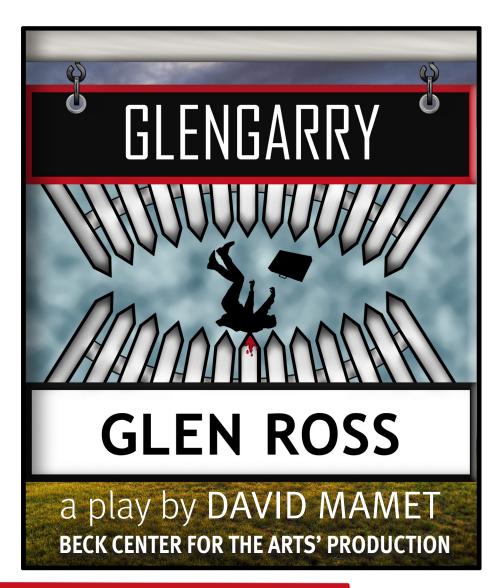


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Best,

Lucinda Einhouse

President and CEO



#### A NOTE FROM THE DIRECTOR OF GLENGARRY GLEN ROSS

It's 1984. September of 1984. The AIDS virus was identified this year. The first **Apple Macintosh** went on sale to the public. There are no cell phones. Ronald Regan was just about to be re-elected to his second term in office by a large majority. It was all about "trickle down" economics. The **Dow Jones Industrial** stood at 1,211. Interest rates were

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William Roudebush

Glengarry Glen Ross was the 1984 Pulitzer Prize winner for Drama

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#### 2019 - 2020 THEATER SEASON

#### **MACKEY THEATER**



#### Glengarry Glen Ross

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Featuring venerable character actor Austin Pendleton (My Cousin Vinny, The Muppet Movie, Finding Nemo), Mamet's 1984 Pulitzer Prize winner & 2005 Tony Award® Winner for Revival Play stands strong today: where capitalism is a battle of toxic masculinity you suit up for every day, while imbibing a Red Bull with a side of comic bluster.



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Directed by Fric Schmiedl

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something.

#### Meteor Shower

Apr 3 - May 3, 2020

Written by Steve Martin
Directed by Scott Spence

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The Theater Alliance was founded to support the programs of the theater department. To join TABC, contact Annie Powell at powellclan@att.net

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#### **Setting**

Act 1: A Chinese Restaurant. 1984 Chicago | 15 minute intermission Act 2: A Real Estate office the next morning.

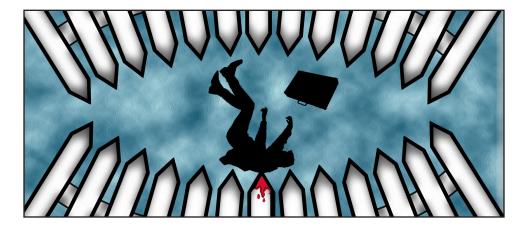
#### **Cast of Characters**

Shelly Levene	Austin Pendleton*
John Williamson	Andrew Gorell*
Dave Moss	Brian Pedaci
George Aaronow	Chris D'Amico
Richard Roma	Christopher M. Bohan*
James Lingk	Stuart Hoffman
Baylen	John Busser

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#### **Production Staff**

Director	William Roudebush**
DirectorArtistic Director	Scott Spence
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Lighting Assistant	Arwen Dorsey
Costume Design	Inda Blatch-Geib
Sound Design	Angie Hayes
Stage Manager	
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Who's Who in the Company



SCOTT SPENCE

(Artistic Director) is enjoying his 28th season at Beck Center! Since 1990, he has produced over 200 shows, directing over 75 himself. The list of favorites grows every season, and includes *Parade*, *A Man of No* 

Importance, Sweeney Todd, Hair, Picasso at the Lapin Agile, The Farnsworth Invention, Reefer Madness, The Fix, Zombie Prom, Bloody Bloody Andrew Jackson, Evil Dead The Musical, The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee, and the box office smash hits The Producers and Altar Boyz. Recently, Scott added to those favorites with productions of *She Loves Me* and *The New* Mel Brooks Musical: Young Frankenstein. He is very proud of the awards and acclamations Beck Center for the Arts has received over the past decade, and is especially grateful for having won the Northern Ohio Live Award for Achievement in Theatre in 2006. Outside of these walls, Scott's directorial assignments have included a remounting of Beck Center for the Arts' hit production of Altar Boyz at Playhouse Square's beautiful Hanna Theatre. Das Barbecü at Opera Cleveland, The Last Night of Ballyhoo at Case Western Reserve University's Eldred Theatre, Oh Dad Poor Dad .... at Cleveland State University Summer Stages, and Noises Off at both Weathervane Playhouse in Akron and Berea Summer Theatre. An adjunct faculty member at Cleveland State University, Scott has also had the privilege to direct Sartre's No Exit and Strindberg's Miss Julie. Occasionally on the other side of the footlights, Scott has appeared in Dick Deadeve (Berea Summer Theatre), Man of La Mancha (Jewish Community Center), The Secret Rapture (Dobama Theatre), and closer to home at Beck Center for the Arts in Big River, The Boys Next Door and Laughter on the 23rd Floor. He also had the privilege of joining the cast of *Passion*, directed by Victoria Bussert, in his only onstage stint in the Studio Theater. Scott holds an MFA in Directing from Western Illinois University and is a trained stage fight choreographer, having studied extensively with the SAFD. As always, he dedicates all the work he does to his two extraordinarily talented leading ladies, Rachel and Carleigh. You both amaze me every day.



WILLIAM ROUDEBUSH\*\*
(Director) relishes his
return to Cleveland each
fall to direct the opening
production at Beck Center.
He directed his first Beck
center production 36 years
ago as well as serving

Resident Director and actor at the Cleveland Play House and Guest Director at the old Berea Summer Theatre. His directorial credits include a wide range of memorable Cleveland productions including Tomfoolery (Cleveland Play House and Hanna Theatre), Lies and Legends, Equus, Ruthless!, One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest and last season's An Act of God at the Beck Center. He currently lives in New York City with his wife actress Terri Garber where he writes, directs and coaches actors. Bill has been a lecturer at seven universities and is currently a member of the Playwright/ Director Unit at New York's iconic Actors Studio where his artistic focus is new play development. Immediately after the opening Bill returns to NYC to begin pre production work on his musical revue The Village Gate is Alive and Well...which will have its World Premiere at Theatre for the New City in April. His book Acting by Mistake is available online at xlibris.com. You will find countless photos, videos, and interviews of Bill by visiting his website at www.williamroudebush.com. He has several new plays and musicals in development and is always searching for a challenge. Contact him via his website to begin a dialogue.

#### HAYLEY BARAN

(Stage **Manager**) is thrilled to be stage managing her first Beck Center main stage show with this production of Glengarry Glen Ross. Over the years, she has been "seen" backstage in a variety of positions including follow spot operator, light board operator, and run crew. Most recently, she spent the summer as one of the Assistant Stage Managers for Matilda and the Stage Manager for King Lear in the Studio Theater. Other favorite shows over the years have included Bent. Waiting for Godot, and Forever Plaid, where she had an on-stage cameo as the Nice Box Lady. Thank you to Bill and Scott for giving me this opportunity and thank you to the wonderful cast for making this such a positive experience.



CHRISTOPHER M. BOHAN\*
(Richard Roma) is excited to return to the stage where his Cleveland theater career began in Auntie Mame (1994) starring Lissie Gulick! More recently, he played

Oliver Kilbourn in the Beck Center production of The Pitman Painters. Chris teaches Acting & Improvisation at CWRU and is an Artistic Associate with the Great Lakes Michael Chekhov Consortium. In 2017, he was named 'Best Actor - non-musical' by the Cleveland Critic's Circle. He is a founding member of Cleveland's longest running improvisational comedy company, Something Dada. He is a graduate of Saint Ignatius and Lehigh University and a member of AEA and SAG-AFTRA. Other local credits include: Mamai Theater Company's Arcadia (Bernard Nightengale), and at Dobama in How To Be A Respectable Junkie (Brian). The Flick (Sam), Peter And The Starcatcher (Black Stache), Slowgirl (Sterling) and The Lyons (Curtis). Thank you KJL, FJB, & SEB for your love and support!



JOHN BUSSER

**(Baylen)** John Busser is an actor/writer in the Cleveland area. Last seen at the Beck Center in Young Frankenstein, he is also a regular cast member

of Flanagan's Wake, beginning its eleventh season in Jan 2020. He is the co-runner of Cleveland Public Theatre's writers workshop, The Dark Room which helps new and seasoned playwrights test drive new work for a friendly audience of writers and actors. In 2017, Blank Canvas Theatre presented Children's Letters to Satan (and Other Horrible Scribblings), a collection of 7 of his original short plays. His play Under A Watchful Eye was made into a short film that has been selected for the 2019 Greater Cleveland Urban Film Festival.



CHRIS D'AMICO

(George Aronow) is reprising the role of George Aaronow, which he first played at Blank Canvas Theater three years ago. This is his first time on the Beck Center stage since he worked on the stage crew of The Sound of Music, when the Beck Center was brand new back in the '70s. More recently, he performed in Art (Serge) at Blank Canvas and Outside Mullingar (Anthony Reilly) at Clague Playhouse. Favorite roles include Nathan Detroit in Guys and Dolls, Henry in The Real Thing, Mr. Webb in Our Town and Robert in Betrayal, and has directed productions of Cloud Nine, The Elephant Man, True West and A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum, among others. He was also on the creative staff of the hit show Stompin' at the State, one of the earliest productions of the newly renovated Playhouse Square theaters back in the '80s.



#### ANDREW GORELL\*

(John Williamson) so thrilled to be a part of this all-star cast! Andrew was last at the Beck Center as Horst in Bent. Other Cleveland credits include Egress at the

Cleveland Play House; Smokefall with Seat of the Pants; Peter and the Starcatcher at Dobama; and Hamlet, As You Like It and The Tempest with the Ohio Shakespeare Festival. Andrew was featured on the National Tour of The Lion King (Disney Theatricals) and in Richard III and Much Ado About Nothing with the American Shakespeare Center. Regional credits include Milwaukee Repertory Theater, Charleston Stage, Philadelphia Shakespeare, and Glimmerglass Opera. Film and TV include Downward Dog (ABC), My Friend Dahmer, and The Bye Bye Man. Proud member of Actor's Equity and SAG-AFTRA. This one is for all of the muffins.



#### STUART HOFFMAN

(James Lingk) is a Clevelandbased actor and sometimes playwright. He's been lucky enough to have worked with many local theaters. His last Beck production was over ten years ago with The History

Boys. Recent credits include Much Ado About Nothing (Cleveland Shakespeare Festival), The End of the Tour (Seat of the Pants), and Kafka in an Above Ground Pool (convergence-continuum). Thank you to Scott and Bill for the opportunity.

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#### **BRIAN PEDACI**

(Dave Moss) made his first Beck Center appearance in 1991's How I Got That Story but has more recently been seen in Waiting For Godot (Pozzo), An Act of

God (Gabriel), The Little Mermaid (Grimsby), Race (Charles Strickland) and 33 Variations (Anton Diabelli). Brian has also appeared in productions at Cleveland Public Theater, Blank Canvas, Playwrights Local, Western Reserve Playhouse and the Cleveland Shakespeare Festival.



#### AUSTIN PENDLETON\*

**(Shelly Levene)** is an actor, director, playwright, and, at HB Studio in New York, a teacher of acting. His previous Cleveland work has been at the Cleveland Playhouse: as

Mozart in AMADEUS in 1984, and as the director of LUNA GALE, by Rebecca Gilman, in 2015. On Broadway he has appeared in the original production of FIDDLER ON THE ROOF (as Motel, the Tailor), and in Wendy Kessleman's new adaptation of THE DIARY OF ANNE FRANK, with Natalie Portman, among other productions. His Broadway directing credits include SPOILS OF WAR (by Michael Weller, starring Kate Nelligan), and THE LITTLE FOXES (starring Elizabeth Taylor), among other productions; these are others of his productions have been Tony-nominated. He has appeared in about 300 movies, and on TV as a regular on OZ and HOMICIDE. plays, published and produced in New York and elsewhere in the country, as well as in Europe, are ORSON'S SHADOW, UNCLE BOB, and BOOTH. He is an Ensemble Member of Chicago's Steppenwolf Theatre.

#### CHERI PROUGH DeVOL (Scenic Designer)

Regional credits include: Zach Theatre (Austin), Porthouse Theatre (Ohio), Texas Shakespeare Festival, and Barter Theatre (Virginia) where she designed lighting and/or scenery for over 150 productions as Resident Designer, including the world premieres of Deborah Brevoort's Blue Sky Boys, and Richard Alfieri's Revolutions, as well as Barter's national touring productions for Of Mice and Men, and The Diary of Anne Frank. Recent credits include: hang (Lighting Design) at Horizon Line Theatre, All Shook Up (Scenic and Lighting Design) at Zilker Theatre Productions, A Chorus Line (Scenic Design) at Texas State University and The Santaland Diaries (Lighting Design) at Zach Theatre. Cheri is currently an Associate Professor of Scenic and Lighting Design at Texas State University. To view more of her work please visit www.devol-design.net

TRAD BURNS (Lighting Designer) has been designing scenery and lighting professionally since 1989 for theatre, dance, and amusement parks. Recent designs include One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest at Beck Center for the Arts, the regional premiere of Rock of Ages at Cain Park. Upcoming designs include the premier of Devon Carney's Romeo & Juliet for Kansas City Ballet, and world premier ballet, The Wonderful Wizard of Oz choreographed by Septime Webre. His theatre designs include works for New York Theatre Workshop, The Public Theatre, Playwrights Horizons, HERE, Classic Stage Company, Indiana Repertory Theatre, Cleveland Play House, Great Lakes Theatre Festival, Cleveland Public Theatre, Dobama Theatre, Beck Center for the Arts, and Cain Park. Trad spent over 20 years designing for theme parks around the world, including Cedar Point, Knott's Berry Farm, Walt Disney World, Disneyland, Disneyland Japan, Tokyo Disney Sea, and Universal Studios.

#### INDA BLATCH-GEIB (Costume Designer)

Inda Blatch-Geib's work as a costume and production designer for over 1,000 theatrical, commercial, and film releases has spanned 30 years and crossed 4 continents. Ms.Blatch-Geib's set styling, costume, and puppet designs include the Broadway special production of Kris Kringle The Musical. Live performance and festival design include set design for Machine Gun Kelly's US and European Tours, Wolstein Arena Shows, multiple EST Fests as well as Cobra microphone design. Current commercial work includes Production Design for Footlocker national commercial, Costume Design for The Cleveland Cavaliers' 1970's and 80's themed videos, national spots for the team, and design for on court half-time shows including their shield design. Print designs have included set styling for Harper's Bazaar UK

Scarlett Johansson cover and spread as well as catalogue set styling for Foundations and Kilgore Trout. Ms. Blatch-Geib's designs have been showcased in exhibits at The Smithsonian Institute as well as national and regional commercials including Microsoft, McDonald's, Under Armour, TroyBuilt, The Original Mattress Factory, The West Virginia Lottery, and Momentive. Recent film projects include the Production and Costume Design for an upcoming cable Original series and Ohio Art Direction for The Signal starring Laurence Fishburne. Music Video Production and Costume Design includes Machine Gun Kelly's Alpha Omega and Let You Go releases. Locally, Inda is the 2018/2019 Resident Designer for Cleveland Public Theatre, Karamu House, Magical Theatre Company, New World Performance Lab and Cleveland Institute of Music. Upcoming Costume Design includes the mainstage production of Native Gardens at Cleveland Play House.

ANGIE HAYES (Sound Designer) has designed sound for many productions at Beck Center for the Arts, including King Lear, Lady Day, Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?, Gypsy, Bent, and Waiting for Godot. Other design credits include productions at Magnificat High School, Hathaway Brown High School, Cleveland Public Theatre, and CSU Spring Dance Concerts. Angie has mixed sound for numerous productions at Beck Center, Cleveland Musical Theatre, Cleveland State University, Cain Park, and Cleveland Public Theatre. She has also recorded and sound designed for several podcasts, including Sidewalk and Munchen, MN. She has a Bachelor Degree in Music from the University of Wisconsin Oshkosh, with an emphasis in Recording Technology and Music Business.

JOY DeMARCO (Assistant Stage Manager) is thrilled to return to Beck Center after recently assistant stage managing Matilda. Her Beck Center credits include Mary Poppins, Billy Elliot, Ruthless, The Little Mermaid, City of Angels, One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest, Gypsy, and Shrek. Joy also stage manages for Beck Center Youth Theatre. Other area stage management credits include Picasso at the Lapin Agile and Side Show at Blank Canvas Theatre, Man of La Mancha and Songs for a New World at Academy for Dramatic Arts, and My Way, The 39 Steps, and The Addams Family at Huntington

Playhouse. Joy received a Kennedy Center American College Theatre Festival Certificate of Merit for her dramaturgy work. Endless thanks to her family for all of their support.

LIBBY WHITE (Assistant Stage Manager) is excited to be a part of yet another fantastic Beck Center production. By day one way, by night another, Libby is a speech therapist with North Ridgeville City Schools in her day persona and a stage manager in her night persona. She is grateful she has been able to stay involved with theater while raising her two young children, Jackson and Morgan. As always, a big thanks to the amazing cast, crew, and production staff that makes each show a unique and fabulous experience. She would also like to thank her family, friends, and especially Chris for all the support, love, and patience.

MARK DeVOL (Technical Director) is thrilled to be back in NE Ohio after a too-many year absence. A graduate of Kent State University, Mark returns after almost a decade long stint at the Barter Theatre in Virginia, as well as teaching gigs in both Arkansas and most recently at Texas State University. He's thrilled to be back home with so many family members but is still missing his daughter Cassidy who he hopes visits again soon!

(Wardrobe BETTY PITCHER Manager) has recently joined the Beck Center staff as the Wardrobe Manager/Costume Rental She has been designing Coordinator. costumes for local Ohio theatres for more than 12 years. Her Beck Center credits include: Shrek The Musical, The Little Mermaid, Cinder-Ella, The Laramie Project, All Greek to Me, Snow White's Adventures, and School House Rock Live. She has also created custom costume pieces for Player's Guild, Chagrin Valley Little Theatre and North Canton Playhouse. Betty would like to thank her son, Jeremy Clarke for "volunteering" her to "help" all those years ago. Betty's Costume Creations & Rentals @ www. bettypitcher.com

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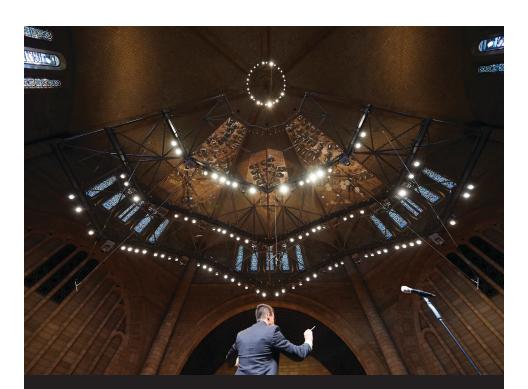
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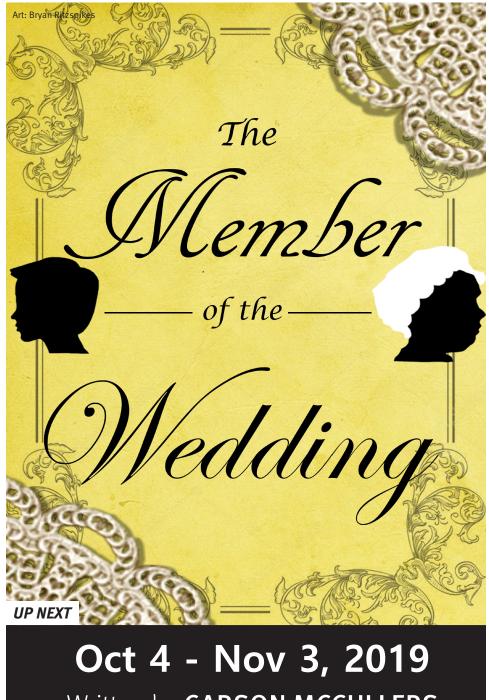
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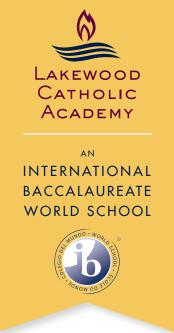
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