

## Riverside Theatre Summer Festival 2012 Professional Company Audition Information

Riverside Theatre is a resident professional company now in its 31st year. It presents a full season of works in its 118-seat facility on Gilbert Street and the Riverside Theatre Summer Festival in Iowa City's City Park. The Globe-inspired Festival Stage, set against a bluff and adjacent to a willow-ringed reflecting pond, has great natural acoustics and is very performer friendly. The theatre has air-conditioned dressing rooms and permanent audience seating for 472; now entering its 13th season, the Festival has enjoyed tremendous acclaim and regional media attention.

There will be a 14-actor (5 Equity) professional company in 2012, as well as an Apprentice Company of 8 actors. All professional actors will be cast in both shows and will also understudy. Full-time rehearsals begin May 15. The productions, **As You Like It** (directed by Theodore Swetz) and **The Merchant of Venice** (directed by Kristin Horton), open June 15 and June 22, playing in repertory through July 8, an 8-week contract. EMC points are available.

### Audition Requirements

P/R; 2 contrasting monologues, one classical and one contemporary; 3 minutes total.

For Apprentice Audition/Information, [click here](#).

### RTSF 2012 Regional Audition Schedule

Iowa City - Saturday, December 3, 2011

Equity and non-Equity auditions, 12:00-3:00 p.m. at the theatre, 23 N. Gilbert St.

Call the Box Office at 319-338-7672 beginning November 14 to schedule an audition. Auditions for the Apprentice Company are February 4, 2012.

Chicago - Monday December 5, 2011 at the Equity office, 557 W. Randolph St.

Equity Auditions: 9:30 am - 1:00 pm. Appointments taken at the Equity office [tentatively] beginning November 28; check the Casting Call.

Non-Equity Auditions: 1:30 - 3:30; for audition consideration, please mail P/R (NO FAX OR EMAIL) to Riverside Theatre, 213 N. Gilbert Street, Iowa City, IA 52245 Attn: Chicago Auditions; receipt deadline November 21. Actors selected for audition will be contacted by email (please include your email contact) with a specific appointment time by November 29.

Milwaukee – Tuesday, December 6, 2011

Limited to Milwaukee Repertory Apprentice Company

Kansas City –Friday, December 9, 2011

Limited to UMKC graduate theatre program

Minneapolis – Monday, January 23, 2012

Limited to University of Minnesota/Guthrie undergraduates and alums

[For Apprentice Audition/Interview information, see the Apprentice section of the website.](#)