

## **HEDY! The Life & Inventions of Hedy Lamarr**

### **Community Engagement & Outreach Activities**

- Question & Answer Sessions
  - - Offered after every performance
    - Provides opportunity to foster discussion with the audience about ideas which the play presents
    - Audience members have the opportunity to ask questions they have about the inventions of Hedy Lamarr, and about her life as an actress and inventor
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- Panel Discussions - including myself and area women in STEM fields to discuss:
  - - The science behind Hedy's inventions
    - The triumphs & challenges of women in the scientific community
    - Ways to move forward toward a more equitable environment in which female scientists of all ages can thrive
    - Ways to support young women toward success in STEM fields
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- Hedy Lamarr Film Festivals
  - - Screenings of Hedy Lamarr's films
    - Followed by Question & Answer sessions with Artist Heather Massie
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- Lectures
  - - 10-70 Minute PowerPoint Lectures on Hedy Lamarr including scenes from the show
    - Followed by Question & Answer sessions to foster discussion with the audience
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- Master Classes in Performance for area artists and youth with focus(es) on
  - - Ensemble Building
    - Improvisation
    - Performance
    - Development of new work
    - Self-Producing

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- Visits to classes when in educational settings / Visits to area schools
  - - Visits to classes with special interests in regard to the show, such as science, history, performance, etc.
    - Activities tailored to the specific interests of the class
  
- Workshops in Science Communication - for students, scientists, or educators with focus on:
  - - Using skills of performance through the practice of Applied Improvisation to more effectively communicate scientific concepts
  
- Workshops for Young Scientists
  - - Programs to pair with the show for Young Scientists for use in conjunction with Science Centers and educational institutions
    - These utilize interactive, fun activities around the concepts of:
    - Hedy Lamarr's technology – Frequency-Hopping Spread Spectrum Technology,
    - and investigation of other scientific concepts
    - I am open to ideas, for tailoring these activities to your specific needs and mission

I am open to any ideas these possibilities may prompt and we can work together to create a program ideal for your venues.

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