

TALKIN' BROADWAY 2009 SUMMER THEATRE FESTIVAL CITATIONS

The Talkin' Broadway 2009 Summer Theatre Festival Citations recognize new plays and musicals selected by our panel of jurors as ready to move to the next level of production and development, and to performers of demonstrated excellence.

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Outstanding New Play

Two On The Aisle (Three in A Van) by Mary Lynn Dobson, as presented at The New York International Fringe Festival, awarded by Peter Filichia.

His Greatness by Daniel MacIvor, as presented at The New York International Fringe Festival, awarded by Matthew Murray.

Viral by Mac Rogers, as presented at The New York International Fringe Festival, awarded by Andy Propst.

Cephalopod by Kyle Warren, as presented at The New York International Fringe Festival, awarded by Linda Tullberg.

Outstanding New Musical

My Scary Girl Book by Kyoung-Ae Kang, Music by Will Aronson, Lyrics by Kyoung-Ae Kang, as presented at The New York Musical Theater Festival, awarded by Peter Filichia.

Max Understood Book by Nancy Carlin, Music by Michael Rasbury, Lyrics by Nancy Carlin and Michael Rasbury, as presented at The New York Musical Theatre Festival, awarded by Matthew Murray.

MoM - A Rock Concert Musical Book, music, and lyrics by Richard Caliban, as presented at The New York International Fringe Festival, awarded by Andy Propst.

Fking Up Everything** Book, music and lyrics by David Eric Davis and Book by Sam Forman, as presented at The New York Musical Theatre Festival, awarded by Linda Tullberg.

Outstanding Actor (Male)

Jim Newman for his performance in *Marrying Meg* at The New York Musical Theater Festival, awarded by Peter Filichia.

George Tynan Crowley for his performance in *Requiem for a Marriage* at The Midtown International Theatre Festival, awarded by Matthew Murray.

Josh Sauerman for his performance in *Candide Americana* at The New York International Fringe Festival, awarded by Andy Propst.

Todd Lawson for his performance in *Flight* at The New York International Fringe Festival, awarded by Linda Tullberg.

Outstanding Actor (Female)

Cassandra Vincent for her performance in *Eli and Cheryl Jump* at The New York International Fringe Festival, awarded by Peter Filichia.

Morgan Lindsey Tachco for her performance in *Benny* at The Midtown International Theatre Festival, awarded by Matthew Murray.

Amy Lynn Stewart for her performance in *Viral* at The New York International Fringe Festival, awarded by Andy Propst.

Carla Duren for her performance in *Street Lights* at The New York Musical Theatre Festival, awarded by Linda Tullberg.

'Wild Card' Citation

To *Under Fire's* lyricist **Barry Harman** and composer **Grant Sturiale** for writing the best song of the summer, "Boom! Boom! Boom!" and to **Andrew Chappelle** for singing it so winningly, in The New York Musical Theater Festival, awarded by Peter Filichia.

To **Marlon Sherman** for Outstanding Juvenile Performance in *Max Understood* at The New York Musical Theatre Festival, awarded by Matthew Murray.

To **Ben West** for his fleet revision to the musical *How Now Dow Jones* at The New York International Fringe Festival, awarded by Andy Propst.

To the delightfully inventive **The Adventures of Alvin Sputnik, Deep Sea Explorer**, written and performed by Tim Watts, presented at the New York International Fringe Festival, awarded by Linda Tullberg.

2009 Panel of Jurors

Peter Filichia, Theater Critic, Newark Star-Ledger
 Matthew Murray, Chief New York Theater Critic, Talkin' Broadway
 Andy Propst, with TheaterMania.com
 Linda Tullberg, Management Consultant and Talkin' Broadway Staff

Guidelines for Talkin' Broadway Festival Citations

Talkin' Broadway Summer Theatre Festival Citation candidates will include (but are not limited to) eligible productions (Off-Off-Broadway productions which are part of a formal festival, with public performances through October 18) and performers from:

HOT! The NYC Celebration of Queer Culture
 The Ice Factory
 The Fresh Fruit Festival
 The Midtown International Theatre Festival
 American Living Room
 The New York International Fringe Festival
 The New York Musical Theatre Festival

Each juror may individually award a Talkin' Broadway Summer Theatre Festival Citation in five categories:

1. Outstanding New Play

2. Outstanding New Musical
3. Outstanding Actor (Male)
4. Outstanding Actor (Female)
5. 'Wild Card' A Citation for a theatrical event or performance which does not easily fit in any other category. (Any juror may opt to not award a 'Wild Card' Citation at their discretion.) This wild card Citation may also be used to recognize a 'tie' in any other category for each juror, or to recognize a production or performer in any category from other than one of the primary festivals listed above.

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