Zachary Green for actors' rep

/ho am I?



Hey!! My name is Zachary Green (he/him) and I'm a 2nd year English undergraduate student at Wolfson (the myths are true, it does exist). I was born and raised in Norfolk (a county I'm convinced the Government doesn't know exists). Taking part in theatre, in the rural countryside, relied on active individuals who went out of their way to bring opportunities to the area. This continues to be a cause I am very passionate about, bringing new opportunities to students from all walks of life! I'd really love to become one half of this year's 'Actors' Rep' team and be a positive and friendly force for the representation of Cambridge theatricals.

Experience

Before coming to Cambridge, I was very lucky to undertake the RADA Foundation Course in Acting and become a member of the National Youth Theatre. This has given me a deeper insight into the communal nature of theatre and how important instilling positive working conditions can flourish creativity. It also means I have loads of "fun" drama warm-ups and games in my repertoire. I have previously run workshops for students and redirected drama scenes and monologues for GCSE students. I have also been in a variety of productions both in and outside of the Cambridge scene.



Why I'm running

I don't want to jinx anything, but it does seem like the pandemic is coming to an ***, which is the perfect time to introduce Cambridge theatre to incoming freshers AND re-introduce the scene to those who have missed out.

I would like to implement:

A series of masterclasses and workshops including: a series of fresher/new to CAM theatre workshops, available to sign up during the Fresher's fair, from audition preparation to ADC theatre tours.

- A pamphlet for actors when cast in shows, with a list of warmups, welfare details and line-learning tips.
- An exciting line-up of fresher's shows that encompass both dramatic and comedy texts with plenty of opportunity for students from marginalised backgrounds including BME students and LGBTQ+ students.
- I would like the reps to provide the opportunity for a drama warm-up session for casts (from ADC main shows to Corpus Late shows) to check in with the actors and be an active presence across terms.

Any questions?

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