

TheatreSquared Professional Development Institute

At the Winthrop Rockefeller Institute on Petit Jean Mountain

Activated Learning through the Arts

Summer Seminar: July 5-8, 2016

Location: Winthrop Rockefeller Institute at Petit Jean, Morrilton, Arkansas

Credit: 24 hours of professional development credit conferred through the University of Arkansas

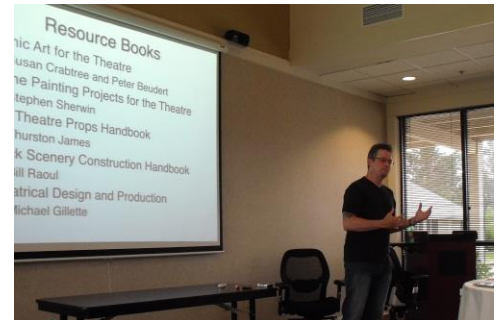
Cost: \$500 - Residential, Single Occupancy (Private room for three nights. Includes all meals)
\$400 - Residential, Double Occupancy (shared room for three nights. Includes all meals)
\$250 – Non-Residential (no lodging. Includes all meals)

*a limited number of sponsorships are available, if funding is denied by your school district. Please contact Morgan Hicks for info.



The **TheatreSquared Professional Development Institute (T2PDI)** is an immersive series of workshops on applying drama-based teaching across the curriculum. Teachers from multiple disciplines will learn and share strategies to bring theatre techniques to the classroom, promoting active learning and engaging students of all backgrounds.

TheatreSquared, in partnership with the **University of Arkansas** offers an opportunity for teachers to earn professional development credits and build strong relationships with peers from across the state, in the comfort of a celebrated retreat setting.



This fun and intensive arts integration program, hosted at the **Winthrop Rockefeller Institute on Petit Jean Mountain**, is led by TheatreSquared, with workshops from professional artists and guest experts.

Throughout the fun and interactive four day program, participants will:

- work in professional learning communities
- explore drama-based instructional strategies
- discuss and reflect on pedagogical readings
- develop and refine arts-integrated curricula and peer training modules



In addition to providing networking and community-building support, TheatreSquared will offer specific, ongoing support for teachers by providing master classes and skill-refreshing workshops led by education experts and professional working artists who are familiar with the Arkansas Curriculum Frameworks.

This year's T2 Professional Development Institute will include master classes that focus on Activating Literacy through Shakespeare, Improvisation, Devising New Work, Playwriting, Character Analysis, Movement, Acting Theory, and Directing

TheatreSquared's Professional Development Institute concludes with the sharing of multiple drama-based lesson plans through the development of a virtual web-based professional development community.

**2016 TheatreSquared Professional Development Institute
Registration Form
July 5-8, 2016**

Participation Information:

Name _____ Email _____
Address _____ City, State, Zip _____
Phone _____

School Information

Position/Grade Level Taught _____ School _____
District _____ Number of students you teach yearly _____
City, State Zip _____ School Phone _____

Accommodation Information

\$500 Residential – Private Room. Includes all meals.

\$400 Residential – Shared Room. Includes all meals.

Requested Room-mate _____

\$250 Non-Residential. Includes all meals.

Please list any special dietary or accommodation needs or requests.

*There are a limited number of partial sponsorships available for participants who are not able to access funds from their school districts to cover the cost of this professional development opportunity. Please email Morgan for more information. 479-445-6333 or morgan@theatresquared.org

Learn more about TheatreSquared: www.theatresquared.org

Learn more about the Winthrop Rockefeller Institute: www.uawri.org

PROGRAM COORDINATOR

Morgan Hicks (*T2 Director of Education and Program Development*) is a founding member of TheatreSquared, where she directs one mainstage show a year and runs the theatre's ongoing education programs (including the state-wide tour). She has worked extensively in theatre as both a director and arts administrator. She previously served as General Manager of Writer's Theatre in Chicago and as Company Manager of BareStage Theatre, a peer-education touring company. She is experienced in dramaturgy, improvisation and political theatre, and has published articles on forum and playback theatre. A member of Literary Managers and Dramaturgs of the Americas, she holds an MA in Performance Studies from Missouri State University and an MFA in Directing from the University of Arkansas, where she also directs and teaches full-time.

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Complete and return this form along with your registration fee.

Checks can be made payable to:

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