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### Community Outreach & Audience Education

TLS is committed to community outreach through audience education presenting special programs, workshops, and Q&A lecture discussions with actors, directors, and playwrights. Outreach to under served communities and schools through special presentations help to educate and cultivate a new generation of theatergoers and artists.



### Creative Learning Programs

Aside from its work on the stage Three Lions Stage runs an extensive creative

learning program aimed at providing opportunities for individuals in particular youth, to access innovative high quality arts provision and develop their creative, personal, social and educational skills. The program focuses on working with some of the most disadvantaged communities in New York City and across the United States. Some of the offerings in the Creative Learning program are specialized workshops, classes, and seminars covering a cross-section of performing arts disciplines including Acting, Dance, Singing for Musical Theater, Directing, Creative Writing, Stage Management, Set and Lighting Design, Hair and Make-up, and Wardrobe Design. At various times throughout the year Three Lions Stage offers customized public workshops on theatrical and entertainment industry standards and trends. Some workshops include panel discussions with industry professionals, agents, managers, directors, producers, and performers and may include audition evaluations.

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# Three Lions Stage

*designed  
to create, develop,  
produce and showcase  
literary, musical  
and cultural works*

*enriching  
the lives of  
professional  
creative artists  
& audiences  
everywhere*

**A Professional Theatrical Company**

## MISSION STATEMENT

Three Lions Stage, Inc. is a not for profit theatrical production company that places emphasis on artistic endeavors representing minority and under represented groups that will augment, contribute and improve the American Theatre landscape. We seek to be unconventional in our approach by creating and developing new and traditional artistic works that explore and use non-traditional casting models and cutting edge methodologies. Capitalizing on this synergy Three Lions Stage helps to revitalize and better communities around the world by sparking dialogue and debate, while fostering cultural diversity and understanding among groups.



Eddie Marrero, Founder and Artistic Director

Founded on December 8, 2005 by award winning Actor, Producer Eddie Marrero, Three Lions Stage is breaking new ground, setting the stage to revolutionize the American Theater landscape. Innovative in its approach Three Lions Stage is creating new and existing literary theatrical works, and helping to reshape how creative artists and audiences alike experience themselves through the collective human continuum. Firm in this commitment, Three Lions Stage exists to enrich the lives of professional creative artists and audiences everywhere, through the exploration and use of non-traditional casting methods. Diversity is central to our organization's overall mission thereby creating professional

opportunities for artists, in particular those from ethnic minority and under represented groups.

Achievement of our mission takes form in various activities and programs, among them, Theatrical Staged Readings, Experimental Labs, Developmental Workshops, Showcase and Stage Productions, Community Outreach and Audience Education, and our Creative Learning Programs.

## THEATRICAL PROGRAMS

Through our innovative **Roaring Reading Series** TLS works with emerging playwrights in the development of new artistic works. Playwrights have an opportunity to work with some of the best theater Actors and Directors in New York over the course of several weeks and see their work presented, some for the very first time before a live audience. The Roaring Reading Series is an exciting opportunity to see new works in development as they are presented with minimal staging using scripts in hand.



**Experimental Labs** foster creativity, freedom of discovery, and development of new ideas and techniques to a theatrical work, be it from a dramatic, musical, or technical aspect by creating synergies of expression among artists. This approach fuels the creative process that can often

lead to a ground breaking technique or new theatrical work.



**Developmental Workshops** are a natural progression in creating a working template from which to apply artistic vision, and often involves casting actors, dancers, musicians and technical artists of all kinds. Workshops are often presented to select audiences to elicit reactions, discussion, and consideration of financial backing for a possible professional production.

**Showcases** are staged productions that are presented before live audiences at considerably reduced ticket prices. They hold high artistic value and are exciting opportunities to present established and emerging artists, playwrights, directors and in some cases new theatrical works.

**Stage Productions** TLS delivers top quality Off-Broadway productions working with some of the best international talent New York has to offer. Amid these rising stars are stellar technical staff and directors who have trained among some of Broadway's best. Together we bring to life new and exciting stories that capture the human experience. TLS proudly celebrates multiculturalism and diversity in its productions through non-traditional casting.

## Contribution Card

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