BERKELEY REP PRESENTS A NEW ADAPTATION OF IT CAN'T HAPPEN HERE

WHO: Adapted by Tony Taccone and Bennett S. Cohen
Directed by Lisa Peterson

Featuring in alphabetical order: Scott Coopwood (Shad), Deidre Henry (Lorinda), William Thomas Hodgson (Fowler), Anna Ishida (Mary), David Kelly (Buzz Windrip/Buck), Sharon Lockwood (Emma), Alexander Lydon (Julian), Gabriel Montoya (Ensemble), Tom Nelis (Doremus Jessup), Carolina Sanchez (Sissy), Mark Kenneth Smaltz (Pollikop), Charles Shaw Robinson (Swan), Gerardo Rodriguez (Pascal), and Will Rogers (Phillip)

Creative team: Rachel Hauck (scenic design), Meg Neville (costume design), Alexander V. Nichols (lighting design), and Paul James Prendergast (sound design).

WHAT: Written in 1935 during the rise of fascism in Europe, Lewis’ darkly satirical It Can’t Happen Here follows the ascent of a demagogue who becomes president of the United States by promising to return the country to greatness. Witnessing the new president’s authoritarian tyranny from the sidelines is a liberal, middle-class newspaper editor from Vermont who is caught in the chaos of social upheaval.

WHERE: Berkeley Repertory Theatre
Roda Theatre, 2015 Addison Street @ Shattuck, Berkeley, CA 94704

WHEN: 51 PERFORMANCES: Friday, September 23 – Sunday, November 6, 2016
- Tuesdays and Fridays @ 8:00 PM
- Wednesdays @ 7:00 PM
- Thursdays @ 8:00 PM; 2:00 & 8:00 PM on 10/13 and 11/3
- Saturdays @ 2:00 PM and 8:00 PM; 8:00 PM only on 9/24 and 10/15
- Sundays @ 2:00 PM and 7:00 PM; 7:00 PM only on 9/25
- No performance on Tuesday 11/1

Special Events:


Opening night: Friday 9/30 @ 8:00 PM includes a pre-show dinner for donors at Hotel Shattuck

Teen Night: Friday 9/23 @ 8:00 PM

FREE docent events: Docent talks before Tuesday and Thursday evening performances and discussions after all matinees

Post-play discussions: Thursday 10/13, Tuesday 10/18, and Friday 10/28 following the performance

Open captioning: Sunday 11/2 @ 2:00pm

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HOW MUCH: Premium: $57-$97, Sec A $50-$81, Sec B $29-$65. (subject to change)

TIX & INFO: 510 647-2949 – berkeleyrep.org Discounts: Half-price tickets available for anyone under 30 years of age; $10 discount for students and seniors one hour before curtain; Groups of 10 or more, email groups@berkeleyrep.org

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