

Lydia J. Nightingale

Playwright

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SELECTED WORK

Party Talk (*One-act play*)

NYC Premiere:

October 2016: The Barrow Group Conservatory – Manhattan, NY

Adele in Berlin (*One-act play*)

NYC Premiere:

August 2015: **Finalist** in The Riant Theatre's Strawberry One-Act Festival - Harlem, NY

Tinted Red (*Full-length play*)

Finalist for WTP's 2016 Jane Chambers Award

Staged reading:

December 2011: SUNY New Paltz - New Paltz, NY

Stars (*One-act play*)

Regional Production:

October 2015: Confetti Fest 11 - Albany, NY

Staged reading:

March 2013: SUNY New Paltz New Play Festival - New Paltz, NY

Homefront (*One-act play*)

Regional Production:

October 2012: Confetti Fest 8 - Albany, NY

The Lurid Coffee Stubbornly Betrays

The Sedentary Scissors (*Multi-playwright collaboration*)

Reading:

April 2014: Confetti Stage Gala - Albany, NY

EDUCATION

SUNY New Paltz - BA Theatre Arts Performance with minors in Creative Writing and History
University at Albany – MA in History with concentration in Public History (*in progress*)

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE AND AWARDS

Actor at New York State Theatre Institute, Premiere Stages, SUNY New Paltz, Curtain Call Theatre, Albany Civic Theatre, Rhinebeck Performing Arts Center, NorthEast Theatre Ensemble (2007-2016)

Production Intern at Premiere Stages - Union, NJ (June-August 2009)

Costumes, Set Construction, Understudy for Main Stage Production

Production Intern at New York State Theater Institute - Troy, NY (January-June 2007)

Education, Costumes, Props, Performance

1st Place in Poetry in Celebration of Writing Festival at SUNY New Paltz - New Paltz, NY (2009)