

DALHOUSIE THEATRE DEPARTMENT PRODUCTIONS 1994 - 95 SEASON



#### MARÇEL BOULET

Born 1971 St James/ Assiniboia, Manitoba Cobequid Education Centre Truro, NS

DTDP Experience: Theseus - A Midsummer Night's Dream Choreographer's Assistant/Dance Captain - Jacques Brel Rapist/Company - The Art of Success

All my life I've been involved in the military in one aspect or another, from PMQ brat to RCACC to INSH. The military has been both something I liked to do, and a community I could relate to. In my late teens, I discovered a contrasting community, the theatre. Now, I'm here trying to discover, through frustrating exploration, whether or not I can fit into this community.



## **ANDREW GRIBBIN**

Born 1973 Belfast, Northern Ireland Dartmouth High School Dartmouth, NS

DTDP Experience: Egeus - A Midsummer Night's Dream Company - Jacques Brel, The Art of Success

**Other Experience**: Schubert - Victims of Duty Trevor - Masterpieces

"Perhaps no person can be a poet, or can even enjoy poetry, without a certain unsoundness of mind." An old Stratford actor's adage: "Stay three days and see three plays; stay a season and lose the will to live." Heaven only knows what spell draws me into the magic of theatre.



### JEANA MACISAAC

Born 1972 Charlottetown, PEI Charlottetown Rural High School Charlottetown, PEI

Two years in Education, University of PEI

DTDP Experience: Cobweb - A Midsummer Night's Dream Company - Jacques Brel Slitherer, Company - The Art of Success

It takes courage and determination to succeed in life. Since I have been involved in theatre, these words keep running in my head. No matter how scared I am to try, I believe good theatre has to be experienced, for us as actors to express our creativity, and for you the audience to think and in some way be changed.



#### ADAM PETTLE

Born 1973 Toronto, Ontario Leaside High School Toronto, ONT

DTDP Experience: Snug the Joiner - A Midsummer Night's Dream The Saddest Man in the World, Company - Jacques Brel Dragoon - The Art of Success

Other Experience: Larry - Burn This (Nomad Productions) Diabetes - Good (Sears Drama Festival)

A week before starting this year's season, I lay in a hospital bed, examining what was important in my life. Many things which I thought meant a great deal to me now seem unimportant. My work in the theatre was not one of these. In fact, the thought of rejoining the joy and love I find in the struggle to produce quality theatre carried me through some of my darkest times. I thank God daily that I am here.



#### LISA ROSS

Born 1974 Kingston, Ontario Edwin Parr High School Athabasca, Alberta

DTDP Experience: Mustardseed- A Midsummer Night's Dream Company - Jacques Brel Slitherer - The Art of Success

Other Experience: Crystal Palace Dinner Theatre - Yarmouth, NS

"Expression is the core of humanity. To try and remove something so vital to our existence reflects the backward path society has chosen." The reason I have chosen to pursue a career in the theatre is because to do anything else would be to ignore a basic instinct.

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# **Dalhousie Theatre Department Productions**

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For further information about the department and its programmes, please contact: Lynn Sorge, Chair, Department of Theatre, Dalhousie University, Halifax, NS