SAGE THEATRE

# Ignite! Festival 2012 FAQ

**June 7-9, 2012**

## What is the Ignite! Festival?

- **Ignite! Festival** is an annual three day multidisplinary arts festival featuring new works of theatre, dance, music, visual arts. The Ignite! Festival offers emerging professional artists the opportunity to work together alongside local industry professionals to rehearse, shape, and present new works for a lively audience. Artists experience many training/learning opportunities, from mentorship to dramaturgical services, workshops and networking.

## How Do I apply?

- Print off our application form (provide link)
- Complete the application form, provide your support materials, and mail to:

  Michelle Brandenburg
  Ignite! Festival
  c/o Sage Theatre
  Box 61149 Kensington PO
  Calgary, AB T2N 4S6

## When is the application deadline?

- The deadline for Theatre Arts is January 5, 2012

## Do you accept applications via email?

- No, we do not accept applications or support materials via email.

## What if I have questions about the application process or the Ignite! Festival?

- Please contact Michelle at festival@sagetheatre.com

## Am I Eligible?

- Emerging professional artists from across Canada may apply.

## What is an Emerging Artist?

- You are considered an **Emerging Professional Artist** if you are:
  - In the early stages of your career and looking for professional development and exposure;
  - Working towards becoming a full-time professional artist in this discipline;
  - Not yet a member of a professional union related to your discipline.

## Is there an Application Fee?

- There is no application fee

## Will you confirm receipt of my application?

- Yes. You will receive an email confirming receipt of your application.

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**I am not a resident of Calgary and region; will you provide lodgings, per diems, transportation, and storage?**

- We do not provide any of the above, however under special circumstance we will facilitate community billeting.

**Will I be paid for my work at the Ignite! Festival?**

- Yes. You will receive a small honorarium and an Ignite! Festival pass. You will also be provided with valuable learning and networking opportunities.

**When are auditions held?**

- Auditions will be held in early March. You will be contacted to set-up an audition time if your submission is selected.

**How do I know if my play is full length or a short?**

- If your play is less than 25 minutes it is a short. If your play is less than an hour it is full length.

**What if I have a question not answered here?**

- Please email festival@sagetheatre.com and we will do our best to answer your questions.

**Where is the Pumphouse Theatres Located?**

The Pumphouse Theatres are located on the West end of Downtown Calgary, nestled along the Bow River. The address is 2140 Pumphouse Avenue S.W. Calgary, Alberta a map can be found on our website.