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### **THEATRE GALA SHOWCASES AND BENEFITS COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY THEATRE STUDENTS**

Fort Collins, CO – The Young Producers Organization, a student group at Colorado State University, presents the “Theatre Showcase Gala” on Mar. 8 from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. The Gala is a fundraising event to benefit scholarships for theatre students with an interactive open house and a variety of theatrical entertainment in the Bohemian Complex of the University Center for the Arts at 1400 Remington St. Tickets are \$10 and are available at the door or in advance by calling (970) 491-1584. Tickets include admission to the Showcase Gala as well as admission to all upcoming Spring Senior Thesis Theatre Recitals.

The Theatre Showcase Gala highlights the talented students in the Theatre program at Colorado State, and gives the public a look at the various aspects of their academic endeavors.

In the lobby of the University Center for the Arts, displays will include everything from Graphic Expression course collages to Scenic Painting projects, prompt books, rehearsal photos, and other behind-the-scenes works. The University Theatre will have vaudeville performances and variety shows with students performing monologues, solos, short scenes, and more. In the Studio Theatre, students will perform "sneak peeks" of their upcoming Thesis Recitals. In the Runyan Hall, attendees will be treated to a wonderful buffet and have the opportunity to bid on unique and imaginative silent auction items, with all proceeds benefitting theatre student scholarships.

The student organizers of the Theatre Showcase Gala encourage the public to support the future of the arts through their ticket purchase and attendance. Theatre and Business major Christina Fontana says, “This is a wonderful opportunity to see the amazing talent that exists in our program, and we hope to raise enough money to really benefit all of the hard-working students.”

For a full performance and event calendar, more information, and to sign up for a free event e-newsletter, visit [www.CSUSchooloftheArts.com](http://www.CSUSchooloftheArts.com).

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