

# ERIC LANE

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## THEATER. Premieres

A THOUSAND FACES: The Lon Chaney Musical	Book writer. Encore Musical Theatre. Directed by Sam Scalamoni Innovator Award for Excellence in Cultural Access
IBIS	Summer Shorts at 59E59. Directed by Terry Lyn Berliner
RIVERBED	Summer Shorts at 59E59. Directed by Matthew Rauch
LADY LIBERTY & THE DONUT GIRL	Theatre Travels, Sydney, Australia. New Circle
FILMING O'KEEFFE	Adirondack Theatre Fest. commission. Directed by Martha Banta
RIDE	WHAT. Directed by Daisy Walker. Productions across the U.S.
HEART OF THE CITY	Theatre at 30 <sup>th</sup> Street. Directed by Martha Banta
TIMES OF WAR	Adirondack Theatre Festival. Directed by Martha Banta EST Octoberfest. Productions across the U.S.
CATER-WAITER	HERE directed by Martha Banta. Stockholm, Sweden
DANCING ON CHECKERS' GRAVE	Starring Jennifer Aniston (premiere). Productions worldwide.
1-ACTS & SHORT PLAYS	Barrow Group, Circle-in-the-Square, Dylan Thomas (Wales), EST Samuel French, Symphony Space, Vital Theatre, The Wallis

## Workshops & Readings

KINGS HIGHWAY	'26 Valdez Theatre Conference, E.S.T. Memberfest
CRITTERS	New Circle. Directed by Eric Nightengale. Aritst, Bob Barnett LARAC, Orange Thoughts, E.S.T. Memberfest
SLAP	Starring Michael Urie, Ryan Spahn, Malika Samuel at E.S.T. Directed by Jonathan Silverstein. '25 Valdez Theatre Conference
THE ACCIDENTAL CATERER	Book and co-lyricist. Manhattan Theatre Club Studios, Primary Stages Studios. Directed by Martha Banta.
FLOATING	Raven Theatre, Azuka Theatre, Barrow Group Studios
HEART OF A CHILD & 6 Other Plays	La MaMa La Galleria New Plays/New Voices
ADDITIONAL READINGS	NY Theatre Workshop, The Barrow Group, Inge Festival, Valdez

## FILM & TELEVISION

FIRST BREATH Melissa Leo, Victor Williams, Kelly Karbacz	Writer/Producer 40+ Screenings Worldwide – BFI, LIIFE Best Short Film Award
CATER-WAITER David Drake, Lisa Kron, John Kelly	Writer/Director/Producer 40+ Screenings Worldwide – BFI, DGA, Public Theatre
CARLY (CBS-TV) 20th Century Fox	Staff Writer (Pilot) Writers: Jeffrey Klarik & David Crane
RYAN'S HOPE (ABC-TV)	Staff Writer – Writer's Guild Award

## PUBLICATIONS

VINTAGE & PENGUIN BOOKS – 14 Play Anthologies. Editor with Nina Shengold

DRAMATISTS PLAY SERVICE – *FILMING O'KEEFFE, RIDE*

PLAYSCRIPTS – *HEART OF THE CITY, DANCING ON CHECKERS' GRAVE*

DRAMATIC PUBLISHING – *TIMES OF WAR*

CONTRIBUTOR (*Selected*)

*BEST STAGE MONOLOGUES 2022–2026: Assumptions, Ride, Critters, Kings Highway, Lasagna* (Smith-Kraus)

*BEST 10-MINUTE PLAYS 2021 and 2022: The View from Here and Faith* (Smith & Kraus)

*BEST AMERICAN SHORT PLAYS: Early Morning* (Applause Books)

## AWARDS (*Selected*)

Writer's Guild of America Award

La MaMa Playwright Award

Berrilla Kerr Playwriting Award

Lambda Literary Award Nominee

Innovator Award – Excellence in Cultural Access (*A Thousand Faces*)

2026 Valdez Theatre Conference (*Kings Highway*)

2025 Valdez Theatre Conference (*Slap, Battle of Beaver Lodge, City of Lost Souls*)

2025 William Inge New Play Festival (*Riverbed*)

BlueCat, Creative World, Final Draft Big Break, Launch Pad - Screenplay Contests Finalist (*Ride*)

Long Island International Film Expo - Best Short Film – Winner (*First Breath*)

Worldfest Charleston Film Festival – 4<sup>th</sup> Place (*Cater-Waiter*)

O'Neill National Playwrights Conference – Finalist (*Twice*)

Actors Theatre of Louisville Heideman Award – Finalist (*8 times*)

PlayPenn, Multi-Stages, Berkshire Playwrights Lab, Hope & Optimism on Stage – Finalist (*Floating*)

TRU Voices – Finalist (*Kings Highway*)

Dylan Thomas Theatre, Wales - Youth Award Winner (*Dancing on Checkers' Grave*)

## FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS & COMMISSIONS

Fellowships

Yaddo – 10+ residencies including:

Newman's Own Residency for Excellence in Playwriting & Screenwriting

Sundell Residency for Special Assistants to the President (*Twice*)

St. James Cavalier Centre for Creativity in Malta, Virginia Center for the Creative Arts,

Millay Arts, Jonathan Larson Performing Arts Residency at A.T.F.

Commissions – Adirondack Theatre Festival Founders' Fund for New Work

Grants – The Puffin Foundation, Pilgrim Project, Maurer Family Foundation

Member Artist – Ensemble Studio Theatre, Orange Thoughts, New Circle Theatre Co.

## THEATER & FILM COMPANY

ORANGE THOUGHTS PRODUCTIONS – *Founding Artistic Director, not-for-profit company*

## EDUCATION

BROWN UNIVERSITY – B.A. in English & Theatre Arts (Honors)