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Literary Managers and Dramaturgs of the Americas Conference Brochure, June 24-27, 2004

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CONFERENCE SCHEDULE
FRIDAY, JUNE 25, 2004
Location: The Wilma Theater
Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness in One’s FIELD

8:00 to 10:00 PM
Informal Breakfast Gatherings/Continental Breakfast Provided

10:00 to 11:00
Speed Dating: Getting to Know Each Other

11:15 AM to 12:15 PM
Regional Caucuses

12:30 PM to 2:00 PM
Breakout Sessions
* Pursuit of Leadership—In Rehearsal and in Your Career
* Political Theater—What Does it Mean Now?

2:00 PM to 3:00 PM
Lunch on your own

3:15 PM to 4:45 PM
Swap Sessions

5:00 PM to 6:00 PM
The Riot Act – Sharing What We Learned in Our Sessions

Evening
Individual Dining and Theater-Going
* Restaurant and Theater guides will be available at the conference

Conference Bar and Evening Gathering Place: Fergie’s Pub
1214 Sansom Street

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE
SATURDAY, JUNE 26, 2004
Location: The Union League, Lincoln Hall
Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness in One’s LIFE

8:00 AM to 10:00 AM
Informal Breakfast Gatherings/Continental Breakfast Provided

10:00 AM to 11:00 AM
Skill Sessions
* Making Time Work: Priorities Management
* Having Time to Play

11:00 AM to 11:15 AM — Break

11:15 AM to 12:15 PM
Swap Sessions

12:15 PM to 2:30 PM
The LMDA Annual General Meeting — Lunch Provided
* Agenda: By-Laws Review; New Business

2:30 PM to 5:00 PM
Just Like the Mummer: Dramaturgs Take to the Streets
* Discovering Philadelphia — Digital Cameras, Souvenirs…

7:30 PM
Banquet in Marriott Courtyard City Hall Room

SUNDAY, JUNE 27, 2004
Location: DoubleTree Hotel Meeting Rooms

9:00 AM to 11:00 AM
Informal Breakfast Gatherings/Continental Breakfast Provided

11:00 AM to 1:00 PM
Looking Back/Looking Ahead – Conference Wrap-up
The founders of the United States had big plans in mind when they set out to create the Constitution. Their notions of leadership, of the citizenry and the rights of the individual were so bold, the world thought they were mad.

Now, in 2004, LMDA revisits the spirit of the Founding Fathers and sets out to investigate ideas that just may be as sweeping and revolutionary as they were in 1790.

Over the course of our remarkable days, in sites historic, cultural and governmental, LMDA members and their friends will ponder the questions of citizenship.

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