



## Welcome to our New Newsletter!

They say that in order to grow, change is crucial. 2020 has proven to be a challenging and unexpected year; from seeing the work of countless artists wiped out, to the health of many being affected by the pandemic, to the shutdown of our industries. Despite these challenges, this year has also proven to show the resilience and vibrancy of this community, and our ability to grow and change! Like many of you, **the Colorado Theatre Guild is making changes**; in order to grow - as well as support - this incredible community. In this spirit, we are excited to introduce CTG's new Newsletter - brought to you by familiar and fresh perspectives in our community!

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### CTG's New President of the Board!

At the monthly board meeting on Saturday, September 12, 2020, the Colorado Theatre Guild (CTG) Board of Directors unanimously elected Betty Hart to serve as the new CTG Board President. Ms. Hart has served on the CTG Board since 2017 and has co-directed (along with Robert Michael Sanders) and produced the Henry Awards (the annual awards ceremony celebrating Colorado theatre excellence) for the past three years – including co-directing the recent virtual awards that took place in July.



[See the full article](#)

[Click here for an interview with Betty](#)

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### Workshop Committee News

Our committee has been busy with a new plan aimed at supporting the community. We hope to bring members a free, monthly workshop that provides an opportunity for connection during these challenging times.



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### Introducing Bucharest Inside the Beltway!



Bucharest Inside the Beltway (BiB) is a culture and arts collective based in Denver, CO: Art created by Denver inspired by the fearlessness of Bucharest. We got our start in Washington DC in 2013 and have never looked back. In the District, we produced award-winning and sold-out plays in the DC Black Theatre Festival, Capital Fringe Festival, and Kennedy Center Page to Stage Festival. In fact, one of our shows DISTRICTLAND (a satire about ambitious young DC) was bought for TV

development. The pilot episode headlined the 2015 DC Independent Film Festival!

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## Safer in Theatre: A New Movement in Colorado

On June 9, 2016, it was brought to light that an artistic director in Chicago had been verbally, mentally, emotionally and sexually abusing actors, designers and crew members for years. Out of that was born Not In Our House – a movement that sought to bring to light theatres and artists that were engaged in misconduct and creating unsafe work environments.



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Introducing CTG's latest feature What's Up CTG? This Q&A section allows you to ask any and all questions to CTG's Board of Directors! Your voice, your input and perspective matter. All input will be accepted and considered.

[Send us your input or your questions!](#)

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## Help CTG on Giving Tuesday!



### CTG Participates in Giving Tuesday on December 1

We know that some may be looking for a worthy cause for their year-end tax deductible gift. If you are a passionate advocate for theatre like we are, please donate to CTG through our Giving Tuesday campaign. You don't even need to wait until December 1 - just use our donation button below!

We know this has been a difficult year for many artists and organizations. CTG has shared in this struggle as we have decreased staff and programming. But we have also galvanized our efforts to transform CTG into a comprehensive service organization for our community!

Donations to the Colorado Theatre Guild will go towards

- Community information sharing through our website
- Workshop offerings and community events
- Advocacy efforts for theatre artists of all types, organizations, issues tied to justice for marginalized groups

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