



Press Release
The Stage Presents:

HAUPTMANN

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Tel Aviv, February 24, 2015 - The Stage, in association with American director Amber Gitter, proudly presents 'HAUPTMANN' by Tony Award-winning playwright John Logan. This spellbinding drama, based on actual events, will be performed on March 17 & 26 at the ZOA House and March 19 at the Arab-Hebrew Theater at 8pm.

'HAUPTMANN' is a play about one of the most famous and most analyzed trials in modern American history. On March 1st, 1932, the infant son of aviator Colonel Charles Lindbergh, the most famous man in the world at the time, is kidnapped and killed. Four years later, an innocent man is executed for the crime. Bruno Richard Hauptmann, a German immigrant in America, retells his story moments before being sent to the electric chair. The drama, performed in two acts, explores the power of celebrity and the media over the United States' legal system.

Gitter, an American Olah Chadasha, who recently made Aliyah from Chicago, Illinois (where she studied stage directing at Columbia College), brings a fresh and unique vision to the drama, after seeing the original production of the play directed by her mentor and professor, Terry McCabe. Gitter was inspired to produce her own version of the play, after being fascinated by the skills and versatility demanded from the actors, since each member of the ensemble drama must portray multiple roles, most of whom are, or are based upon, actual historical figures.

The Stage is proud to be able to help artists such as Gitter realize their artistic visions, and is honored to be able to open its 2015 performance year with this two-hour production, broadening its creative spectrum towards the genre of modern drama.

Tickets are available for 70NIS. Discounts are offered for students and soldiers. To purchase tickets and to get more information, please visit The Stage's website: www.thestagetlv.com

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The Stage is Tel Aviv's premier English language performing arts organization. Its activities include large and small scale productions and performances, workshops, and regular community get togethers. The organization is a volunteer-based community and is open to all backgrounds, ages, and levels of experience. The Stage was established in October 2013, and is a registered Israeli non-profit organization.