

## ArtsHub Update

August 14 - August 28, 2020

This bi-weekly email highlights the work happening across the [ArtsHub](#), along with upcoming events of note. If you would like to add items to future updates or be removed from the distribution list, please contact Shawn Lee at [slee@artistsrep.org](mailto:slee@artistsrep.org).

### Highlights

- ART is happy to welcome three new companies to the ArtsHub: [BackFence PDX](#), [Broke Gravy](#), and [Front Porch Sessions](#).
- Join us on September 14 at 5pm for [ART: Present + Future - A Virtual Event](#) with Dámaso Rodríguez, JS May, and ART artists to hear updates and ask questions about 2020 plans and beyond. Topics include upcoming audio dramas, new education programs, new works development, the completed design of our new facility, and how ART is responding to these uncertain and unprecedented times. We'll also discuss plans to once again assemble a [Mercury Company](#) to develop and produce another round of new work for audio and post-pandemic production.
- 16 new fall classes will be posted on the ART [website](#) and open for registration on Monday, August 31. There is something for everyone, including many new acting classes, improv for everyone, playwriting, and a new discussion series.
- There is still time to apply to Portland Actors Conservatory's rigorous [two-year conservatory program](#). Scholarships are available. The deadline for applying is September 11.
- Portland Shakes is presenting a reading of *The Winter's Tale* in a modern verse translation by Tracy Young and directed by Michael Mendelson in partnership with the Play On program. Some workshop rehearsals will be available online, followed by a full reading of the play on Saturday, September 12 at noon. See the Portland Shakes [website](#) for more information.

### Upcoming Events

- **Saturday, September 12, 12:00pm - online** - Portland Shakes presents [The Winter's Tale](#)

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- **Monday, September 14, 5:00pm - online - ART: Present + Future - A Virtual Event**
- **Monday, September 21, 4:30pm - online - Guild Meeting**