open Letters (recorded and streamed)**
- **Godspell (recorded and streamed)**
- **Pandemic Project (recorded and streamed)**

### 2019-2020

- **New Dance Festival**
- **Everybody**
- **Twelfth Night, A Musical Adaptation**
- **Vinegar Tom**
- **Dancescapes**
- **Walls**
- **Side Show**

The remainder of the Mainstage production season was canceled due to COVID-19.

### 2018-2019

- **Intimate Apparel**
- **Into the Woods**
- **She Kills Monsters**
- **American Idiot**
- **Sotoba Komachi**
- **The Wolves**
- **The Moors**
- **Bare: A Pop Opera**

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### 2017-2018

- **New Dance**
- **Equus**
- **Out of Line**
- **School for Scandal**
- **Dancescapes**
- **Parade**
- **Stained Glass**
- **New Voices in Dance**
- **Out of Line**
- **Revolt! She Said, Revolt Again!**
- **Fall and Spring Student Dance Concert**
- **Senior Dance Concert**
- **Death and the Maiden**
- **Bridge to Terabithia**
- **I and You**
- **Scab**
- **Knuffle Bunny: A Cautionary Musical**
- **Just So Stories**
- **The Women**
- **Blood Run**

### 2016-2017

- **New Dance**
- **Serpentine Pink**
- **Children of Eden**
- **The Tempest**
- **Guys and Dolls**
- **Picnic**
- **Dancescapes**
- **New Voices in Dance**
- **Bad Jews**
- **Nathan the Wise**
- **Orlando**
- **Fall and Spring Student Dance Concerts**
- **Senior Dance Concert**
- **Lake Monsters**
- **Body Awareness**
- **Still Alive**
- **The Pillowman**
- **Dogfight**

### 2015-2016

- **New Dance**
- **Anton in Show Business**
- **Śakuntalā and the Ring of Recognition**
- **Wild Party**
- **Pretty Theft**

### 2015-2016 (cont'd)

- **First Lady Suite**
- **Dancescapes**
- **New Voices in Dance**
- **Danceshare**
- **The Aliens**
- **The Pillowman**
- **Dogfight**
- **Fall and Spring Student Dance Concerts**
- **Senior Dance Concert**
- **The Beaux' Strategem**
- **The Sound of a Voice**
- **The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (Abridged) [Revised]**
- **Little Women**
- **The Yellow Boat**
- **School House Rock**
- **Rumpelstiltskin**
- **Repunzel**
- **Broadway and Beyond**

### 2014-2015

- **New Dance**
- **How I Learned to Drive**
- **Machinal**
- **Sweet Charity**
- **The Cherry Orchard**
- **Gone Missing**
- **Dancescapes**
- **New Voices in Dance**
- **Other Desert Cities**
- **Man Speak Dance**
- **Stop Kiss**
- **Assassins**
- **Bent**
- **Shipwrecked**
- **Avenue Q**
- **Fall and Spring Student Dance Concerts**
- **Senior Dance Concert**
- **Movie Musical Magic**
- **Broadway Classics**
- **Upside-Down Fairy Tales**
- **Fancy Nancy The Musical**
- **Go, Dog. Go!**

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## 2013-2014

- **New Dance**
- **Boeing Boeing**
- **The Trojan Women**
- **Namely Muscles**
- **From Here to Broadway and Beyond**
- **Dancescapes**
- **Takuya Maramatsu of Dairakudakan**
- **All Shook Up**
- **Clybourne Park**
- **New Voices in Dance**
- Godspell
- Peter Pan
- Dr. Faustus
- Dark Play or Stories for Boys
- Our Glorious Cause
- Fall and Spring Student Dance Concerts
- Senior Dance Concert
- Light at the End of Water Street
- A Fear of Falling
- Middletown
- Mercy Killers
- Much Ado About Nothing
- Cabaret
- Cinderella: The Fairy Godmother's Tale
- A Year with Frog and Toad

## 2012-2013

- **subUrbia**
- **For Sale**
- **Anna in the Tropics**
- **Spring Awakening**
- **Romeo & Juliet**
- **Six Degrees of Andrew Lloyd Webber**
- **Contemporary Dance Ensemble in Concert**
- **New Dance Festival**
- **Metaphors in Motion**
- Awake and Sing!
- R.U.R
- Grey Gardens
- Sylvia
- Gruesome Playground Injuries
- They're Playing Our Song
- The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee
- Alumni Dance Concert
- Fall and Spring Student Dance Concerts
- Senior Dance Concert
- The Mouse and the Motorcycle
- Charlotte's Web

## 2011-2012

- **Our Country's Good**
- **Dead Man's Cell Phone**
- **Sweeney Todd**
- **The Servant of Two Masters**
- **Contemporary Dance Ensemble**
- **New Dance Festival**
- Macbeth
- Lucky Stiff
- A Girl Called Vincent
- The Effect of Gamma Rays on Man-In-The-Moon Marigolds
- Poe
- Two Week Theatre
- Experimental Theatre Replugged
- Bat Boy The Musical
- Fall and Spring Student Dance Concerts
- Senior Dance Concert
- Pinkalicious
- The Velveteen Rabbit

## 2010-2011

First Season in Forbes Center

- **Arcadia**
- **Metamorphoses**
- **Letters to Sala**
- **Kiss Me Kate**
- **Contemporary Dance Ensemble in Concert**
- **New Dance Festival**
- Defiance
- True West
- Miss Nelson is Missing
- Bright Lights, Big City
- Jewelers Shop
- Reckless
- I Love You Because
- Two Masters
- Songs for a New World
- Dog Sees God
- Our Town
- Fall and Spring Student Dance Concerts
- Senior Dance Concert
- The Diary of a Worm, a Spider and a Fly
- Cinderella

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## 2009-2010

- **The Diviners**
- **Picasso at the Lapin Agile**
- **Oklahoma**
- **bobrauchenbergamerica**
- **Contemporary Dance Ensemble in Concert**
- **New Dance Festival**
- Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?
- The Woman Who Always Got What She Wanted
- Originals
- "49"
- An Oak Tree
- Red Light Winter
- Aloha, Say the Pretty Girls
- Nine
- Senior Dance Concert
- Miss Nelson is Missing

## 2008-2009

- **Seventy Scenes of Halloween**
- **The Rover**
- **City of Angels**
- **Blood Wedding**
- **New Dance Festival**
- **Contemporary Dance Concert**
- Tomatoes at a Funeral
- Chess
- Closer
- Anyone Can Whistle
- The Chairs
- Ubu Roi
- The Little Beautifuls
- columbinus
- All the Things I Want to Say
- Senior Dance Concert

## 2007-2008

- **What the Butler Saw**
- **Jane Eyre**
- **Urinetown**
- **Twelfth Night**
- **New Dance Festival**
- **Contemporary Dance Concert**
- The Merchant of Venice
- Side Show
- Everyman

## 2007-2008 (cont'd)

- Julius Caesar
- Woyzeck / Agamemnon
- Suddenly Last Summer
- The Pillowman
- Edges
- Wind in the Willows
- Rumpelstiltskin
- The Near-Sighted Knight and the Far-Sighted Dragon

## 2006-2007

- **Sweetest Swing in Baseball**
- **The Laramie Project**
- **Thoroughly Modern Millie**
- **All My Sons**
- **Better Don't Talk**
- Proof
- Frat Boys, Mean Girls, and 586 Other Reasons to Boycott Women's Magazines
- Fat Pig
- The Real Inspector Hound
- Eleemosynary
- The Goat
- See What I Wanna See
- Prometheus
- Wild Party
- Emperor Jones

## 2005-2006

- **Blur**
- **Noises Off**
- **How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying**
- **Oedipus Variations**
- **New Dance Festival**
- Ripen Our Darkness
- Wit
- Brighton Beach Memoirs
- Alice in Wonderland
- Bug
- Best Supporting
- How to Fall Apart
- Boy Gets Girl
- I Never Sang for my Father
- Hanah and Gretel
- The Mouse and the Motorcycle
- The Velveteen Rabbit
- Aladdin and the Wonderful Lamp

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## 2004-2005

- **Shakespeare's R&J**
- **Chaucer in Rome**
- **Mystery of Edwin Drood, The**
- **Our Town**
- Bash
- Angels in America, Part I and Part 2
- The Last Five Years
- 1776
- 36 Views
- Nocturne
- Lilith is Dead (Original Student Production)
- Pinocchio
- Androcles and the Lion

## 2003-2004

- **Keeping Up with the Joneses**
- **Medea**
- **Anything Goes**
- **Hamlet Variations**
- Bat Boy the Musical
- Pieces (Original Student Play)
- Stitching
- References To Salvador Dali Make Me Hot
- Caucasian Chalk Circle
- Betty's Summer Vacation
- Strictly Experimental

## 2002-2003

- **A Flea in Her Ear**
- **The Glass Menagerie**
- **Pippin**
- **The Misanthrope**
- Thousand Clowns
- The Flip Side
- Sexual Perversity in Chicago
- The Laramie Project
- This is Our Youth
- Fall and Spring Student Dance Concert
- Of Mice and Men
- Trust
- The Shape of Things
- Cabaret
- Polaroid Stories
- Grooming
- Mineola Twins
- One Hundred
- Magic and Mischief (Original Student Play)
- Five Women Wearing the Same Dress
- Cinderella

## 2001-2002

- **A Fair Country**
- **The English Teachers**
- **Carnival**
- **The Bridegroom of Blowing Rock**
- You're a Good Man Charlie Brown
- Buried Child
- Animal Remains
- A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum
- The Big Honkin' Sketch Show
- Chicago
- Design for Living
- Crave
- Feeding the Moonfish
- Suburban Garden
- The Lovliest Afternoon of the Year
- In this Valley (A Dance piece)
- Shopping and Fucking

## 2000-2001

- **Cripple of Inishmaan**
- **Macbeth**
- **Into The Woods**
- **The Twin Menaechmi**
- As Bees in Honey Drown
- A Midsummer Night's Dream
- Valpraiso
- Oleanna
- Three Dead Bodies Lying on the Ground
- The Vagina Monologues
- Equus
- The House of Blue Leaves

## 1999-2000

- **Good Woman of Setzuan**
- **Moon for the Misbegotten**
- **110 in the Shade**
- **The Foreigner**
- Fences
- The Simpleton of the Unexpected Isles

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- **The Shadowlands**
- **The Tempest**
- **The Robber Bridegroom**
- **Three Sisters**
- Everymn
- Orpheus Descending
- True West
- Looking for it - *one acts including...*
- Andre's Mother
- Yesterday's Window
- American Saint
- Sure Thing
- Death and the Maiden
- Endgame
- Rumpelstiltskin
- The Bremen Town Musicians

## 1997-1998

- **Sylvia**
- **Carriage**
- **The Mikado**
- **The Importance of Being Earnest**
- Sunday, Monday, and Albert Drew
- The Betrayal
- July '74
- Goodnight Desdemona
- Mother, Father, Man
- Static
- Blenders With Guns
- Blood Brothers
- Fool for Love
- Arcadia
- Raised in Captivity
- Charlotte's Web
- Rapunzel

## 1996-1997

- **Filumena**
- **Agnes of God**
- **Kiss Me Kate**
- **The Professional**
- Little Shop of Horrors
- Christopher Durang's one-act play, "Titanic"

## 1995-1996

- **Brigadoon**
- **School for Wives**
- **The Wake of Jamie Foster**
- **King Lear**
- Blithe Spirit
- Moonlight

## 1994-1995

- **She Loves Me**
- **Talley's Folly**
- **The Bacchae**
- **Rosencrantz and Guildenstern are Dead**
- American Buffalo
- Wait Until Dark
- Man from Ganymede (original)
- Cloud 9
- Small Domestic Acts
- Penetrator
- Assassins
- The Color Wheel
- The Diviners
- Godspell
- The Libertine

## 1993-1994

- **Eleemosynary**
- **Street Scene**
- **The Play's the Thing**
- **Night of the Iguana**
- **Uncommon Women and Others**

## 1992-1993

- **Defeat Party** by JMU alumnus, William Whalen
- **Stars in the Morning Sky**
- **Working**
- **Artist Descending a Staircase**
- **Thompson and Trammel Dance Concert**
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- Love Letters
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## 1991-1992

- **A Lie of the Mind**
- **The Lion and the Jewel**
- **Another Antigone**
- **Tamburlaine the Great**
- **Another Antigone**
- The Boys Next Door

## 1990-1991

- **Moliere** by Bulgakov
- **Sizwe Bonsi is Dead**
- **Uncommon Women**
- **Fences**
- The Memorandum

## 1989-1990

- **George Washington Slept Here**
- **The Tempest**
- **The Revenger's Tragedy**
- **Little Mary Sunshine**
- **The Road to Mecca**
- You're A Good Man Charlie Brown
- The Nerd
- Contemporary Dance Ensemble Concert

## 1988-1989

- **All's Well That Ends Well**
- **Red in the Morning**
- **Uncle Vanya**
- **Every Good Boy Deserves Favor**
- **On the Verge**
- The Matchmaker
- Seven Dreams / Awakening & House
- Steel Magnolias
- Little Shop of Horrors

## 1987-1988

- **Six Characters in Search of an Author**
- **The Imaginary Invalid**
- **Orphans**
- **Major Barbara**
- The Dining Room
- The Fantasticks
- Fools
- Contemporary Dance Ensemble Concert

## 1985-1986

Theatre and Dance are now listed together on the same season brochure

- **Holy Ghosts**
- **A Midsummer Night's Dream**
- **The Firebugs**
- **And a Nightingale Sang**
- Aladdin
- Spoon River Anthology
- Baby
- The Foreigner
- Contemporary Dance Ensemble Concert
- Requiem for a Heavyweight

## 1984-1985

- **Crimes of the Heart**
- **The Country Wife**
- **Jesus Christ Superstar**
- **Buried Child**
- **The Arkansas Bear**
- **Under Milk Wood**
- The Boy Friend
- Children of a Lesser God

## 1983-1984

- Wiley and the Hairy Man

## 1982-1983

- **Rabbits** (Student Written by Charles Webb)
- **The Taming of the Shrew**
- **The Lion in Winter**
- **The Diviners**
- **The Shadow Box**
- Macbeth
- Picnic
- In One Box
- Twain by Tale

## 1981-1982

- **Servant of Two Masters**
- **Plaza Suite**
- **Momentum**
- **Rhinoceros**
- Death Trap
- Curley McDimple



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## 1980 - 1981

- **Vanities**
- **Punch Henry's Jazz Funeral**
- **Dr. Faustus**
- **Arms and the Man**
- **Wait Until Dark**
- Golliwhoppers

## 1979-1980

- **Henry IV, pt. 1**
- **The Pendragon Institute**
- **Man of LaMancha**
- **The Father**
- **Black Comedy**

## 1978-1979

- **Fancies**
- **A Man for all Seasons**
- **Oklahoma**
- **Tartuffe**
- **Of Mice and Men**

## 1977 - 1978

Season flyer announces name change from Madison College Theatre to James Madison University Theatre

- **Heracles**
- **La Perioche**
- **The Effect of Gamma Rays on Man-in-the-Moon Marigolds**
- **Loot**
- **Bus Stop**
- **The Runner Stumbles**
- **In the Boom Boom Room**

## 1976-1977

- **The importance of Being Earnest**
- **Woyzeck**
- **A Delicate Balance**
- **Cinderella**
- **Twelfth Night**
- **The Mousetrap**

## 1975-1976

Marks the inaugural year of the Dinner Theatre, which played for 17 seasons.

- **Captain Jinks and the Horse Marines**
- **The Night Thoreau Spent in Jail**
- **Death of a Salesman**
- **Guys and Dolls**
- **The Rainmaker**
- **Children's Show**

## 1974-1975

- **King Lear**
- **What the Butler Saw**
- **Hedda Gabler**
- **Carnival**
- **Hot L Baltimore**

## 1973-1974

- **Summer and Smoke**
- **How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying**
- **Rosencrantz and Guildenstern Are Dead**

## 1972-1973

- **Our Town**

## 1971-1972

- **Hay Fever**
- **Ten Nights in a Barroom**

## 1971-1970

- **Lovers and Other Strangers**
- **Three Sisters**

## 1967-1968

- **Prelude to a Tragedy**
- **The Male Animal**
- **Barefoot in the Park**
- **Rashomon**

## 1966-1967

- **Death Takes a Holiday**
- **Little Women**
- **The Valiant**
- **The Sandbox**
- **The Murder**
- **Androcles and the Lion**
- **Spoon River Anthology**
- **Ways and Means**