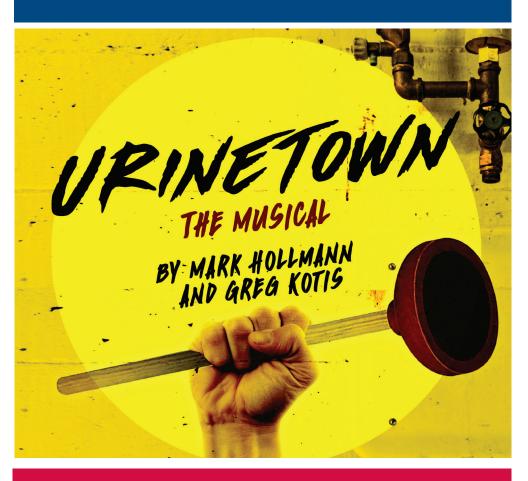
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### **Director's Notes**

Welcome to *Urinetown*, a tongue in cheek satirical romp inside a near dystopian future that lampoons big business, the government, the legal system, populism, social responsibility, politics, capitalism, corruption, nepotism and the fact that our lifestyles are environmentally unsustainable.

The idea for this oddly named musical began when Greg Kotis (Book and Lyrics) took his first trip to Europe while in college and on a student budget. To his dismay, Kotis discovered like many first-time Americans abroad that you have to pay to pee! For those of you who have not been abroad, in many countries you must pay the amenity attendant before you are allowed entry and use of the facility. With this idea in hand and with the Music and Lyrics of Mark Hollmann, *Urinetown* was created and went on to become a surprise hit in the 2001 Broadway season. The play earned 10 Tony Award nominations and won for Best Original Score, Best Book and Best Director.

The play is deliberately theatrical in the best of Brechtian traditions. It calls attention to itself by those very same conventions and toward that end, it does not take itself TOO seriously, so neither should we. This is part of its charm, as it deliberately goes to great lengths to poke fun at some of our favorite plays and musicals (*Our Town, Les Misérables, Fiddler on the Roof,* and *Big River,* just to name a few). It is my hope that you spot and enjoy those homages throughout the production.



HAIL MALTHUS! A word about the last line of the play--Thomas Malthus (1766-1834) was an English Economist
and Demographer who is best known for his treatise on
population growth. In it he argues that population growth
will always outrun food supply and, as a consequence, the
of humanity is not possible without placing stern limits

betterment of humanity is not possible without placing stern limits on reproduction and on the population en toto. So, if you are confused by the ending, remember Malthus.

Thank you for supporting our talented students and faculty here at FAU's Department of Theatre and Dance. Enjoy the show!

Lee Soroko

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presents

# URINETOWN, THE MUSICAL

Music and Lyrics by

MARK HOLLMANN

BOOK AND LYRICS BY

GREG KOTIS

URINETOWN WAS PRODUCED ON BROADWAY IN SEPTEMBER, 2001 BY THE ARACA GROUP AND DODGER THEATRICALS IN ASSOCIATION WITH THEATER DREAMS, INC., AND LAUREN MITCHELL

Directed by Lee Soroko

Music Director Michael Ursua

CHOREOGRAPHER
Danielle Dale-Hancock

COSTUME DESIGN

**Shaye Hurst** 

Scenic Design Christina Griffey

SOUND DESIGN VOICE/DIALECT COACH
Nick Chimienti Kathryn L. Johnston

LIGHTING DESIGN
Thomas Shorrock

FIGHT DIRECTOR Lee Soroko

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### **C**AST

| Officer Lockstock                         | Ryan Page*+          |
|---|----------------------|
| Penelope Pennywise                        | Aubrey Elson*+       |
| Bobby Strong                              | Alec Kalled+         |
| Little Sally                              | Caroline Dopson+     |
| Poor Ensemble/Dr. Billeaux/Police Officer | Blaine DeBerry       |
| Mr. McQueen                               | Todd Pursley         |
| Senator Fipp                              | Kevin Moxley+        |
| Officer Barrel                            | Joel Ceruto          |
| Hope Cladwell                             | Talia Jaeger         |
| Joseph "Old Man" Strong                   | Caleb James Williams |
| Tiny Tom/Police Officer                   | Eli Moseley          |
| Little Becky Two Shoes                    | Alexandria Thomas    |
| Robby the Stockfish/Police Officer        | Thomas Shull         |
| Caldwell B. Cladwell                      | Brian Cox+           |
| Josephine "Old Ma" Strong                 | Lauren Folland+      |
| Mrs. Millenium                            | Brittany Blouin      |
| Hot Blades Harry                          | Carlos Rivera Marin  |
| Billy Boy Bill                            | Paolo Pineda         |
| Poor/UGC Executive #1/Police Officer      | Lindsay Armstrong    |
| Poor/UGC Executive #2/Police Officer      | Elise Chaisson       |
| Poor Ensemble/Police Officer              | Kailey Jones         |
| Poor Ensemble                             | Anna Tijerino        |
| UGC/ Poor Ensemble                        | Isabel Harner        |

### ARTISTIC STAFF

| Director                     | Lee Soroko            |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Music Director               | Michael Ursua         |
| Choreographer                | Danielle Dale-Hancock |
| Scenic Designer              | Christina Griffey     |
| Costume Designer             | Shaye Hurst+          |
| Lighting Designer            | Thomas Shorrock       |
| Sound Designer               | Nick Chimienti        |
| Fight Director               |                       |
| Technical Director           | Thomas Shorrock       |
| Assistant Technical Director | Christina Baroniel+   |
| Stage Manager Advisor        | Allison Lowe          |
| Scenic Artist                | Manon Turcot Brothman |
| Stage Manager                | Emily Anzalone        |
| Assistant Stage Manager      | Jamie Brothman        |
| Assistant Stage Manager      | Harold Petion         |
| Dance Captain/Fight Captain  | Aubrey Elson*+        |
| Assistant Dance Captain      | Joel Ceruto           |

### BAND

| Conductor/Piano                                | Michael Ursua       |
|--|---------------------|
| Clarinet, Bass Clarinet, Alto Sax, Soprano Sax | Andrea Gilbert      |
| Tenor Trombone, Euphonium                      | Peter Freudenberger |
| Drums, Percussion                              | Julie Jacobs        |
| Bass   | Dave Wilkinson      |

#### **PRODUCTION CREW**

| Costume Shop Manager<br>Light Board Operator<br>Spot Operators<br>Sound Engineer<br>Assistant Sound Engineer                           |   |
|--|---|
|  | Rebecca Andros<br>Joel Ceruto, Carlos Rivera Marin,<br>Talia Jaeger, Eli Moseley, Kailey Jones  |
| Props Assistant  | Angelica CapoteAdriana ColonAshley PenceJosh Cohen, Abel Desir, Joe Gervasi, Abby Rasmussen   |
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| Wardrobe HeadBroom   | Christopher Taylor<br>oke Berger, Tiffany Fedak, India Johnson, Victoria Krams  |
|  | Sophia Lombardo<br>Christina Griffey, Olivia Kalty, Sophia Puritz,<br>Jessica Shaver, Kayla Smith   |
| Costume Shop Assistants  | Rachel Michelle Bryant <sup>+</sup> , Caroline Dopson <sup>+</sup> ,<br>Shaye Hurst <sup>+</sup> , Alec Kalled <sup>+</sup> ,<br>and the students of Production Hour  |
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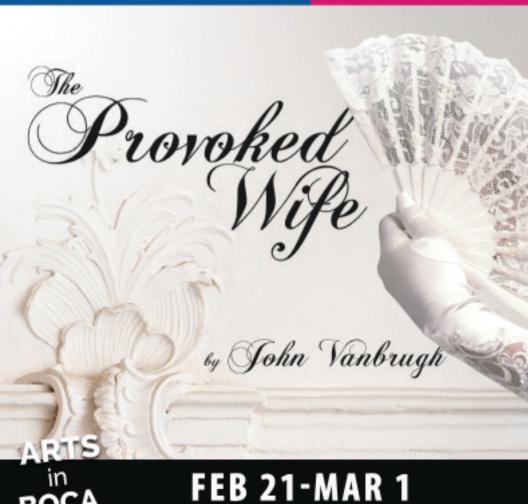


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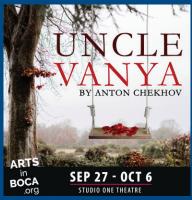
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Directed by Matt Stabile

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Directed by Matt Stabile

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