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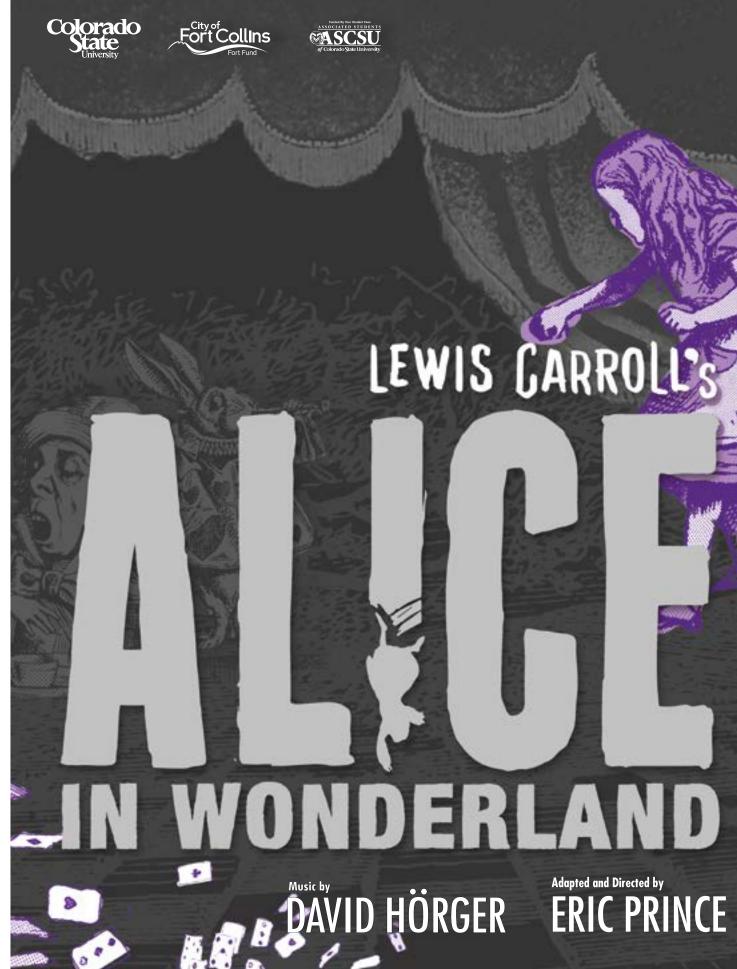


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**CSU** Theatre Presents

# ALICE IN WONDERLAND

by Eric Prince

adapted from the book by Lewis Carroll with music by David Hörger

Directed by Eric Prince Musical Director - David Hörger

Scenic Design by Roger Hanna Costume Design by Siobhan Gleason Lighting Design by Andrew Killion Associate Lighting Design by MacKenzie Mulligan Projections Design by John Erickson Sound Design by Alex Billman Make-Up Design by Sarah Hadley Properties Design by Mackenzie Cunningham Choreography by Blake Miller Production Stage Manager Kortney Hanson

Alice's Story begins beside the River Isis, a part of the Thames River in Oxford, England, in 1862, when Charles Dodgson, a shy young mathematics tutor at Christ Church Oxford. accompanies Alice Liddell and her two sisters on a boating trip. To amuse the children Dodgson invents an elaborate 'fairytale' that includes Alice and her sisters and people they know. Our story of Alice's journey 'under Ground' unfolds as follows:

- 1 Down the Rabbit Hole
- 2 The Pool of Tears
- 3 A Caucus Race and a Long Tale
- 4 Advice from a Caterpillar
- 5 Pig and Pepper
- 6 A Mad Tea-Party
- 7 The Queen's Croquet-Ground
- 8 The Mock Turtle's Story
- 9 The Lobster-Quadrille
- 10 Who Stole the Tarts?
- 11 Alice's Evidence





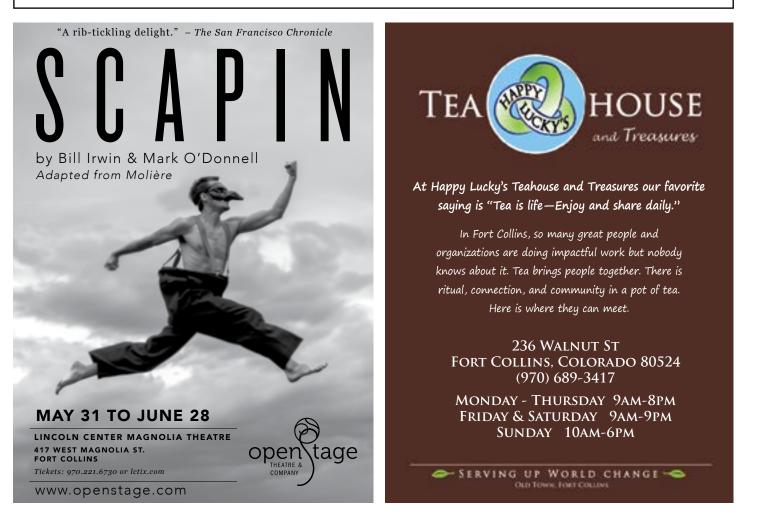
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> Voices of the Liddell Sisters ~ Ellie and S Voice of Lewis Carroll ~ Jonathan Farwel

Writing and adapting Lewis Carroll's classic tale for the stage has been a labor of love and a kind of sweet nostalgia, especially as the days of childhood have receded more than ever. I came across a reprinted facsimile edition of Alice's Adventures Under Ground in the bookshop of the British Library in London where the original manuscript of 1864 remains one of the Library's best-loved treasures. The book has a charm and innocence about it, written in Carroll's own handwriting and illustrated by his own amateurish but beguiling drawings. I wanted to find a way to honor that innocence and all that eccentric Victorian Englishness and yet make it still work as a play for the twenty first century with all ages in mind. I've had enormous pleasure also penning lyrics that reflect the spirit and mood and nonsense of the book which David Hörger, the show's musical director, has conjured into melodies of charm and originality, with just the right note of old Albion about them. Directing, as opposed to writing offers other challenges and a different kind of labor, made all the lighter thanks to a dedicated and imaginative company of student actors, designers, theatre workers and the most collaborative faculty colleagues you could wish to find.

### **A DRAMATURG'S THOUGHTS:**

My fascination with Alice in Wonderland began when I was very young. My first experience with the story, like many children, was through the Disney animated version, although I didn't like to watch the end because I was afraid of the Queen of Hearts. Mostly, I just wanted to be Alice; I wanted something to happen to me where I would be transported to this magical world where my curiosity was challenged and accepted. Lewis Carroll was a lot like Alice. He was deeply misunderstood, very intelligent, and equally polite with everyone. I believe that Carroll may have even been envious of a child's innocence because, as an adult in society, he had to behave in a way that he wasn't comfortable with: to be proper, talking only of property and wealth, and to be expected to marry. My favorite part of any writer's process is when people from their own lives — whether personal or historical — somehow make it into the story through characters, and Carroll was no different. Queen Margaret turns into the Queen of Hearts, an eccentric furniture maker in Oxford turns into the Mad Hatter, and Carroll himself turns into the Dodo. Although the story was intended for children of its time, it is now the plaything of philosophers and literary critics: studious adults who pride themselves on deciphering metaphors. I think Lewis Carroll would be saddened by that, but he also understood that childhood, like Alice's adventures, could not last forever. So, I'd like to beg his pardon and thank him for creating a story of wild and fanciful proportions that taught me to always ask questions, even if they made absolutely no sense at the time.

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#### THE CAST

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	The King of Hearts ~ Chris Olson	
	The Gryphon $\sim$ Tony Vessels	
	The Cheshire Cat $\sim$ Mac Trowbridge	
	The Cook $\sim$ Darby Sample	
	The March Hare $\sim$ Matt Dishman	
	The Caterpillar $\sim$ Jasmine Winfrey	
er	The Dodo/ Jury $\sim$ Beka Davis	
	The Lory/ Jury $\sim$ Taylor Krueger	
	The Magpie/Jury $\sim$ Lauren Veraldi	
	The Owl/ Jury $\sim$ Sage Guagliardo	
	Lydia Crab/ Jury ~ Kassie Parsons	
	Second Guinea Pig/Soldier $\sim$ Koby Adams	
	Frog Footman ~ Kyle Moffitt	
Court Officer ~ Graham Lier		
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Sophia Marshall, and Annie Jones		

### **DIRECTOR'S NOTE:**

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29	THE MOUSE'S TALE°
5	A CATERPILLAR LAMENT*
	ALICE'S SONG I*

Music by David Hörger

### **A CAUCUS RACE**

Forward loval creatures Forwards to the end With a drop of treacle Breathless round the bend If the Oueen could see us Oh how she would yell "Catch the silly bleeders And send them all to-----Well

Forward loyal creatures Forwards to the end With a drop of treacle Breathless round the bend Feel your heart a –pounding Feel your feathers grow Know that you have trium-phed Though everyone said No

#### Backwards loyal creatures Backwards to the end With a drop of treacle Breathless round the bend When the race is over When the race is done We will simply all proclaim That we have had some FUN

**A LIST OF SONGS** 

ALICE'S SONG II\*

\*Words by Eric Prince

A DUCHESS A COOK AND A CAT°

PAINTING THE BLOODY ROSES\*

THE LOBSTER-QUADRILLE°

(reprise).... If the Queen could see us Oh how she would yell "Catch the silly bleeders And send them all to-----Well

Never feel fatigued Think not how you suffer Think how you succeed When the treacle's finished And the Queen is gone We shall raise our wings and paws And think on what we done

Onward then you creatures

TURTLE SOUP°

ALICE'S SONG III\*

°Words by Lewis Carroll

A RATHER STUPID SONG\*

THE WHITE RABBIT'S VERSES°

#### **Producing Technical** Director . . . . Nathan "Cory" Seymour Asst. Sound De Assistant Technical Director/ Asst. Projection Shop Foreman . . . . Brandon Ingold Designer . . . Production Asst. Stage Ma Administrator . . . . Maggie Seymour Asst. Stage Ma Costume Shop Deck Crew . Manager . . . . . . Janelle Sutton Lead Draper/ Pit Crew: . . First Hand . . . . . Maile Speetjens Wardrobe Crev Master Carpenter . . . . Taylor Webster Master Electrician . . . Alex Ostwald Assistant Master Electrician . . . Andrew Killion Paint/Props Charge . . . . Annaleigh Timmerman

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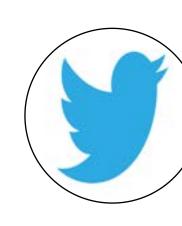
### A CATERPILLAR LAMENT

One day the moon Another the sea One day it's you The next day it's me Where did it go? Does time have a say? I started in crimson But ended in gray

And so it's the end O Here we go Of what never has been Here we go I started in crimson Here we go Once again But ended in green Dreaming of Dreaming of Now

Never Then

Imagining Imagining Such strange things Like a life For one day Yes a life For one day On crimson wings...



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Look for seats marked with the Twitter logo and remember to keep your phone on silent during the performance!

### **ALICE'S SONG I**

How puzzling all of these changes Am I me am I vou, am I... I? It all seemed so simple last evening There's nothing to do now but sigh

How puzzling all of these changes How puzzling it all seems to be How puzzling all of these changes How puzzling it is to be me

How puzzling all of these changes Am I big, am I small, am I what? It all seemed so simple this morning But a little now seems such a lot

How puzzling all of these changes. Where am I what is this place? Am I here in this somewhere forever Am I lost – Can I ever retrace ? •

# **PRODUCTION TEAM**

Paint/Props Shop Technician Hannah Baldus
Asst. Sound DesignerBrennan Allen
Asst. Projections Designer Price Johnston
Asst. Stage Manager . Molly Langberg
Asst. Stage Manager . Evelyn Helman
Deck Crew Juli Shealey, John "Smoke" Burns
Pit Crew: Connor Hickman
Wardrobe Crew Lua Frontczak, Katie Rose, John "Smoke" Burns

Spot Operators . . . Alex Inthapatha, Kyle Phibbs, Roland Platt

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Mixing Console Operator JJ Margolis
Sound Board Operator Lindsey Davis
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and from 1981 to 1999 also enjoyed a professional association Reverse Cowgirl, Comic Potential, and Evil Dead: the with Britain's knight of the theatre, Sir Alan Ayckbourn. Two of Prince's plays, Love Is In The Air and Red Roses were commissioned and produced by Ayckbourn's own acclaimed company, The Stephen Joseph Theatre. Past productions Prince has enjoyed directing for CSU include: Much Ado About Nothing, Romeo and Juliet, Hamlet, A Midsummer Night's Dream, Every Good Boy Deserves Favor, The Birthday Party, Waiting For Godot, The Pirates of Penzance, Private Lives, The Importance of Being Earnest. Ongoing research activity includes analyzing how well or badly Liverpool Football Club plays, the team he grew up with on the Birkenhead side of Merseyside in the UK.

Lianna Salva (Dramaturge) is a CSU graduate and former performing arts reporter for The Rocky Mountain Collegian. For a semester, she studied Victorian literature and absurdist theatre at the University of Leeds in England. Lianna will be an editorial apprentice at the Cleveland Play House this coming August. Many thanks to Eric Prince for this opportunity.

**Darby Sample** (The Cook) is an art major with a concentration in oil painting. He is newly involved in theatre and so far he really likes it. Darby is passionate about creating art of any kind and thankful for having discovered a passion for the performing arts.

Lauren Scott (The Duchess) is a sophomore double major in Business Administration, with a concentration in management, and Theatre, concentrating in performance. Lauren was last seen as Meg in *Little Women* and as Phrygian in Orestes 2.0. She is proud to be a part of this cast and grateful for her friends' and family's continued support in following her dreams.

Courtney A. Steinwinder (The Mouse/Jury) is a Communication/LEAP student here at CSU and could not be more excited to see her childhood stories come to life in this rendition of Alice in Wonderland alongside such a phenomenal cast. You may recognize Courtney from other CSU productions as Morse in One Flea Spare, or Lindsay in College: The Musi*cal*. She would like to thank her mother, father, and brothers for getting her this far in the arts.

Sadi Thompson (Queen of Hearts) will graduate in May with a degree in Theatre from CSU. During her time at CSU she performed in Comic Potential, Evil Dead, and Tartuffe. She also directed One Flea Spare and is currently in production for the upcoming Freshmen Showcase All in the Timing. Sadi would like to thank Bryan Thompson and the Theatre faculty for the opportunities and support she has received over the last two years.

Mac Trowbridge (The Cheshire Cat) is a senior theatre student graduating in May. Mac's previous shows include

Musical. Mac has hosted several improv workshops and will be moving to Chicago to pursue a career in improv and sketch comedy writing. Mac was also assistant director for Night of the Iguana. Mac is thankful for the support from his family and friends. "This department will always have a place in my heart, I love you all and you will truly be missed."

Lauren Veraldi (The Magpie/Jury) is a sophomore theatre major at CSU. Lauren dreams one day of a walk along the red carpet alongside Chris Hemsworth. Alice is Lauren's first major acting role in a production with CSU. Lauren thanks her Dad and family for being her support system throughout college. And World Peace.

Shelby Vicino (The Duck/Jury) is in her third year at CSU and is a theatre major. She is very excited to be working with Eric Prince and a very talented cast and crew in Alice In Wonderland. You may have seen Shelby as Mrs. Kirke in CSU's production of Little Women, or as a Deadite in Evil Dead: The Musical. She is thrilled to be a part of this production and looks forward to what CSU has to offer her in her remaining two years.

Tony Vessels (The Gryphon) is a fifth year Theatre and Journalism double major graduating this semester. Since Alice may very well be his final show on the CSU stage, he would just like to say thank you to all his teachers, fellow students, and colleagues that have helped make his collegiate journey an unforgettable experience. He would like to thank the Amazing Spider-Man for being a role model to him all his life. Tony's favorite animal is the penguin.

Lilly Warren (The Dormouse) is a second year theatre major here at CSU. She is really excited to be a part of Alice and looks forward to many more fun opportunities. She hopes you laugh and chuckle.

PJ Williamson (Knave of Hearts/Executioner) is currently attending CSU as a freshman and is studying sociology. Being his second main stage, he would like to thank everyone in the cast and crew for being awesome people. He would also like to thank his friends for supporting him and the House of Williamson for being there to help. Side note: Thanks Nightwing! er D

Jasmine Winfrey is a sophomore Theatre major at CSU and this is her third production. She was in previous roles such as Ms. Sheilds in A Christmas Story and Amy in *College the Musical.* Jasmine is excited to be a part of this cast and would like to thank everyone who has supported her.



## ALICE'S SONG II

How puzzling all of these people How puzzling people can be One minute a person is angry The next you're invited to tea

#### A RATHER STUPID SONG

Oh we do like to get a bit of justice We do like to weigh the pros and cons Oh we do like to write about the rights and wrongs Yes the rights and wrongs And the wrongs gone wrong

Oh we do like to see a bit of fair play Oh we do like to sift the evidence Oh we do like to write about the rights and wrongs Yes the rights and wrongs And the wrongs gone wrong

Oh we do like to hear hear our majesties Yes we all do revere the Rose and Crown And we all like to roll around the Rose and Crown Yes the Rose and Crown Not the Cap and Gown Oh we all like-a da speak-a like-a rabbit

# THE ALICE COMPANY

Koby Adams (Second Guinea Pig/Soldier) is a theatre major members. She would like to thank her insanely supportive friends and family. and a freshman at CSU. This is Koby's first MainStage role and he would like to thank all of his friends, family, teachers, Alex Billman (Sound Design) is finishing up his senior year directors, and everyone who gave him support and helped at CSU. His prior positions include: assistant sound designer him along the way. Other acting roles include Jack & Swiftfor Comic Potential, live mixing for Evil Dead, and sound All in the Timing. Enjoy the show. designer for Night of the Iguana. His time as the Supreme Heather Adams (The Canary/Jury) is a Freshman Theater and Overlord of the Science Fiction and Fantasy Club has been English major at CSU. She grew up in a small mountain town an XP filled adventure. He is looking forward to entering the named Ouray attending the local high school where she had her real world this summer.

first experience in theater. This is her acting debut for CSU and Mackenzie Cunningham (Properties Design) is a sophomore she is enthusiastic about being in more shows in the future.

double majoring in business and theatre. This is her first head props design position at CSU. Her previous credits include Nicole Barton (The Eaglet/Jury) is a double-major in Journalism and Liberal Arts. Previously, she has been blessed props for Orestes 2.0 and Little Women. Mackenzie would to be a part of two fabulous YPO productions: Armitage like to thank all the shops for helping her build, sew and and *College the Musical*. She is again blessed to be a part of paint, and all her family for letting her pursue her passion *Alice* with a wonderful and attractive group of cast and crew for theatre.

How puzzling all of these places In a place hidden from view A place where even what's false Just happens to be what is true

How puzzling all of these changes How puzzling it all seems to be How puzzling all of these changes I see now I see I'm at sea...

	Yes we all like-a da do a derry down
	And we all like to see somebody's head chopped off
S	Yes their head chopped off
	Oh their head chopped off
	Oh we all like-a da speak-a like-a dodo
	Yes we all like-a da do a dodo down
	Dodo doh doh doh doh Dodo doh doh doh doh
S	Rabbit a rabbit but
	A rabbit rabbit but
	A la dee dah diddly doo diddly JUSTICE
	A la dee dah diddly doo diddly LAW
	Diddly dah diddly doo diddly dah diddly dee
	Diddly doo dah dah
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	Diddly dee dee dee
	(Big ending)
	Diddly doo dah dah
	Diddly dee dee
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**Beka Davis** (The Dodo/Jury) is happy to perform in her third Tune, at venues including Dance Theater Workshop, Jacob's acting role in a production performance at CSU. She would like to thank Eric Prince for believing her 'loud' enough to play a Dodo. This has been one of the funniest shows Beka has been involved in, and she hopes you find her new accent acceptable (or at least funny ?).

Matt Dishman (The March Hare) is a senior, who will be graduating in May with a B.S. in Human Development and Family Studies and a minor in Theater Performance. Freshman year he found his love for theater while taking an improv class here at CSU. Along with acting, Matt works as an RA and is involved with a campus ministry called Cru. This is Matt's third show at Colorado State.

John Erickson (Projections Design) has been designing projections for two years, when he realized it was a way to combine his great loves, film and theatre. Since then, he's designed for theatre and dance. Recent designs include Little Women (for which he won a Stagecraft Award), Tartuffe, and Like Humans Do with Impact Dance. Upcoming shows include the premiere of CSU's Doctor and Donogoo with The Mint Theatre in NYC. John would like to thank his friends and family. A special thanks to PJ for encouraging me in this crazy amazing world of design.

Siobhan Gleason (Costume Designer) is a senior costume designer. She is graduating in May 2014 with her Bachelor's in Theatrical Design, and this is her second and final costume design here at CSU. Previous credits include A Christmas Story (costume design), Evil Dead: the Musical (hair and makeup). and Night of the Iguana (hair and makeup). She would like to thank everyone for their support during her college career, and would like to remind everyone to always wear appropriate shoes in case you fall down a rabbit hole.

Sage Guagliardo (The Owl/Jury) is a first year Theater major from Denver Colorado. Alice in Wonderland is her first main stage acting role for CSU and she is currently in rehearsals for the freshman show, All in the Timing, which opens on May 8th. Sage is extremely happy to be a part of such a great production and would like to thank her family and friends for their love and support.

Roger Hanna (Set Designer) joined the Theatre faculty this fall. He designs plays, musicals, operas, and dance all over the country, in cities with such picturesque nicknames as The Air-Conditioned City, The Big Peach, City of Angels, The City of Brotherly Love, The Crown of the Blue Ridge, Magic City, Paradise, River City (in California), The River City (in Tennessee), and Steel City. He has also designed over 150 productions in the City So Nice, They Named It Twice. Projects of note include collaborations with Trazana Beverly, Joseph Colaneri, Nilo Cruz, Jackson Gay, Robin Guarino, Ron Jenkins, Susan Marshall, Eleanor Reissa, Jody Sperling, and Tommy

Pillow, Provincetown Playhouse, Sarasota Opera, Tennessee Shakespeare, and Yiddishpiel (Israel). Awards include the 2009 Lucille Lortel Award for Best Scenic design, as well as two Drama Desk nominations (2006, 2012) and two Henry Hewes Design Award nominations (2011, 2012). Hanna next designs the New York City premiere of the opera *Il Postino* in May, and the world premiere of a new adaptation of Jules Romain's Donogoo at the Mint Theater in New York in June. To see examples of his work, visit www.rogerhanna.com.

Kortney Hanson (Production Stage Manager) will be graduating this May from CSU. She spent a good chunk of the last four years stage managing numerous dance concerts, Secret Marriage, Little Women, and now Alice in Wonderland. She also worked as the Lighting Designer for a few shows, including Comedy of Errors. The next step for Kortney is to go out into the real world.

David Hörger (Composer and Music Director) holds a BM University of Northern Colorado and a MM from University of Georgia. Winner, Franz Liszt Award, Concerto Competition, and Directors Award of Excellence (UGA). Finalist, Angie Southard Music Competition (UNC). Hörger is pleased to be working with students and faculty for his second show with CSU. Most recently, he has served as music director for Evil Dead: The Musical and the Hawaii Children's Theatre production of The Little Mermaid. Previous music direction credits include Once on This Island, Bugsy Malone, and Aladdin. As a pianist, David has worked as a musician on a wide array of productions such as La Boheme, Rent, The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee, and Into the Woods.

Ben Hilzer (White Rabbit) is a graduating senior and is so incredibly thankful for his experiences he has been able to be a part of here. Billy, Dr. Horrible, Jake, Nathan, Nod, Herr, and Rabbit... you all have changed my life. Thank you to Mom, Dad, AJ, Pi Kappa Phi, Walt, Amy, Eric, Candice, Laura, Chelsea, Sanaz, JD, 3+Me and everyone else. You all have helped me follow my dreams.

AJ Jacques (Fish Footman) is a freshman theatre major. This is his first main stage show and his second CSU production this year (One Flea Spare). AJ would like to thank his parents, Elizabeth and David Jacques, for the support and encouragement throughout the year. He would also like to thank his friends throughout this experience as well. He hopes to be in future productions at CSU and become a better actor.

Andy Killion (Lighting Designer) is an alumni of the Colorado State University with a B.A. in lighting and is currently working as the Assistant Master Electrician and Resident Lighting Designer. His past credits include Evil Dead the Musical, regional premiere of Bengal Tiger at The Baghdad Zoo, and the stage reading of Vang written

and directed by John Patrick Shanley. He is excited to help Thanks to the great cast and crew, the amazing faculty, and bring the world of *Alice* to life in a way he has never before my wonderful family. imagined before this show.

MacKenzie Mulligan (Associate Lighting Designer) is Jacob Knowles (The Mad Hatter) is a Junior Theatre major a senior Theatre major with a concentration in Lighting and is really excited to portray the character of Mad Hatter. Design. MacKenzie has worked on shows in theatre, opera, This is his third time on the main stage here at Colorado and dance. MacKenzie's work was seen in Patience and in State University. Jacob took part in *The Importance of Being* Becky's New Car. In 2013 MacKenzie won the KCACTF Earnest and The Evil Dead Musical. Jacob considers himself Award for her lighting design of Spring Awakening and a connoisseur of film and proprietor of all things in that realm. competed as a national finalist. MacKenzie would like to As an aspiring actor/writer/filmmaker, Jacob is extremely thank Cory Seymour and Price Johnston for supporting her fortunate to take part in these productions and takes all he and pushing her, she could not have done it without them. can get from his time here on the stage at CSU.

Taylor Krueger (The Lory/Jury) is in her second year at FRCC as a theater major. This is her first CSU production. She recently ran lights for last year's production of A Streetcar Named Desire at Bas Blue Theater. Her love for theater began when she was a little girl, performing in her first show at age eight. Taylor is extremely excited to be a part of this production and hopes you enjoy the show.

Graham Lier (Queen's Gardener The Two of Spades/ Court Officer) is a junior Theatre major/English minor at CSU. Alice in Wonderland marks his fourth appearance in a CSU show, having previously appeared in The Tooth Hurts (Leon), Dr. Horrible's Sing-Along Blog (Moist), and The Wall of Water (Gig). He would like to thank his family and friends for their support in his passion for live theatre.

**Kate Lewis** (Alice) is a junior Hospitality Management major, with minors in Theatre and Business. Some of her credits include the role of Victoria in the upcoming independent feature film, Make it Happen: The Movie and Denise in the YPO production of *The Wall of Water*. Being Alice has been an passion of acting once she graduates in December 2014.

Karl Perry (Queen's Gardener the Seven of Spades/Court incredible opportunity, and she would like to thank her friends Officer) is a junior theatre major from Glendale, Arizona with and family for their continual support. She hopes to pursue her minors in Business and LEAP. Favorite past performances include roles in: Guys & Dolls, The Four of Us, Evil Dead: **Cassie Maack** (The Robin/Jury) is a freshman at CSU. She is the Musical, Rent, The Bald Soprano, College the Musical a double major in Journalism and Technical Communications and The Merry Widow. He would like to thank all of his friends and family for all their love and encouragement. and Theatre. This is her first show with the CSU Theatre Program.

Dr. Eric Prince (Director) Professor of Theatre, teaches acting, directing, playwriting, theatre history and directs Colorado State University's innovative Center for Studies in Beckett and Performance which promotes a wide range of Beckett productions including his recent re-visioning of Beckett's rarely performed play for television *Eh Joe*. Prince has directed more than a hundred vastly different productions in places as diverse as London, Edinburgh, Scarborough, Plymouth, York, Leeds, Augsburg, Utrecht, Amsterdam, Berlin, San Diego, as well as devising children's theatre on the sandy beaches of Yorkshire and multi-cultural theatre on the streets of Leeds. He served as an award winning writer/ director with the British National Student Theatre Company

**Blake Miller** (Choreographer) has choreographed more than nine pieces for the Dance department and has also helped choreograph for the guest director Sanaz Ghajarrahimi's Orestes 2.0. This is Blake's final choreographic work at CSU. He is incredibly looking forward to graduating in May and moving on towards new adventures. He sincerely hopes you enjoy the show. Rvan Miller (The Mock Turtle) is so grateful to be a member of this curious production. Other CSU credits include Shannon in *The Night of the Iguana*, Edvard in *Vang*, Cleante in *Tartuffe*, Tulsa in the Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center Production of Gypsy as well as Brad in Hairspray.

Chris Olson (King of Hearts) is in his second year at CSU theatre and this is his fifth show on the CSU stage. He would like to thank his family and friends for all of their support and hopes to continue his theatre performance run well into next year.

Kassie Parsons (Lydia Crab/Jury) is a Liberal Arts major in her third year here at CSU. She has been involved in Spring Awakening (Martha), Armitage (Margaret), and Night of the Iguana (Baptist Lady) for CSU, and is thrilled to be performing in another wonderful show. She would like to thank her family for their support and dedicate this show to her father.

Xander Pierce (Queen's GardenerThe Five of Spades/ Jury) is a senior theatre major making his CSU MainStage debut. While at CSU he participated in YPO's College: The Musical, Bas Bleu's The Love of the Nightingale; the student films Covert Vector, Kingdom of Ashes, and Hubris: School Days; and NotLiterally's music video "Smarter" and series "Ask Westeros." Xander is excited to be in the Disney College Program this fall.