

2019 AJT CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2

TBD	PRE-CONFERENCE: "Have a Drink and Hors d'oeuvres on Us" gathering	Bar/Restaurant
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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3

10:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.	CHECK-IN, PICK UP REGISTRATION PACKETS	DePaul University Music School
1:00 P.M. - 2:00 P.M.	OPENING AND INTRODUCTIONS	DePaul University Music School
2:00 P.M. - 3:15 P.M.	CHICAGO JEWISH THEATRE: Its Legacy, Its Future	DePaul University Music School
3:30 P.M. - 4:45 P.M.	INTERCULTURAL THEATRE: How does intersectionality, diversity, race and ethnicity, and inclusion factor into developing plays, casting, conflictual values, and (mis)appropriations?	DePaul University Music School
7:30 P.M. - 10:00 P.M.	THE GREEN BOOK BY CALVIN RAMSEY: Staged reading by ShPieL in Chicago and Louisville	Victory Gardens Theatre

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4

9:30 A.M. - 10:15 A.M.	DIRECTORS' ROUNDTABLE: Discussion among AJT member theatres about what they are producing, what they are looking for, and what they see as current and upcoming trends.	Victory Gardens Theatre
10:30 A.M. - 11:30 A.M.	KEYNOTE SPEAKER (TBA): Speakers in previous years have been theatre leaders such as Adam Kantor, Emily Mann, Kimberly Senior, Aaron Posner, Richard Montoya, and more...	Victory Gardens Theatre
11:30 A.M. - 12:45 P.M.	WORKSHOPS AND INTERACTIVE DISCUSSIONS (REPEATED ON TUESDAY): Attendees may choose to participate in two of the following workshops: Producing and Fundraising; Physical and Devised Theatre; Plays You Should Know; Jewish Ways to Do Non-Jewish Theatre; Camps and Jewish Children's Theatre; Texts from Jewish Sources and Making Them Performative, etc.	Victory Gardens Theatre
12:45 P.M. - 2:00 P.M.	AFFINITY GROUPS LUNCH: Lunch provided for artistic directors, producers, playwrights, solo performers, educators, others, etc.	Victory Gardens Theatre
2:15 P.M. - 3:30 P.M.	THEATRE OF THE CONFLICT PANEL: Questions to be addressed: What are we, as theatre people, doing to present work in portraying the Israel-Palestine conflict? How does context play a role in what we do? How is the conflict affecting us in the theatre world, in the Jewish world, and personally? Panel information.	Victory Gardens Theatre
6:00 P.M. - 7:45 P.M.	AWARDS DINNER: Including AJT Theatremachers of Young and Emerging Jewish Theatre Fellows	DePaul University Music School
8:00 P.M. - 10:00 P.M.	AJT PLAYWRIGHTS' STAGED READINGS AND SOLO PERFORMANCE SHOWCASE: From juried submissions	Victory Gardens Theatre
10:30 P.M. - 12:00 A.M.	OPEN MIC/COMEDY NIGHT	Victory Gardens Bar and Lobby

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5

9:15 A.M. - 10:30 A.M.	BRUNCH/AJT ANNUAL MEETING	Victory Gardens Theatre
10:45 A.M. - 11:30 A.M.	WORKSHOPS AND INTERACTIVE DISCUSSIONS (continued from Monday): Producing and fundraising, physical and devised theatre, plays you should know, Jewish ways to do non-Jewish theatre, camps and Jewish children's theatre, texts from Jewish sources and making them performative, etc.	Victory Gardens Theatre
11:30 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.	LAST WORDS FROM AJT THEATREMACHERS	Victory Gardens Theatre

TEATRON-CHICAGO JEWISH THEATRE FESTIVAL CONTINUES NOVEMBER 5-10 AT VICTORY GARDENS THEATRE