

"Acting Classes by Joel Stedman ~ Sessions begin November 8th"

Joel Stedman will be offering three acting classes this Fall: an Intermediate Acting Class for the adult experienced actor; an Advanced Acting Class for those actors that have taken his Intermediate Class or have training in the Stanislavski Method; and a Scene Study Class for the advanced actor.

All courses will be given at the Naumann Gallery, 279 Branford Road, North Branford, CT 06471 and run for eight weeks. The classes will begin the week of November 8, 2010. The Intermediate Class will meet on Monday and Wednesday. The Advanced Class will meet on Tuesday. The Scene Study class will meet on Thursday. Classes will be held from 7:00-9:00 pm.

Joel Stedman is an award-winning director of television, commercials and educational programming (over one hundred awards from Cine, Telly, and major film festivals). As an actor, he appeared on Broadway, at major regional and repertory theatres (including Long Wharf theatre in 6 productions), evening prime time, daytime, feature films and commercials.

Both the Intermediate and Advanced course will utilize the Stanislavski method of acting. The Intermediate course will cover the "Actor and Himself": physical actions, finding a purpose, Intentions, Obstacles, Character Connections, and Verbal Actions. The Advanced class will cover the "Actor and the Play": characterization, script and line interpretation beats, with extensive scene work. Both classes are designed to take you from wherever you are now as an actor and give you lifelong tools to continually improve your talent. These courses are designed for the experienced actor.

The Scene Study Class is for the Advanced Actor. Actors in this class will pair up with other students and rehearse and present scenes to the class.

The cost for each class session will be \$15 for the Intermediate; \$30 for both the Advanced and Scene Study. A total cost of \$240 per person for each group. You are required to pay for the entire 8 week course but payment can be on a class by class basis if you prefer.

The first class is a Free Introductory Class and will provide the opportunity for you to get to know one another. During the free class, the exact course ingredients will be outlined and some acting exercises will be done. At the end of the class, you can decide if you would like to continue with the eight week course.

The space is limited so reserve a seat for the free class. A picture and resume is needed with the reservation. Confirmation will be sent once your resume has been reviewed. Send either electronically or through the mail. morningside@aol.com or Morningside Productions, Inc., 45 Arrowhead Drive, Guilford, CT 06437