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100 Years of Broadway

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Cast

Link Bechtold Morgan Christopher Grace Fouracre Rodel Frazer Liam James Analiese Lohr Shael O'Brien Chiara Power Avery Przyswitt* Dani Snyders-Blok* Brigit Stewart

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*Dance Captains/Understudies

Creative Team

Director/Choreographer	Pia Wyatt
Music Director	Stephanie Sartore
Set Designer	Jaeden Walton
Lighting Designer	Carson Schmidt
Sound Designer	Thomas Moore
Costume Designer	Tiffanie Leger
Stage Manager	Megan Farrell

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Director Bio



Pia Wyatt (she/her/hers) is a professional educator, director and choreographer. She was the Artistic Director and Producer of Steel Horse Productions. This Equity company produced an original musical in Fort Steele Heritage Town's Wild Horse Theatre for seven seasons, where she hired many UVic alumni. Ms. Wyatt worked in Dawson City, Yukon, as a musical theatre performer for eight seasons and has directed and choreographed professionally and academically throughout her career, both locally and internationally.

Co-Artistic Director of KIDCO Dance Company in Victoria, B.C., Canada, Ms. Wyatt was the senior musical theatre, jazz, and tap instructor for this dance troupe that performed nationwide. While touring with KIDCO,

Ms. Wyatt was also the coordinator of Dance Programs at two Victoria school programs.

Having received her master's degree in Directing from UVic in 1994, Ms. Wyatt is currently a Professor of Theatre and Dance at Northwestern State University in Natchitoches, Louisiana, and Head of Directing & Performance. She has students performing on Broadway and cruise lines, in regional theatres, and amusement parks worldwide. Ms. Wyatt encourages all students to explore and nurture their gifts to become theatre and dance professionals and blaze their own trail toward a career of fulfillment, balance, and longevity.

Director Notes

I look forward to breathing new life into each theatrical production, helping create a masterpiece that entices the hearts and minds of the audience. Theatre and Dance provide freedom of expression and the power to communicate, to educate, and to entertain—this outreach is what makes it exciting for me to create theatre. Commemorate the history of Broadway and our great musical theatre heritage with this exciting choral celebration by Mac Huff—from the music of Tin Pan Alley to state-of-the-art contemporary Broadway. You'll treasure the magic of enjoying over a century of entertainment, laughter, beautiful music and exhilarating dance from the stages of Broadway to your home.

Creative Team



Stephanie Sartore

Previously at UVic in the pit for Threepenny Opera, Stephanie is an internationally renowned performer, musician, conductor and educator. Local MD credits include *She Loves Me* (JPP), *The Apple Tree* (Belfry), *A Chorus Line*, *You're A Good Man Charlie Brown*, *A Class Act* and *Working* (PCS), *Rocky Horror Show* (RKO) and *Into the Woods* and *Nevermore* (UAP).

Music Director

What you are seeing today is nothing short of remarkable. The sheer volume of detailed music to learn made this an exceptional undertaking for a department without musical instruction. Supporting these students in this endeavour has been such a pleasure, and I am SO proud of every single one of them. Earth without art is just "eh," thank you for being here.

Jaeden Walton

Set Designer

Jaeden is a fourth-year Theatre Design student at the University of Victoria, originally from the land of the Syilx Okanagan people (colonially known as Kelowna, BC). Jaeden strives to lure the spectator into a piece that seems 'normal' at first and then likes to expose them to something much more radical and abstracted than is expected. Jaeden especially hopes to showcase that in *100 Years of Broadway*, giving you a glimpse into the world of Broadway that both transcends time and has some surprising spectacles. Recent notable credits of Jaeden's include Lead Sound Designer for the *Window Exhibit* at the Prague Quadrennial (The [Un]Common Window Collective – Praha, Česká Republika) and Sound Designer for *Vinegar Tom* (The Phoenix Theatre – Victoria, BC).



Carson Schmidt

Lighting Designer

Carson (he/him) is a Lighting Designer and multimedia artist originally from Calgary, Alberta. Carson was introduced to theatre in high school and inspired by the transformative intersection between lighting and technology. Carson is a fourth-year BFA student at UVic, graduating in 2025. Previous design credits include lighting design for *Vinegar Tom* on the Phoenix mainstage, as well as set & lighting design for *Road v. Wade* (2023) and lighting design for *Perspective* (2022), both with SATCo. Last summer, he exhibited a devised design proposal for *Window* at the Prague Quadrennial (PQ) along with students of the THEA 352 class. Carson has also worked for Alberta Theatre Projects, the Belfry Theatre, PQ, World Stage Design, and Loose Moose, as well as self-produced works. <u>carsonschmidt.ca</u> for more info.



Thomas Moore

Sound Designer

Thomas is a third-year designer, director, and technician at the Phoenix and is very excited to be live mixing a show for the very first time. They were introduced to sound design and technical work at the start of their second year and, since then, have enjoyed being able to support action on stage through the use of audio equipment. They hope you enjoy listening to *100 Years Of Broadway*!

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Tiffanie Leger

Tiffanie is in her final year at the University of Victoria, graduating in the spring with a degree in Theatre Design and a minor in Business. Tiffanie has worked previously as a costume design assistant for The Importance of Being Earnest by Oscar Wilde, and It's Just Black Hair by Thembelihle Moyo. Tiffanie has also assisted the wardrobe and costume department with many mainstage plays, such as last year's productions of *Mojada* by Luis Alfaro, *Vinegar Tom* by Caryl Churchill, and Spring Awakening by Steven Sater.

Costume Designer

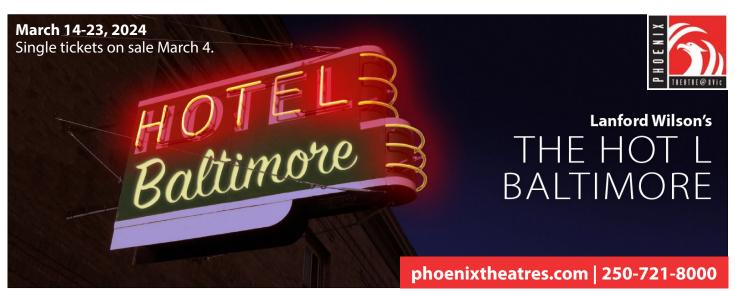
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Megan Farrell

Stage Manager Megan is in her fourth year of Production and Management at the University of Victoria's Phoenix Theatre. Finding her love for Stage Managing in her second year, Megan is thrilled to have taken on 100 Years of Broadway as her capstone show. Credits include Die Walküre (Pacific Opera Victoria), Spring Awakening (Phoenix Theatre), Going All The Way (Theatre SKAM), and Archive of Our Unknown (SATCo). She wants to thank the cast, crew, and creatives for what has been such an enjoyable and memorable show process. Enjoy the show!

Coming Next...



The **Cast**



Link Bechtold

Link (he/they) is a fourth-year performance student. Selected credits: *The Importance of Being Earnest, Peter Fechter: 59 Minutes, Spring Awakening* (Phoenix Theatre), and *Archive of Our Unknown* (SATCo). Link would like to dedicate his performance to his Papa Jack for sharing his experience and love of Broadway.



Morgan Christopher

A third-year student performer within the Phoenix Theatre, Morgan previously acted in the department production of *Spring Awakening* and has been singing and dancing since youth. He has always had a distinct love of Broadway musical theatre and is thrilled to be a part of this celebration of its history.



Grace Fouracre

Grace is a third-year performance student at the Phoenix. Her past credits include *Dracula: A Trilogy Of Terror* (Bounce Performance Works), *Spring Awakening* (Phoenix Theatre), and *Of Theseus* (Timetheft Theater Company). She hopes you enjoy the show!



Rodel Frazer

Rodel is a Victoria native and a third-year theatre student at UVic. He has acted in the SATCo plays *Rain Carnation*, *Horse Girl*, and *The Lord Sees All*. He has also performed in the 2023 Phoenix Theatre production of *Vinegar Tom* by Caryl Churchill.



Liam James

Liam is a second-year performance student who moved from a small town in Alaska to attend school in Victoria. Liam is excited to be returning to the stage for *100 Years of Broadway* and would like to thank directors Pia Wyatt and Stephanie Satore for creating such an amazing experience!



Analiese Lohr

From White Rock BC, Analiese has always been a part of the musical theatre scene. During high school, she attended SMASH Theatre School and worked on *Newsies*, *Beauty and the Beast, Legally Blonde*, and *Seussical the Musical*. She is now extremely grateful for this opportunity to share the history of Broadway.

The **Cast**



Shael O'Brien

This is Shael's first mainstage performance at the Phoenix Theatre! She is a costume design student but has always had a love of musical theatre. Shael has performed in multiple musicals and voice festivals and is thrilled to be a part of this wonderful show!



Chiara Power

Chiara (she/her) is a third-year performance-focus student and is delighted and grateful to be back onstage in *100 Years of Broadway*. Recent credits include *Fully Committed* (San Juan Community Theatre) and *Spring Awakening* (Phoenix Theatre). Chiara would like to thank her family and friends for their encouragement, love, and support.



Dani Snyders-Blok

Dani (she/her) is a third-year theatre and writing student with a production and management focus. Selected performance credits include *The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrobe* (Alberta Theatre Projects), *Spring Awakening* and *Bring It On* (Storybook Theatre). She would like to thank the team, her boyfriend, and her family for their support.



Brigit Stewart

Brigit is a fourth-year student in the Department of Theatre, and she is thrilled to be working on *100 Years of Broadway* with such an engaged team of people. Some of her past theatre credits include Wendla in *Spring Awakening* (Phoenix Theatre) and The Baker's Wife in *Into the Woods* (Arts Umbrella).



Avery Przyswitt

Avery (she/her) is delighted to be part of *100 Years of Broadway*. As a current third-year performance/stage-management student, she relishes (aka can't decide) between onstage or in-the-booth. Credits include *The Importance of Being Earnest, Vinegar Tom, Spring Awakening* (Phoenix Theatre) *Horse Girl* (SATCo) and *Manete* (Staged-Theatre Productions). Enjoy!

The Phoenix Theatre is not a professional theatre. Its productions serve the academic requirements of the B.F.A. and M.F.A. programs of UVic's Department of Theatre. Students are involved in all aspects and work alongside guest artists, faculty, professional staff and mentors. Our theatre graduates are the industry leaders of tomorrow. Enjoy the show!

Act 1 Selections

Opening

"Ône"	A Chorus Line
"Give My Regards To Broadway"	
"Do-Re-Mi"	
"The Music and The Mirror"	A Chorus Line
"Comedy Tonight"	
"There's No Business Like Show Business"	

The Early Years - The Music of Tin Pan Alley

"Manhattan"	Garrick Gaieties
"Button Up Your Overcoat"	Follow Thru
"Friendship"	
"Rock-A-Bye Your Baby With A Dixie Melody"	
"Can't Help Lovin' Dat Man "	
"Hallelujah"	
"Yankee Doodle Dandy"	

Setting the Standards - Rodgers and Hammerstein and their Contempories

"Oh, What A Beautiful Mornin"	Oklahoma!
"Anything You Can Do"	
"I'm Gonna Wash That Man Right Outa My Hair"	South Pacific
"Once In Love With Amy"	
"My Favorite Things"	
"How Are Things In Glocca Morra?"	
"If I Loved You"	

The Golden Years - The Music of Traditional Broadway

"Willkommen"	Cabarot
"Willkommen" "Applause" "Everything's Coming Up Roses" "They Call The Wind Maria" "I'm Flying" "Luck Be A Lady" "Luck Be A Lady" "Put On A Happy Face" "Standing On The Corner" "Hello, Dolly!" "Mame " "Truit D Domographics"	Applause
"Everything's Coming Up Roses"	Gypsy
"They Call The Wind Maria"	Paint Your Wagon
"I'm Flving"	Peter Pan
"Luck Be Ă Lady"	Guys and Dolls
"Put On A Happy Face"	Byé, Bye Birdie
"Standing On The Corner"	
"Hello, Dolly!"	Hello, Dolly!
"Mame "	
"Try To Remember" "Where Is Love?"	
"Where Is Love?"	Oliver!
"On The Street Where You Live"	My Fair Lady
"If Ever I Would Leave You"	Camelot
"Before The Parade Passes By"	
"Before The Parade Passes By" "Seventy Six Trombones" "Consider Yourself"	
"Consider Yourself"	Oliver!

Breaking New Ground

"Company"	Company
"Superstar"	Jesus Christ Superstar
"The Music Of The Night"	
"Send In The Clowns"	A Little Night Music
"Memory"	CATS

State of the Art - The Music of Contemporary Broadway

"Prepare Ye (The Way Of The Lord)"	
"Do You Hear The People Sing?"	Les Miserables
"The Ballad of Sweeney Todd"	Sweeney Todd
"Broadway Baby"	Follies
"Greased Lightnin"	Grease
"Tomorrow"	Annie
"The Joint Is Jumpin"	Ain't Misbehavin'
"Freedom"	Shenandoah
"Muddy Water"	Big River
"The Best of Times"	La Cage Aux Folles
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Epilogue

"There's No Business Like Show Business (Reprise)"	Annie Get Your Gun
"Give My Regards To Broadway (Reprise)"	Little Johnny Jones
"One (Reprise)"	A Chorus Line

	Act 2 Numbers
"Aquarius"	Hair
	Music by Galt MacDermot
	Lyrics by Gerome Ragni & James Rado
	Performed by Analiese Lohr, Dani Snyders-Blok & Cast
"For Good"	Wicked
	Music and lyrics by Stephen Schwartz
	Performed by Shael O'Brien & Chiara Power
"'Cause l'm a Guy"	I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change
·	Music by Jimmy Roberts
	Lyrics by Joe DiPietro
	Performed by Link Bechtold, Rodel Fraser & Liam James
"Right Hand Man"	Something Rotten
	Music and lyrics by Karey and Wayne Kirkpatrick
	Performed by Morgan Christopher, Liam James & Avery Przyswitt
"What Baking Can Do"	Waitress
	Music and lyrics by Sara Bareilles
	Performed by Grace Fouracre
"The Next Ten Minutes"	The Last Five Years
	Music and lyrics by Jason Robert Brown
	Performed by Morgan Christopher & Brigit Stewart
"Welcome to The Rock"	Come From Away
	Music and lyrics by Irene Sankoff & David Hein
	Performed by Full Cast
"Secondary Characters"	[title of show]
	Music and lyrics by Jeff Bowen
	Performed by Grace Fouracre & Avery Przyswitt
"You'll Be Back"	Hamilton
	Music and lyrics by Lin-Manuel Miranda
	Performed by Liam James
"The I Love You Song"	The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee
	Music and lyrics by William Finn
	Performed by Morgan Christopher, Shael O'Brien & Brigit Stewart
"Travel Song"	Shrek The Musical
	Music by Jeanine Tesori
	Lyrics by David Lindsay-Abaire
	Performed by Link Bechtold & Analiese Lohr
"Seasons of Love"	Rent
	Music and lyrics by Jonathan Larson
	Performed by Rodel Fraser, Chiara Power, Dani Snyders-Blok & Cast

Production Team

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