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FIU Theatre presents

ALTERNATIVE

Theatre Festival 2012

JUNE 20 to JULY 21, 2012

Wertheim Performing Arts Center
10910 SW 17 Street, Miami, FL 33199

Oh Dad, Poor Dad, Mamma's Hung You in the Closet and I'm Feelin' So Sad

By Arthur Kopit

Directed by Daniel Mitan

A domineering mother and her son travel the globe while encountering dysfunctional characters leading to bizarre and humorous events.

JUNE 20 | 5:30pm and JUNE 21-23 | 8:00pm

Produced by special arrangement with Samuel French, Inc. New York City

The Maids

By Jean L. Genet

Directed by Tatiana Pandiani

This dark and brooding play depicts two sisters, servants in an upper-class Parisian home, who engage nightly in a secret ceremony of revenge while their mistress is away. This nightly ritual becomes reality as they face the ultimate challenge of despair, jealousy, hatred, and sisterly love.

JUNE 27 | 5:30pm and JUNE 28-30 | 8:00pm

Produced by special arrangement with Samuel French, Inc. New York City

As The Globe Warms

A new American soap opera presented in six episodes.

**An exclusive work-in-progress written and performed
by award-winning "stand-up novelist" Heather Woodbury.**

Directed by Michael Yawney

Endangered frogs, whirling dervishes, desperate scientists, and Evangelicals gone wild. Inhabitants of Vane Springs, Nevada live out the soap opera of everyday life through the extraordinary headlines of our times. This astonishing comic epic explores what it is like to survive in America today.

Presented in six evening-length installments that can be enjoyed separately, but together they form a complex, funny and moving continuing saga.

JULY 6-7, 13-14, 20-21 | 8:00pm

TICKETS SOLD AT THE DOOR | FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED

\$10.00 GENERAL ADMISSION (*Oh Dad, Poor Dad* and *The Maids*)

\$10.00 SUGGESTED DONATION (*As The Globe Warms*)

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