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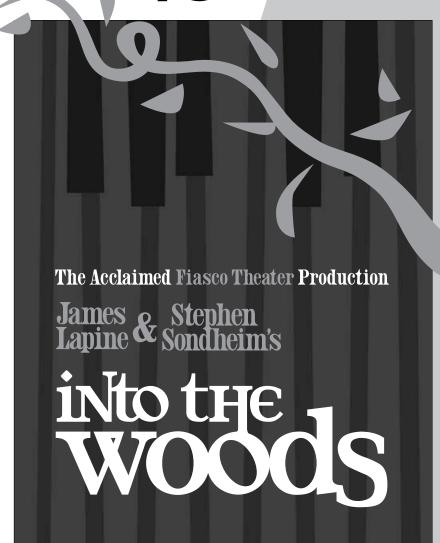
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CAST

In order of appearance

Baker's Wife	ELEASHA GAMBLE
Lucinda/Wolf/Cinderella's Prince	ANTHONY CHATMON II
Mysterious Man	FRED ROSE
Milky White/Florinda/Rapunzel's Prince	DARICK PEAD
Cinderella's Stepmother/Jack's Mother	BONNE KRAMER
Cinderella/Granny	LAURIE VELDHEER
Witch	STEPHANIE UMOH
Jack/Steward	PATRICK MULRYAN
Baker	EVAN HARRINGTON
Little Red Ridinghood/Rapunzel	LISA HELMI JOHANSON
Pianist	EVAN REES

UNDERSTUDIES

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For Baker's Wife: MARY KATE MOORE; For Wolf/Cinderella's Prince: JOSHUA ARCHER; For Mysterious Man: JAVIER IGNACIO; For Jack's Mother: ALANNA SAUNDERS;

For Cinderella: MARY KATE MOORE, ALANNA SAUNDERS;

For Witch: MARY KATE MOORE; For Jack/Steward: JOSHUA ARCHER;

For Baker: JAVIER IGNACIO; For Little Red Ridinghood/Rapunzel: ALANNA SAUNDERS; For Pianist: SEAN PETER FORTE;

For Rapunzel's Prince/Milky White/Florinda: JOSHUA ARCHER, JAVIER IGNACIO

DANCE CAPTAIN

MARY KATE MOORE

FIGHT CAPTAIN

DARICK PEAD

Into The Woods will be performed with one intermission.

MUSICAL NUMBERS

ACT I

Prologue/"Into The Woods"	Company
	Little Red Ridinghood, Wolf
	Jack
"Maybe They're Magic"	Baker, Baker's Wife
"Our Little World"	Rapunzel, Witch
"I Know Things Now"	Little Red Ridinghood
"A Very Nice Prince"	Baker's Wife, Cinderella
"Giants in the Sky"	Jack
"Agony"	
	Baker, Baker's Wife
	Rapunzel, Witch
	Cinderella
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	ACT II
Act II Prologue	
	Witch
	Baker's Wife, Cinderella's Prince
"Moments in the Woods"	Baker's Wife
"Your Fault"	Baker, Cinderella, Jack, Little Red Ridinghood, Witch
"Last Midnight"	Witch
"No More"	Baker, Mysterious Man
"No One Is Alone"	Baker, Cinderella, Jack, Little Red Ridinghood

Making the Familiar New Again

Fiasco Theater reinterprets *Into The Woods* with imagination and joy

By David Freeland

They're characters everyone knows from fairy tales: Little Red Riding Hood, Cinderella, Rapunzel, and, finally, Jack, who stirs childhood fantasies with his discovery of giants at the top of a beanstalk. But in *Into The Woods*, the classic stage musical by Stephen Sondheim and James Lapine, now returning in an inventive new production by Fiasco Theater, they're woven together in a completely fresh way—one that combines seamless storytelling with unforgettable songs, including Sondheim favorites such as "Children Will Listen" and "No One Is Alone."

"Audiences are familiar with the stories when they come into the theatre, so they feel comfortable at the beginning," observes legendary composer Sondheim, who wrote *Into The Woods'* music and lyrics and whose credits—*West Side Story, Gypsy,* and *Sweeney Todd* among them—encompass some of the most beloved musicals in the American canon. "When Little Red Ridinghood comes out, they know who she is."

Into The Woods premiered on Broadway in 1987, in a Tony Award®-winning production directed by Lapine, who also wrote the show's book. Since then, it's been presented around the world and has remained a favorite of school drama departments, where student performers are drawn to the inspiring music and powerful stories. In 2014, Walt Disney

Pictures made it into a critically and commercially successful film starring Meryl Streep and Johnny Depp.

"I think *Into The Woods* speaks to people at different times in their lives," says Lapine, addressing the show's longevity. "You talk to people who saw it as a kid, and they related to Little Red Ridinghood and Jack. Then, when people become parents, they have a completely different perspective on it."

In the show's first act, the characters all desire something they believe will make their lives complete. Rapunzel, for instance, longs for a taste of the world outside her narrow confinement and the domineering, though loving, influence of her mother ("But did you think I would stay in that tower forever?" Rapunzel asks). The Baker and the Baker's Wife, two new fairy tale characters Lapine created for the show, wish to conceive a child. Later, during Act II, everyone must deal with the human consequences of getting what they hoped for.

"There are sacrifices to be made to 'happily ever after," Sondheim observes. "That's part of living."

With its themes of love between generations and the search for personal fulfillment, *Into The Woods* encourages us to discover ourselves through the characters onstage. Audiences identify with the journey from youthful innocence to wise maturity,

in ways that have been observed by Ben Steinfeld, Noah Brody, and Jessie Austrian, Artistic Directors of Fiasco. Steinfeld and Brody, who co-directed as well as performed in the new production during its acclaimed, sold-out runs in New York and London, are excited to be taking it to the Ahmanson Theatre as part of Fiasco's first-ever national tour.

"I think one of the reasons that audiences will connect to the show," says Steinfeld, "is because all of us have had moments where our understanding of our lives has been completely reframed." He points to one of the show's most memorable songs, the touching "Giants in the Sky," when Jack comes down the beanstalk after visiting the kingdom of the giants, only to discover a renewed appreciation for the house and mother he left behind.

"That's one of the most exciting things about life," Steinfeld suggests. "It's not just that you learn things that were outside of your experience, but it's that the familiar becomes new again."

The same could be said for Fiasco's visionary reinterpretation of this landmark musical. From Broadway veteran Derek McLane's imaginative set design, which uses a thicket of ropes to suggest both piano strings and the mysterious density of a forest, to the music, played onstage by cast members using a range of acoustic instruments, everything about this *Into The Woods* has been crafted in a way that (as Steinfeld and Brody describe it) "puts the story in front." Indeed, it was this element that resonated most strongly with Sondheim and Lapine, who have been vocal in their support of Fiasco Theater and its ensemble of performers.

"They embody what's essential to the theatre and storytelling," Lapine explains. "Because they're an acting company, they have this kind of special relationship with each other. There's so much invention in the production that brings an audience

into it. They connect to the audience as actors, prior to telling their story."

According to Brody, "because of the way the show is written and because of the way we do it, almost immediately the audience feels that they're in good hands."

Fiasco's collective spirit is especially appropriate for *Into The Woods*. Eventually, the show's characters come to understand the importance of setting aside their individual desires and working together as a group, for shared goals.

"It's about community responsibility," Sondheim reflects, "which, in a way, is a reflection of an audience. It's a little community in a theatre."

Ben Steinfeld elaborates on the connection between Fiasco's philosophy and the enjoyment audiences will feel watching *Into The Woods*.

"We've created a production that has 11 people onstage working together to play music, sing songs, and do storytelling," Steinfeld notes. "That's our way of saying that social responsibility is also a value in our artistic process. The audience feels they're absolutely a part of what is happening. They're with us moment by moment, being surprised and delighted by the production, as we are."

In summary, Stephen Sondheim emphasizes how "joy is key to the appeal" of *Into The Woods*.

"The style with which Fiasco does the piece," he attests, "has great exuberance and joy."

WHO'S WHO



ANTHONY CHATMON II (Lucinda/Wolf/ Cinderella's Prince) is excited to be venturing Into The Woods. Selected credits: West Side Story (A-Rab, Hollywood Bowl), The Book of Mormon (Maggots Guy, national tour), iLLA (NYMF), Acappella (NYMF), A Chorus Line, ¡Figaro! (90210), Hairspray. BFA

musical theatre, UC Irvine. Thank you Jesus. Love to my family, friends, Tony, and Stewart/Whitley. @Achatmonjr



ELEASHA GAMBLE (Baker's Wife). National tour: The Lion King. Off-Broadway: Under the Bridge. Arena Stage: Oklahoma! (Laurey), Oliver! (Nancy); Signature Theatre: Chess (Svetlana), Into The Woods (Witch); Ford's Theatre: The Civil War (Helen Hayes Award winner), Little Shop of Horrors (Chiffon); Lyric Theatre:

Big Fish (Witch); Marriott Lincolnshire: Dreamgirls (Effie). TV: HBO's The Night Of. For Mom and Dad. @Eleashagamble



EVAN HARRINGTON (*Baker*) has been seen on Broadway in *Once* (Billy), *Peter and the Starcatcher* (Alf), *The Phantom of the Opera* (Piangi), and *Aveune Q* (Brian). Most recently, he appeared as Big Harp in Roundabout's revival of *The Robber Bridegroom*. Other credits: *Assassins* (John Hinckley Jr.), *Sweeney*

Todd (Beadle/Pirelli), Into The Woods (Baker), Candide (Orator), and The Full Monty (Dave), as well as national tours of Once, The Music Man, Camelot, and Kopit & Yeston's Phantom. www.evanharrington.com



LISA HELMI JOHANSON (Little Red Ridinghood/Rapunzel) is thrilled to be a part of this amazing team, tooting her trumpet across the country! National tour: Avenue Q. Select New York: Avenue Q, Three Sisters (Classical Theatre of Harlem), Women Beware Women (Red Bull Theater), August Rush (workshop, dir.

John Doyle). Regional: *Waterfall* (Pasadena Playhouse & 5th Avenue Theatre), *4,000 Miles* (St. Louis Repertory, BroadwayWorld nomination), *Priscilla: Queen of the Desert* (Gateway and Ogunquit Playhouses), *Taming of the Shrew* (Virginia Stage Company). Gratitude to the Fiasco team, Stewart/Whitley, Harden-Curtis, and the one who is by her side through any woods, Jake. Micah 6:8. www.LisaHelmiJohanson.com



BONNE KRAMER (Cinderella's Stepmother/ Jack's Mother). At age 13, bassoon was the first and only instrument Bonne ever wanted to play. Theatre credits: five national/international tours including Mamma Mia!, The Scarlet Pimpernel, and The Andrews Sisters' Tribute. Other fun gigs: performing with Phish at Madison

Square Garden, playing all five female characters in *Mark Twain's Blues* Off-Broadway, *Avenue Q* national commercial, and various a cappella groups. Bonne is also a voice-over actor narrating audiobooks and voicing animation. BA, magna cum laude, University of Tampa and Playhouse West, Meisner Acting Program in Los Angeles. Her real dream is to be a rapper or maybe a professional Ping-Pong player. This show is for her dad. www.bonnekramer.com, @bonbonbonne



PATRICK MULRYAN (Jack/Steward).
Off-Broadway: Roundabout, Barrow
Street, TFANA, La MaMa. Regional:
McCarter, Old Globe, Trinity Rep, Guthrie.
Proud graduate of the Brown/Trinity MFA
acting program and Oberlin College.
Member: The Actors Center. Patrick
would like to dedicate his performance to

the memory of his brother Tom, the gentle giant in the sky.



DARICK PEAD (Milky White/Florinda/ Rapunzel's Prince/Fight Captain). National and international tour: Disney's Beauty and the Beast (Beast). Regional theatre: Xanadu, Dirty Rotten Scoundrels, The Drowsy Chaperone, and Aida. Co-creator/ director of Allegro Wolf Youth Broadway Academy in Sutton, Nebraska.



EVAN REES (*Music Director/Pianist*) is a music director, conductor, pianist, coach, and composer based in New York City. Broadway: *The Visit*. Off-Broadway: *A Bed and a Chair* (City Center Encores!). West End: Fiasco's *Into The Woods* (Menier Chocolate Factory). US national tour: Fiasco's *Into The Woods*, *A*

Christmas Story. Favorite regional credits: A Little Night Music (Princeton Festival), The Visit (Williamstown Theatre Festival), and My Fair Lady (Cardinal Stage). Graduate of the Indiana University Jacobs School of Music. Thanks to MC, DL, PS, the NRs, my parents, and my incredible family at Fiasco, both old and new. www.evanreesmusic.com



FRED ROSE (Mysterious Man). Broadway: Porgy and Bess (dir. Diane Paulus), Cyrano de Bergerac (dir. David Leveaux), Company (dir. John Doyle), Cabaret (dir. Sam Mendes), The Phantom of the Opera (dir. Hal Prince). National tour: Porgy and Bess, The Phantom of the Opera. Off-Broadway: The Winter's Tale, Much Ado

About Nothing (NY Classical Theatre). Regional: The Mystery of Edwin Drood, Ragtime, South Pacific (New London Barn); The Secret Garden, My Fair Lady, James Joyce's The Dead (Capital Rep); Evita (Northern Stage); The 39 Steps (Theatre By The Sea and New Harmony Theatre); La Cage aux Folles (Arts Center of Coastal Carolina); The Thing About Men (Walnut Street); Putting It Together (Arvada Center); 1776 (Riverside); Assassins (Gallery Players). TV: Smash, All My Children, PBS Great Performances (Cyrano and Company). Degrees in voice and cello, Univ. of Colorado, Boulder.



STEPHANIE UMOH (*Witch*). Broadway: *Ragtime* 2009 revival as Sarah, *Falsettos* revival w/dir. James Lapine (understudy for Trina, Charlotte, Cordelia). Off-Broadway: *Falling for Eve* (Eve, York Theatre) and more. Appeared regionally in *Sister Act* (Deloris, Marriott Theatre), *The Color Purple* (Nettie, Milwaukee

Rep), Johnny Baseball (Daisy, A.R.T.), Jesus Christ Superstar (Mary, PC LO), Aida (Aida, Drury Lane), Les Misérables (Fantine, Casa Mañana), and more. Film/TV: NYC 22 and Big Words. Awarded 2009–2010 Theatre World Award for Outstanding Broadway Debut. Received BFA at The Boston Conservatory.



LAURIE VELDHEER (Cinderella/Granny) is so excited to tell this story! Broadway: Mamma Mia! (Sophie), Newsies (Hannah/Smalls, Katherine understudy). Regional: Thoroughly Modern Millie (Millie Dillmount) at the Paper Mill Playhouse and Maltz Jupiter Theatre, A Little Night Music at A.C.T. (Anne Egerman).

Originally from Grand Rapids, MI. Received her BFA in musical theatre from Penn State University. All glory to God. Endless thanks to DGRW and my incredible family!

JOSHUA ARCHER (Understudy for Wolf/Cinderella's Prince/ Lucinda, Jack/Steward, Milky White/Rapunzel's Prince/ Florinda). National tour debut! Disney Cruise Line, Magic 35 cast of Tangled: The Musical. Regional credits:



Forbidden Broadway, Alive and Kicking (Denver Center for the Performing Arts), The Tempest, Henry IV Parts I & II (Colorado Shakespeare Festival), She Kills Monsters (Aurora Fox Theatre). BA musical theatre: University of Northern Colorado. Love to my family, and the ladies at BBR! Romans 8:37



JAVIER IGNACIO (Understudy for Baker, Mysterious Man, Milky White/Rapunzel's Prince/Florinda). Broadway: Side Show (Houdini/Dog Boy). NYC: Children of Salt (Jonas) at NYMF. Regional: La Jolla Playhouse, The John F. Kennedy Center, Music Theatre Wichita, The Alhambra Dinner Theatre, and Actors' Playhouse.

Javier studied musical theatre at Wichita State University. AEA Member. Many thanks to DDO and my amazing family. www.javierignacio.com



MARY KATE MOORE (Dance Captain/ Understudy for Witch, Baker's Wife, Cinderella/Granny) is so thrilled to be a part of this inspiring production! Credits include Royal Caribbean Productions' Cats (Grizabella). Regional: Rocky Horror Show (Magenta), Spring Awakening (Anna), Big River (Joanna Wilkes). Special

thanks to family and friends! www.katemooresings.com



ALANNA SAUNDERS (Understudy for Little Red Ridinghood/Rapunzel, Cinderella's Stepmother/Jack's Mother, Cinderella/ Granny). BFA graduate from University of Miami. TV: NBC's Peter Pan Live! (Tiger Lily). Other credits: Pirates of Penzance (Barrington), Little Shop of Horrors (Keyboard II/Urchin, CPH), Peter Pan the

Musical (Wendy, CTC), *A Chorus Line* (Diana Morales, CRT), *Gypsy* (June). Love to her family, her class, and Samuel.



SEAN PETER FORTE (*Understudy for Pianist*) is a California-grown, New York City-based musical director, pianist, arranger, and coach and is thrilled to be on the road with *Into The Woods*. Broadway: *A Gentleman's Guide to Love & Murder* (rehearsals). Regional: *La Cage aux Folles, Seussical, A Funny Thing*

Happened on the Way to the Forum, Cinderella, and Sweeney Todd. Other: Cats (Royal Caribbean). BMus from University of the Pacific.

STEPHEN SONDHEIM (Music and Lyrics) wrote the music and lyrics for Road Show (2008), Passion (1994), Assassins (1991), Into The Woods (1987), Sunday in the Park with George (1984), Merrily We Roll Along (1981), Sweeney Todd (1979), Pacific Overtures (1976), The Frogs (1974), A Little Night Music (1973), Follies (1971; revised in London, 1987), Company (1970), Anyone Can Whistle (1964), and A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum (1962), as well as the lyrics for West Side Story (1957), Gypsy (1959), Do I Hear a Waltz? (1965), and additional lyrics for Candide (1973). Side by Side by Sondheim (1976), Marry Me a Little (1981), You're Gonna Love Tomorrow (1983), and Putting It Together (1993/'99) are anthologies of his work, as is the musical Sondheim on Sondheim. He composed the film scores of Stavisky (1974) and Reds (1981) and songs for Dick Tracy (Academy Award, 1990). He also wrote songs for the television production Evening Primrose (1966), coauthored, with Anthony Perkins, the film The Last of Sheila (1973) and, with George Furth, the play Getting Away with Murder (1996), and provided incidental music for the plays The Girls of Summer (1956), Invitation to a March (1961), and Twigs (1971). He won Tony Awards® for Best Score for a Musical for Passion, Into The Woods, Sweeney Todd, A Little Night Music, Follies, and Company. All of these shows won the New York Drama Critics Circle Award, as did Pacific Overtures and Sunday in the Park with George, the latter also receiving the Pulitzer Prize for Drama. Saturday Night (1954), his first professional musical, finally had its New York premiere in 1999 at Second Stage Theatre.

JAMES LAPINE (Book) has worked with Stephen Sondheim on Sunday in the Park with George, Into The Woods, and Passion. He conceived and directed the Broadway production of Sondheim on Sondheim. He also directed the first revival of Merrily We Roll Along at La Jolla Playhouse. With William Finn, he has worked on Falsettos, A New Brain, 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee, and Little Miss Sunshine. Other Broadway credits: The Diary of Anne Frank, Golden Child, and Amour. He has written the plays Act One, Table Settings, Twelve Dreams, Luck, Pluck & Virtue, The Moment When, Fran's Bed, and Mrs. Miller Does Her Thing.

NOAH BRODY (*Co-Director*) is an actor, director, writer, and teacher. He is a Co-Artistic Director and Head of Producing for Fiasco Theater. Noah has co-directed and acted in Fiasco's productions of *Into The Woods, Measure for Measure, Twelfth Night*, and *Cymbeline*, which received

the 2012 Off-Broadway Award for Best Revival, and acted in their production of *Two Gentlemen of Verona*. Noah has performed at theatres around the country and in Europe, appeared shirtless on soaps, headless on a crime drama, and as a dismembered torso on some underwear boxes. He teaches acting, voice, and text through Fiasco and the NYU Gallatin School summer Shakespeare Intensive, and choreographs fights for money. He enjoys long, complicated novels and being in physical peril. Proud graduate of the Brown/Trinity MFA acting program.

BEN STEINFELD (*Co-Director*) is an actor, director, teacher, and a Co-Artistic Director of the acclaimed Fiasco Theater. Ben has been seen on Broadway in the Roundabout Theatre Company's revival of Cyrano de Bergerac and as James Monroe in Bloody Bloody Andrew Jackson. His Off-Broadway acting and directing work includes his Lucille Lortel-nominated performance as the Baker in this production of Into The Woods at the Roundabout Theatre Company (Lortel Award for Best Revival), Fiasco's Cymbeline at Theatre for a New Audience and the Barrow Street Theatre (Off-Broadway Alliance Award for Best Revival), and Fiasco's Measure for Measure at the New Victory (NY Times Top 10 of 2014). He recently made his London acting and directing debut with Fiasco's Into The Woods at the Menier Chocolate Factory. Selected regional theatre work includes shows with McCarter Theatre, The Old Globe, Westport Country Playhouse, Williamstown Theatre Festival, Long Wharf Theatre, Folger Theatre, and Trinity Rep. Ben's television and film acting work includes HBO's Muhammad Ali's Greatest Fight, The Good Wife, and Law & Order: Criminal Intent. Ben co-authored an essay for the recent book Living with Shakespeare (Random House), and is writing the book for two new musicals in development. He is an adjunct professor and artist-in-residence at NYU's Gallatin School and a visiting lecturer at Princeton University. He is a graduate of Brown University and the Brown/Trinity MFA program.

LISA SHRIVER (Choreographer). Broadway: Jesus Christ Superstar (2012), Ring of Fire, The Farnsworth Invention, The Story of My Life. Selected Off-Broadway/regional: Fiasco's Into The Woods (Roundabout, Old Globe, Menier Chocolate Factory), Fetch Clay, Make Man (NYTW), Caesar and Cleopatra with Christopher Plummer (Stratford). Film/TV: A Christmas Carol with Jim Carrey, A Beautiful Mind, A Very Murray Christmas with Bill Murray, Broad City (season 3 finale). Phish's NYE concert (MSG).

DEREK McLANE (Scenic Designer). Broadway designs include Beautiful—The Carole King Musical, The Heiress, Nice Work if You Can Get It, Gore Vidal's The Best Man, Follies, Anything Goes, How to Succeed..., Bengal Tiger..., Million Dollar Quartet, Ragtime, 33 Variations, The Pajama Game, I Am My Own Wife. Off-Broadway: The Last Five Years, Ruined, A Lie of the Mind, Hurlyburly. He designed the 2013 and 2014 Academy Awards. Awards: winner of 1997 and 2004 Obie Awards; 2004, 2005, 2007 Lucille Lortel Awards; 2009 Tony Award®; 2011 Drama Desk Award; 2014 Emmy Award.

WHITNEY LOCHER (Costume Designer). Off-Broadway: Into The Woods (Roundabout), H2O (Ground UP Productions), The Two Gentlemen of Verona (Theatre for a New Audience), Measure for Measure (New Victory Theater), Cymbeline (TFANA/Barrow Street Theatre), For The Last Time (Theatre Row), Dead Dog Park (59E59 Theaters), Ethel Sings (Theatre Row), Henry IV, Part 1 (Pearl Theatre Company), Nymph Errant (Prospect Theatre Company). Regional: Measure for Measure (Long Wharf Theatre), The Two Gentlemen of Verona (Folger Theatre), Sex With Strangers, Venus in Fur (Cleveland Play House), Into The Woods (Old Globe, McCarter). Associate costume designer for The 66™ Annual Tony Awards®. Resident Costume Designer for Fiasco Theater and Partial Comfort Productions. www.whitneylocher.com

CHRISTOPHER AKERLIND (Lighting Designer). Roundabout: Philadelphia, Here I Come!, A Touch of the Poet, 110 in the Shade (Tony® nom.), Howard Katz. Broadway: The Last Ship, Rocky (Tony nom.), The Gershwins' Porgy and Bess (Tony nom.), Well, Awake and Sing! (Tony nom.), Rabbit Hole, The Light in the Piazza (Tony, Drama Desk, Outer Critics awards), Reckless, The Tale of the Allergist's Wife, Seven Guitars (Tony nom.), among others. Awards: Obie for Sustained Excellence, among others.

DARRON L WEST (Sound Designer) is a Tony® and Obie Award-winning sound designer whose work for theatre and dance has been heard in over 500 productions nationally and internationally, on Broadway and off. His many accolades for sound design include the Bay Area Theatre Critics Circle Award, the Lucille Lortel, and the AUDELCO Award. He is a two-time Henry Hewes Design Award winner and a proud recipient of the 2012 Princess Grace Statue Award.

CHARLES COES (Sound Designer) is based in NJ and CA. He has designed shows at Yale Rep, Seattle Rep, Berkeley Rep, The Old Globe, Guthrie Theater, Shakespeare Theatre

Company, ArtsEmerson, Wilma Theater, Two River Theater, North Shore Music Theatre, Williamstown Theatre Festival, HERE Arts Center, Ford's Theatre, Dallas Theater Center, Roundabout Theatre Company, the Huntington, and Theatre for a New Audience. Tours: Phoenix Entertainment and The Acting Company. He has also designed aerial, robotic, and aquatic spectaculars for Royal Caribbean, an immersive show, Queen of the Night, at the Diamond Horseshoe, Puppet Up! at the Venetian in Las Vegas, and collaborated on installations with artists Anne Hamilton, Abelardo Morel, and Luis Roldan. He has been an associate on many Broadway shows including Peter and the Starcatcher, Vanya and Sonia and Masha and Spike, In the Next Room, or the vibrator play, and Natasha, Pierre & the Great Comet of 1812. He teaches at the Yale School of Drama and has a mostly well behaved dog named Max.

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BRIAN J. L'ECUYER (*Production Stage Manager*) just finished working on *Jersey Boys* in Las Vegas. Prior to that, he has worked in many US cities with the national tours of *La Cage aux Folles, South Pacific, The Drowsy Chaperone, 25th Annual...Spelling Bee, The Importance of Being Earnest,* and *Big River.* Regional: *Pippin* (Mark Taper Forum/L.A.), Pittsburgh CLO, *Baby* (Paper Mill). Worked internationally with John Astin's one-man show *Edgar Allan Poe—Once Upon a Midnight.* Member of Actors' Equity Association.

ORIN WOLF (Executive Producer). Broadway producing credits include Fiddler on the Roof (Tony® nom.), Beautiful—The Carole King Musical (Tony nom.), Orphans (Tony nom.), Hands on a Hardbody, Once (Tony Award, London and national tour), That Championship Season, A View from the Bridge (Tony nom.). Off-Broadway and on tour: The Band's Visit, Not By Bread Alone, Groundswell, Judy Gold's 25 Questions for a Jewish Mother, Robert Wuhl's Assume the Position, History of the Word, I Love a Piano, and more. Co-founded OBB/Off-Broadway Booking. He is a graduate of the Commercial Theater Institute and was awarded the T. Fellowship for Creative Producing at Columbia University in conjunction with Hal Prince and is now the Director. He is the President of NETworks Presentations.

FIASCO THEATER is an ensemble theatre company created by graduates of the Brown University/Trinity Rep MFA acting program. Past shows include *Into The Woods*

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MICHAEL RITCHIE (Artistic Director) is in his 12[™] season as Center Theatre Group's Artistic Director, and has led over 190 productions to the Ahmanson Theatre, Mark Taper Forum, and Kirk Douglas Theatre stages including the premieres of six musicals that moved to Broadway—The Drowsy Chaperone, Curtains, 13, 9 to 5: The Musical, Bloody Bloody Andrew Jackson, and Leap of Faith—and the Pulitzer Prize in Drama finalist Bengal Tiger at the Baghdad Zoo.

STEPHEN D. ROUNTREE (Managing Director) joined Center Theatre Group in 2014 as Managing Director. He was previously the President and CEO of The Music Center (2002–2014) and concurrently the CEO of the Los Angeles Opera (2008–2012). He served the J. Paul Getty Trust for 22 years, starting in 1980 as Deputy Director of the Getty Museum, then Director of the Getty Center Building Program, and in 1998, the Executive Vice President and

Chief Operating Officer for the Getty Trust. He currently serves as a trustee of Occidental College, The Ahmanson Foundation, Children's Hospital of Los Angeles, and Polytechnic School.

DOUGLAS C. BAKER (*Producing Director*) is now in his 27[™] season at Center Theatre Group. He is an active member of the Broadway League, the Independent Presenters Network, and is a proud member of the Association of Theatrical Press Agents and Managers. In May 2013, Doug received the Broadway League's prestigious Outstanding Achievement in Presenter Management Award.

JEFFREY UPAH (General Manager, Ahmanson Theatre) has worked in management at Center Theatre Group since 2006 on more than 50 musicals, plays, and special events including both pre-Broadway productions and Broadway tours. Some of his favorites include Follies, God of Carnage, and The Black Rider (having previously worked on Robert Wilson productions in Boston, Houston, and Sao Paulo, Brazil). Prior to Center Theatre Group, he worked in various capacities at the Santa Fe Opera, Yale Repertory Theater, American Repertory Theater, and Jacob's Pillow Dance Festival, among others.

GORDON DAVIDSON (*Founding Artistic Director*) led the Taper throughout its first 38 seasons, guiding over 300 productions to its stage and winning countless awards for himself and the theatre—including the Tony Award for theatrical excellence, Margo Jones Award, The Governor's Award for the Arts, and a Guggenheim fellowship. *The Kentucky Cycle* and *Angels in America (Part One)* won the Pulitzer in consecutive years and, in 1994, three of the four plays nominated for the Tony Award® for Best Play were from the Taper (*Angels in America* won). In 1989, Gordon took over the Ahmanson and, in 2004, he produced the inaugural season in the Kirk Douglas Theatre.

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Laurie Veldheer as Cinderella (CENTER) with (L-R) Eleasha Gamble, Anthony Chatmon II, and Vanessa Reseland in Into The Woods. Photo by Joan Marcus.

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