

Richard Maxwell

and

The New York City Players

Marilyn I. Walker School of
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Hailed by the *New York Times* as "one of the most innovative and essential theatre artists to emerge from American experimental theatre in the past decade," Obie-award-winning New York City playwright and director Richard Maxwell and members of the New York City Players will be visiting Toronto and the Brock University campus for the first time April 18th and 19th, 2009.

Students, faculty, and members of the theatre community will have an opportunity to engage in a discussion with Richard Maxwell and members of the New York City Players in an informal workshop that will include a mini-retrospective of their productions to date and exercises demonstrating principles that are central to their work. The evening will conclude with a site-specific show entitled *Showcase* that takes place in a hotel room (details to be announced). *Showcase* plumbs the thoughts of a businessman absorbed in the world of his private, hotel room as he and his shadow examine his past.

Workshop Information

Brock University:

Saturday, April 18th. 3:30 - 6:30 p.m. in Rm. Thistle 141

University of Toronto:

Sunday, April 19th. 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. at the Helen Gardiner Phelan Playhouse

Show Information

St. Catharines:

Saturday, April 18th. Available show times: 8 p.m.; 9 p.m.; 10 p.m.

Location to be announced. Maximum 15 spectators/show.

Tickets \$10. To reserve tickets email: showcasetix@gmail.com

Toronto:

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For more information about Richard Maxwell visit:

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