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Stuart Little: Elementary School Spring Touring Production

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CULTURAL AFFAIRS/DISTINGUISHED LECTURE SERIES

GRANT APPLICATION

I. Applicant/Organization: **School of Performing Arts**

II. a. Responsible Organization Officer: **Tom Mikotowicz, Chair Theatre/Dance**

b. Title: **Stuart Little: Elementary School Spring Touring Production**

c. Campus Address (include Email and Telephone): **Rm. 208, Class of 44 Hall; miko@maine.edu; x1965**

III. Summary of program requiring funding (title; featured artist(s); speaker(s); scheduled date(s):

See accompanying description.

IV. Budget Proposal Form must be attached.

Funding for current application is contingent upon submission of reports for any previous grant awards, including final budget and attendance figures.

SEND COMPLETED APPLICATION VIA EMAIL TO:

<mailto:wlegere@maine.edu> wanda.maddencarr@maine.edu

For questions regarding the Cultural Affairs/Distinguished Lecture Series, please contact Wanda Madden-Carr at 1-1516

*Need on-campus
Performance -
\$100 for campus*

Grant Application – Cultural Affairs Committee
Stuart Little – Touring Show – 10 show minimum

Fantasy. Adapted by Joseph Robinette. Based on the book by E.B. White.

Maine Elementary Schools: Bangor, Brewer, Hampden, Farmington, Millinocket
March 6-12, 2012 (Spring Break)

This is the endearing classic about a mouse named Stuart who is born into an ordinary New York family. All the charm, wisdom and joy of the E.B. White original is captured in this adaptation by Joseph Robinette, who also dramatized the highly acclaimed stage version of *Charlotte's Web*. The many adventures—both big and small—of Stuart Little are brought vividly to life in this story-theatre presentation. The acting ensemble plays many human and animal roles in a series of delightful scenes that make up the marvelous maneuverings of a mild-mannered mouse trying to survive in a "real people's world." Ease of staging along with flexible casting makes *Stuart Little* perfect for small touring groups. The sets, costumes and props may be as simple or as elaborate as desired in this timeless tale for all ages. *Area staging. Approximate running time: 45 minutes.* (from The Dramatic Publishing Co.)

This story by a Maine author will tour ten Maine elementary schools during the March break. Since this is part of UMaine's Service mission, schools will not have to pay for the performance. Actors will engage the students in a post-performance discussion. We are asking for \$2,000 for support of the scenery, costumes, and props.

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| Stuart Little | | | | |
| Projected Income | | | | |
| and Expenses | | | | |
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| Income: | | | | |
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| Cultural Affairs (requested) | | | | 2,000 |
| Patrons of the Arts | | | | 1,000 |
| CLAS | (requested) | | | 2,500 |
| Theatre/Dance | | | | 1,500 |
| Box Office | (free performances) | | | 0 |
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| | | | Total Income: | 7000 |
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| Expenses: | | | | |
| | | | | |
| Royalties | | | | 700 |
| Scenery | | | | 2,500 |
| Costumes | | | | 1,000 |
| Props | | | | 250 |
| Touring Vans | (10 Elementary Schools) | | | 1,000 |
| Photographer | | | | 250 |
| Publicity/Programs | | | | 300 |
| Hotel (6 actors; 3 rooms) | | | | 1,000 |
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| | | | Total Expense | 7000 |

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Cultural Affairs Committee

and

Distinguished Lecture Series

c/o Wanda Madden-Carr

201 Alumni Hall

University of Maine

October 18, 2011

To: Tom Mikotowicz

From: Melissa Mayard & Dan Sandweiss, Co-Chairs

On behalf of the Cultural Affairs Committee and Distinguished Lecture Series, it gives us great pleasure to inform you that your proposal, Stuart Little, has been awarded \$2000.00.

Please contact Wanda Madden-Carr at 1-1516 to discuss the procedures in place for the submission of financial expenses related to this award at your earliest convenience.

The following acknowledgement is required on ALL promotional material: ***This event was supported in part by a grant from the Cultural Affairs/Distinguished Lecture Series.***

Attached is a form for your use to summarize the benefits derived from this grant. This form should be submitted within 30 days after the conclusion of the event. Timely submission of your summary will be considered as part of any future funding requests.

The Cultural Affairs Committee members congratulate you and wish you much success on this project.

cc: Pam McManus

GRANT SUMMARY- Cultural Affairs Committee***Theatre touring production: Stuart Little***

March 6 to 31, 2012

Stuart Little was the state touring production ran for fourteen performances. It played around the state during Spring Break to twelve elementary schools in: Bangor, Brewer, Hampden, Winterport, Searsport, Rockland, Millinocket, Houlton, Lewiston, Auburn, Litchfield, Farmington. There were two productions for the public: on campus at the Cyrus Pavilion Theatre; and the Penobscot Theatre in Bangor. The production played to thousands of students throughout the state, and we provided a study guide and post-show discussions of the play.

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| Stuart Little | | | | |
| Actual Income & Expenses | | | | |
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| Income: | | | | |
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| Cultural Affairs | | | \$2,000 | |
| Patrons of the Arts | | | \$1,000 | |
| Box Office Sales | | | \$93 | |
| CLAS | | | \$2,500 | |
| Theatre/Dance | | | 1,000 | |
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| Total Income | | | \$6,593 | |
| | | | | |
| Actual Expenses: | | | | |
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| Royalties/Scripts | | | \$401 | |
| Set Design | | | \$827 | |
| Design Personnel and Study Guide Author | | | \$600 | |
| Costume/Makeup/Hair | | | \$626 | |
| Office Overhead/Expenses (Costume/Set Work Study, Box Office, Xerox) | | | \$2,663 | |
| Advertising | | | \$0 | |
| Posters/Postcards/Programs | | | \$16 | |
| Strike Dinner/Opening Night Reception | | | \$92 | |
| Van | | | 623 | |
| Hotel | | | 430 | |
| | | | 315 | |
| Per Diem Food for Cast Travel | | | | |
| Total Expense | | | \$6,593 | |