

# Middle School Playwriting Program Partner Theatres



We strive to keep classical theater vibrantly alive in ourselves, in our schools and in our community by presenting professional productions with a top-flight ensemble company of actors; by training the next generation of theater artists in classical performance technique and by sharing the inherently educational value of classical theater with our local schools. Antaeus was a Titan who gained strength by touching the Earth. Antaeus Company members—many of whom are familiar to movie and television audiences—regain creative strength by returning to the wellspring of our craft: live theater performances of great classical plays. [antaeus.org](http://antaeus.org)



Honoring our history as the oldest non-profit theater in Los Angeles, Company of Angels Theatre reflects and responds to the richness, diversity and complexity of our city. Our Company is comprised of theatre artists of all disciplines, including actors, artist-educators, designers, playwrights, visual artists and arts administrators. Company of Angels Theater (CoA) develops new talent, creates new work and re-envision theater to entertain and educate new audiences and serve the City of Angels. [companyofangels.org](http://companyofangels.org)



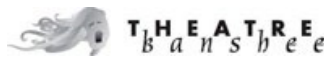
East L.A. Classic Theatre (ECT) is dedicated to the development and professional delivery of educational outreach programs and classic theatrical productions that authentically reflect the diversity of American society. By partnering with school districts within underserved communities, ECT's during and after school programs develop literacy skills in English language learners and cultivate minority readers, writers and audiences through exposure to classic plays and literature. [www.eastlaclassic.org](http://www.eastlaclassic.org)



Knightsbridge/NASC Theatre is a haven for the exploration and performance of all theatrical art forms, from acting, directing, writing, music and dance, to all of the stage crafts that congeal and collaborate to create inspiring live theatre. The Knightsbridge/NASC brings the highest quality theatre at an affordable price to our communities, children and adults alike. We continue to keep Dramatic Arts alive in Los Angeles at a time when the written word is less and less valued and raise the standards of performance amongst our Company, providing a safe home for the growth and development of our artists. Knightsbridge/NASC productions are based on The Actor and the Art Form of Acting, creating live, visceral theatre with great passion, imagination, professionalism and pride to our Los Angeles community. [www.knightsbridgetheatre.com](http://www.knightsbridgetheatre.com)



The mission of the Los Angeles Theatre Ensemble at the Powerhouse Theatre is to provide a home where art and artist are both cared for and challenged in a community based upon mutual respect. We are dedicated to a greater understanding of ourselves and the world we live in. Our process-oriented approach to theatre is designed to explore the medium in innovative ways and provide artists with the opportunity to develop and share their work. It is a commitment to theater as an "educational tool" that drives the Ensemble and the Powerhouse community. [www.latensemble.com/2009/Home.html](http://www.latensemble.com/2009/Home.html)



Theatre Banshee is a non-profit professional theatre company founded in 1994 in the Los Angeles area. We set out to create live theatre which excites, engages and entertains audiences. We believe theatre is a vital part of our cultural landscape, and we're dedicated to making outstanding productions accessible to all. While we specialize in the plays and playwrights of Ireland, we seek to create drama that illuminates humanity at large. [www.theatrebanshee.org](http://www.theatrebanshee.org)

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