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THE CURIOUS INCIDENT OF THE DOG IN THE NIGHT-TIME
A play by Simon Stephens
Based on the novel by Mark Haddon

LEAD PRODUCTION TEAM

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Fabrice Conte-Williamson

SCENIC DESIGNER
Jody Sekas

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR
Bri Humke*

COSTUME DESIGNER
Sarah Hemken*

MAKEUP DESIGNER
Jenny Hinajosa*

LIGHTING DESIGNER
Jake Bray
Bryan Byars*

SOUND DESIGNER
Kevin Gray

TECHNICAL DIRECTOR
Jody Sekas

STAGE MANAGER
Samantha Feiler*

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The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time was first presented by the National Theatre, London at the Cottesloe Theatre on August 2nd 2012 and transferred to the Gielgud Theatre, West End, London on March 12th 2013. The Play opened in the USA at the Ethel Barrymore Theatre on October 5th 2014.

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As I sit down to write this director’s note, I suddenly realize that, as an audience member, I simply dread going to the theatre to see plays adapted from popular novels. As not to offend anyone, I will refrain from listing specific examples, but I have been perpetually disappointed by this type of theatrical experience. I find that the theatre thrives when it tells stories especially crafted for it rather than grossly distorting the content of a novel to suit the boundaries of the stage. Yet, here I am, welcoming you to this performance of *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time*, a play adapted from Mark Haddon’s celebrated novel.

Without a doubt, Simon Stephens’ skillful adaptation is what allows *Curious Incident* to succeed as a theatrical event. Rather than constraining and hindering the original narrative, the transformation from novel to play seems to have liberated it. The story soars on stage because it invites all members of the creative team—director, designers, and performers—to engage in a rich and complex collaborative process that results in a unique and exhilarating experience for our audiences. In other words, whether you are a longtime fan of *Curious Incident* or whether you are about to meet Christopher for the first time, we hope that you delight in the world we have imagined for you.

As a theatre artist and as an educator, I am thrilled to see *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time* performed on our stage. It is, after all, one of the most distinguished plays of the 21st century and I believe that, as an academic institution, we must regularly produce the work of contemporary playwrights to best serve our community. Additionally, the complexity of the material and the challenges unique to this piece of theatre make *Curious Incident* a fantastic opportunity for our students to learn new skills, engage with innovative technologies, and tell a story like no other.

On behalf of the students, faculty, and staff, thank you for supporting the theatre arts at UW-Parkside.

Enjoy the show!
Simon Stephens’ play, The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time, was adapted from the critically-acclaimed eponymous novel by Mark Haddon. Despite receiving many requests to adapt the novel, Haddon initially declined on the assumption that such a project was impossible. In 2007, Haddon was overwhelmed by the volume of requests and began to think differently about the possibilities of a successful adaptation. He approached Stephens, whom he had befriended while working at the National Theatre in London, and asked the playwright to adapt his story for the stage.

In his adaptation, Stephens aimed for loyalty to the novel, although a few changes were necessary. While in the novel the story is told from Christopher’s perspective, for example, the play offers multiple third-person points of view by introducing the voices of the individuals in Christopher’s social environment. In addition, Stephens emphasizes the relationship between Christopher and his main teacher and mentor, Siobhan, as he believes that everyone would be able to relate to having a favorite teacher in school.

In preparation for the Broadway production of The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time, Stephens revised the script to identify and replace British terms that may be too unfamiliar to an American audience. The updated script is the one presented in this production.

After achieving success in London and on Broadway, The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time has become an international sensation, with notable productions in Mexico, South Korea, South Africa, and a world tour led by the National Theatre. This worldwide approval can be attributed to the universal themes at the heart of the story: family, adversity, and courage.
CAST

CHRISTOPHER ......................................................................................................................... Tomer Proctor-Zenker
SIOBHAN ...................................................................................................................................... Erin Dillon
ED ........................................................................................................................................... Dylan Thomas
JUDY ................................................................................................................................... Jennifer Nelson
VOICE ONE / MRS. SHEARS (AND OTHERS) ................................................................. Jenna Eve Kleinofen
VOICE TWO / ROGER SHEARS (AND OTHERS) ................................................................. Jon Rocha
VOICE THREE / POLICEMAN (AND OTHERS) .......................................................... Kyle Aaron Racas
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**JESSICA BAKER** *(Voice Five, No. 40, others)* is in her third year as a theatre arts major and geoscience major. Her first lighting design, *The War of the Worlds*, made her the KCACTF 2019 Region 3 Theatrical Design Recipient. She has been an electrician several times at Parkside and the Fireside Dinner Theatre. She spent this past summer being an intern at The Great River Shakespeare Festival.

**BEN COMPTON** *(Voice Four, Rev. Peters, others)* is a theatre arts major. His previous theatre credits include *Titus* (Chiron) with Fleeing Artists Theatre, *Urinetown* (Mr. McQueen), *Midnight and Moll Flanders* (Draper), *The War of the Worlds* (Richard Pierson) at Parkside, and *A Midsummer Night’s Dream* (Puck) for which he received an Irene Ryan Nomination at the College of Lake County.

**ERIN DILLON** *(Siobhan)* Erin is a sophomore theatre arts major and has picked up a dedication for lighting as well as for acting. Educational credits include *Midnight and Moll Flanders* (minor supporter), *Urinetown* (spotlight operator), *Love’s Labour’s Lost* (light board operator). Professional credits include stage managing at First Stage Children’s Theatre in Milwaukee. She is excited to continue learning about her passion with the wonderful friends and faculty she has had the pleasure of getting to know in this department.

**ARIANA GIBEAULT** *(Voice Six, Mrs. Alexander, others)* is a junior theatre arts major. Her previous credits with Parkside include *Urinetown* (Hope Cladwell), *The War of the Worlds* (Voices), *One Man Two Guvnors* (Policeman, Boy Scout), makeup crew for *Angels in America*, and wardrobe crew for *Don Juan*, *Eurydice*, *Midnight and Moll Flanders*, and *Love’s Labour’s Lost*. Recently, she played Lucius in *Titus Andronicus* with Fleeing Artists Theatre.

**JENNA EVE KLEINOFEN** *(Voice One, Mrs. Shears, others)* will be graduating this December with a major in theatre arts. She has been working on Parkside productions onstage and backstage for the past three years including: *Don Juan*, *One Man Two Guvnors*, *Midnight and Moll Flanders* and *Urinetown*. Last year she had the pleasure of working on the podcast *Hansel, Gretel & Minna* for GirlTales.

**JENNIFER NELSON** *(Judy)* is a senior studying theatre arts and psychology. Other credits include *Glass Slipper* (Nicole), *Annie Jump & the Library of Heaven* (Mrs. Gomez, Chairwoman u/s) at Renaissance Theaterworks, *Almost Maine* (Female Swing) at Fleeing Artists Theatre, *Midnight and Moll Flanders* (Young Moll) at Parkside, *The Tempest* (Trinculo), *The Miser* (Master Jacques), *Crimes of the Heart* (Meg), and *The Actor’s Nightmare* (Ellen) at the College of Lake County in Illinois.
CAST BIOS

TOMER PROCTOR-ZENKER (Christopher) is thrilled to be cast in *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time*. A sophomore with a concentration in acting, his previous theatre credits at Parkside include Captain and Announcer Three in *The War of The Worlds* and Tiny Tom in *Urinetown*. Other acting credits include, *Rodger & Hammerstein’s Cinderella* (Lionel), *Seussical the Musical* (Gen. Genghis-Khan Schmitz) and *Murder by the Book* (Shakespeare) at Illinois Lutheran High School.

KYLE AARON RACAS (Voice Three, Policeman, others) is in his fourth year at Parkside working towards a theatre arts major with a focus in performance, as well as a graphic design minor. Kyle Aaron has been seen on our main stages in *Love’s Labour’s Lost* (Berowne), *Midnight and Moll Flanders* (Ensemble), *The War of the Worlds* (Stranger, Announcer), *Eurydice* (Orpheus), *Angels in America* (Joe U/S), *Don Juan* (Don Carlos), *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum* (The Geminiae), and *A Streetcar Named Desire* (A Young Collector, Ensemble, Steve U/S). He has most recently returned from the Edinburgh Fringe Festival where he was an acting intern (Ensemble) with MHK Production’s production of *Boswell* by Milwaukee playwright Marie Kohler.

JON ROCHA (Voice Two, Roger Shears, others) is a transfer student from College of Lake County now in his junior year at Parkside studying theatre arts with a focus on dramaturgy and directing, and a transfer student from The College of Lake County. Recent performance credits include *The Addams Family Musical* (Lurch), and *Oedipus Rex* (Kreon). He was also a student director for *Play-On!*, a student showcase at CLC.

DYLAN THOMAS (Ed) is a junior theatre arts major with a focus in acting. His performance credits include *Cabaret* (The Emcee), *A Doll’s House* (Torvald Helmer), and *Oedipus Rex* (Leader of the Chorus) all at the College of Lake County in Grayslake, Illinois.

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PRODUCTION TEAM BIOS

JAKE BRAY *(Lighting Designer)* has designed lighting regionally for theatre, dance, opera, and television. You may have seen his work previously at Parkside on shows including Lighting Design for *Melancholy Play, The Taming of the Shrew, A Midsummer Night’s Dream, Macbeth,* and *Urinetown,* and sound design for *Eurydice.* Other credits include resident lighting designer at PCPA in Santa Maria, California, the world premiere opera *Sundance,* and the Chicago premieres of *Stadium Devildare* and *Adrift.* He teaches in the areas of lighting design, projection design, and serves as the theatre manager for Parkside.

BRYAN BYARS *(Lighting Designer)* is in his final year as a theatre arts major with a concentration in scenic/lighting design & technology. Additional professional training includes work at Colorado Shakespeare Festival, American Players Theatre, Skylight Music Theatre, Kenosha Youth Performing Arts Company, Rita Operations, and of course, the Fireside Dinner Theatre. Bryan is working towards a career in lighting design/production management and will earn his degree in May 2020.

TYLER COFFEY *(Dramaturg)* is a senior double-majoring in psychology and theatre arts. Previous credits include *Urinetown* (dramaturg), *Midnight and Moll Flanders* (assistant sound designer). Acting credits include *Love’s Labour’s Lost* (Moth) and the FreshINK Series staged reading of *Water by the Spoonful* (Ghost).

FABRICE CONTE-WILLIAMSON *(Director)* is a director, actor, and theatre educator, teaching courses in performance and theatre history. Fabrice received a Master of Performing Arts from the University of Nice (France), as well as an MFA in Directing and an Interdisciplinary Ph.D. from the University of Oklahoma Helmerich School of Drama. While teaching at OU, Fabrice served as Chair of the Aspire Initiative for the Kennedy Center American College Theatre Festival (KCACTF) Region VI. His primary research focuses on post-modern French dramatic literature and performance theory, the role of literary myth in dramatic literature, and the development of multilingual and cross-cultural theatre movements. Favorite directing credits include *The War of the Worlds* at UW-Parkside, *Angels in America* at The University of Oklahoma, and *Frankenstein* at Oklahoma City Theatre Company.

MADDISON CRECCHIO *(Assistant Stage Manager)* is in her first year at Parkside studying theatre arts with a focus in performance. Crew credits include wardrobe team for the musical *The Addams Family* at the College of Lake County.
PRODUCTION TEAM BIOS

SAMANTHA FEILER (Stage Manager) is in her senior year and is pursuing a theatre arts major with a concentration in both acting and stage management. Past credits include stage manager for Pinta El Feugo in Milwaukee Chamber Theatre's Young Playwright Festival, for the Brink Briefs 2018 Playwright Festival and the Brink Briefs 2019 Playwright Festival with Renaissance Theaterworks, and for Love’s Labour’s Lost and The War of the Worlds at Parkside where she also was assistant stage manager for One Man, Two Guvnors and wardrobe crew for Angels in America at Parkside.

NOAH FRYE (Projections Designer) is in his senior year as a theatre arts major with a focus in lighting. Credits include Angels in America and Urinetown (master electrician), One Man, Two Guvnors (assistant lighting designer), Eurydice (assistant sound designer), and Midnight and Moll Flanders (lighting designer). Noah spent this past summer at the Stagecraft Institute of Las Vegas receiving advanced training in lighting and stagecraft. He also had worked at American Players Theatre as a Production Assistant for their 2018 season.

ALEXANDER GRAY (Assistant Stage Manager) is in his second year at Parkside majoring in psychology and theatre arts with concentrations in performance and stage management. Parkside credits include Urinetown (assistant stage manager) and The War of the Worlds (sound board operator). Previous College of Lake County credits include The True Story of the Three Little Pigs (stage manager), A Relationship - Abridged (director), and Jekyll & Hyde (assistant director).

KEVIN GRAY (Sound Designer) is in his first year working as sound manager and instructor for Parkside. He received his BA in Sound Design from Michigan Technological University. He has served as sound designer and engineer for University of Southern Indiana and New Harmony Theatre where he worked on shows such as: Anon(y)mous, Full Monty, Arcadia, and more. He is excited to work with the students faculty and staff at Parkside.

SARAH HEMKEN (Costume Designer) is in her final year at Parkside and is a theater arts major with a concentration in design and technology. She has a passion for costuming and is currently costume designer for The Curious Incident of a Dog in the Night-Time. She has been assistant costume designer for Urinetown, wardrobe supervisor for Love’s Labours Lost, and has also enjoyed being on wardrobe crew for several other shows at Parkside. She works in the costume shop and helps with builds and alterations for each show. Some of her other work includes stitching and being on wardrobe crew for Utah Festival Opera and Musical Theatre this past summer.
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ABOUT LOIS J. SKATRUD
Born in 1933 during the Great Depression, Lois was a ray of sunshine for her mother, Ruth Shultz. Lois was a natural entertainer who on her fifth birthday was featured in the local press as the family’s own “Shirley Temple.” She pursued her love of theatre after high school with the Maskers Club of Manitowoc and played a host of different roles. Lois married Glenn Skatrud, who served as a United Methodist Pastor for nearly 50 years, in 1957 and together they had six children—it was truly “A Wonderful Life.” In 1987, she started a children’s theatre troupe, the Milton Optimist Club’s Kids on Stage, in Milton Wis., and devoted enormous time and energy to them. She co-directed for 27 years and worked with nearly 1,000 children. Lois is remembered by children as the energetic emcee who presented each show dressed as Raggedy Ann.
“I could have never imagined this if I tried. Helping students finish college to pursue a career in theatre is my dream... If I had a bucket list, this would be on it.”

- Lois J. Skatrud on creating the scholarship
The University of Wisconsin-Parkside Theatre Arts Department focuses on student success by providing unparalleled opportunities for them to hone their craft. The Department deploys a company model that allows all students to practice the various theatre arts from acting and directing to set building, to lighting, to sound, and costume construction. Because our faculty continue to be professionally engaged, our students can take advantage of extraordinary internships with professional theatres.

The excellence of the Theatre Arts Department was recognized by the Wisconsin Board of Regents with the Award for Teaching Excellence 2009. Each year, Parkside students compete at the Kennedy Center American College Theatre Festival and take home many awards, including progression to the national final in Washington DC.

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Spring 2017
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JENNIFER HINOJOSA (Makeup Designer) is a senior theatre arts major. Tech credits include Midnight and Moll Flanders (wardrobe crew), Cabaret (spotlight operator), and Jekyll and Hyde (deck/wardrobe crew). Jennifer has also been seen in the FreshINK Series staged reading of Moments for Parkside’s 50 Years Celebration.

BRI HUMKE (Assistant Director) This is Bri’s first time assistant directing a show and she is so excited to be on the team for this production. This past summer she spent the month of August at the Edinburgh Fringe Festival assistant stage managing a production of Marie Kohler’s Boswell. She has stage managed productions of Midnight and Moll Flanders, Urinetown, and Eurydice at Parkside. She has also worked house management at Parkside, Door Shakespeare, and American Players Theatre.

MINNIE MARTINEZ (Properties Master) is in her junior year focusing on scenic design and props. Credits include Addams Family (Assistant Scenic Designer), Play On! (Scenic Designer), Oedipus Rex (Assistant Scenic Designer), A Doll’s House (Prop Master), Play On! (Assistant Stage Manager), and A Midsummer Night’s Dream (Assistant Stage Manager). She has received awards such as the DTM Legacy award and Don Childs Stagecraft Institute of Las Vegas award at KCACTF Region 3.

JODY SEKAS (Scenic Designer, Technical Director) is an associate professor of scenic design and technology and a core professor in the digital design and fabrication certificate at Parkside. He has taught scenography in the Theatre, Film, & Dance Department at Humboldt State University in northern California; scenic/lighting design and technology at UW-Eau Claire, and for four years was the resident scenic and lighting designer for the Sioux Falls Playhouse in South Dakota. He has worked as a freelance designer for such venues as the Oregon Shakespeare Festival, Door Shakespeare, First Stage Children’s Theatre, Milwaukee Chamber Theatre, Dell’Arte International, Rochester Civic Theatre, Omaha Theatre Company for Young People, The Western Stage, and on several independent films.

SIMON STEPHENS (Playwright) has written many plays that have been translated into more than 30 languages and produced all over the world. He is a professor of playwriting at Manchester Metropolitan University, an associate playwright at the Royal Court Theatre, the artistic associate at the Lyric Hammersmith in London, and the Steep Associate Playwright at Steep Theatre in Chicago.
PRODUCTION PERSONNEL

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SOUND BOARD OPERATOR ................................................................. Gabbi Goins
PROJECTIONS OPERATOR ...................................................................... Samantha Jaworek
DECK CHIEF ........................................................................................... Talia Last
DECK CREW ................................................................. Austin Dvorak, Aidan Johnson, Talia Last, Megan Schaut
WARDROBE SUPERVISOR .................................................................... Emmalee Berger
WARDROBE CREW ............................................................................... Sam Kim, Leticia L’Huillier, Chalena Williams
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Apr 3-26, 2020
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Apr 3, 11, 18, 24 at 7 pm
Apr 3 & 24 at 10 am
Apr 26 at 2 pm

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Main Stage Theatre
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Apr 5 & 19 at 2 pm
Apr 23 at 10 am
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By Lauren Gunderson

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