

**Theatre at Concordia is proud to present**

## ***The Secret Garden***

By Francis Hodgson Burnett

Adapted for the stage by Michael Shamata and Paula Wing

This fall, Theatre at Concordia presents a theatrical adaptation of the beloved children's classic *The Secret Garden*. When 10 year old Mary Lennox loses her family to a cholera epidemic in India she is sent to live with her only remaining relative, the reclusive Archibald Craven at Misselthwaite Manor on the bleak Yorkshire moors. The rambling old manor house holds dark secrets but there is new life to be found in the gardens. Nature, friendship and hope transform the lives of everyone at Misselthwaite.

The production is directed by Broadway veteran and guest artist Michelle Rios. Ms. Rios is featured in the film *Frontera* alongside Academy award nominee Ed Harris and has been nominated for a 2014 Latino Canadian Artist of the Year Award.

Costumes are by Betty Kolodziej who has costumed numerous productions including many for Concordia and Opera Nuova. The production and projection design are by Concordia's Technical Director Josiah Hiemstra.

*The Secret Garden* features student performers and production crew from the Concordia Community: Joseph Chartier, Julie Cloutier, Joel Dinocola, Joshua Eastman, Laurel Fiege, Christopher Gaertner, Erika Holba, Barbara Jackson, Paige Kaminski, Robert Peterson Bach, Jacob Rempel, Emma Reid, Ryley Saunders, Kristen St. John, Rachel Whipple and Cheryl Wong.

### **Show Times:**

Friday, October 31 at 7:30  
Saturday, November 1 at 7:30  
Sunday, November 2 at 7:30  
Friday, November 7 at 7:30 (Alumni Reception to follow)  
Saturday, November 8 at 7:30  
Sunday, November 9 at 2:00

Tegler Auditorium  
Concordia University College of Alberta  
73 Street & 111 Ave

### **Tickets Available from Tix on the Square and at the Door**

Adults: \$ 15  
Students & Seniors: \$ 10  
Group pricing available on request

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