AUDITION NOTICE

Knox College Department of Theatre seeks actors for the production of …

NEXT FALL
by Geoffrey Nauffts

A drama about a gay couple with clear religious differences, *Next Fall* alternates between past and present to trace the five-year evolution of Luke (fundamentalist Christian) and Adam’s (agnostic) relationship. When an accident places Luke in a coma, his family and friends meet in the hospital waiting room as the play flashes back to significant events of his life with Adam. Taking a close look at faith, commitment, and love, the play forces us to examine what it means to “believe” and what it might cost us not to.

**Seeking:**
- Actors with the facility to engage in psychologically real character development
- Actors with knowledge of, or desire to learn, politics of sexuality and theories of religion
- Actors who are comfortable with close human same-sex contact

**Roles:**
- **ADAM** – a teacher; in a five-year relationship with Luke
- **LUKE** – an aspiring actor; Adam’s boyfriend
- **BUTCH** – a businessman; Luke’s father
- **ARLENE** – a divorcee; Luke’s mother
- **HOLLY** – a candle shop owner; Adam’s close friend
- **BRANDON** – a property developer

**Audition Date/Location/Time:**
- **Date:** Friday, September 13, 2013
- **Where:** Harbach Theatre, CFA
- **Time:** 6:30 – 10:00pm
  - All actors should plan to arrive at 6:30pm and stay until the process is complete

**Preparation:**
- Theatre majors should plan to perform a 2-3 minute monologue, preferably from a contemporary play, in the style of Realism.
- Non-theatre majors may choose to either: (1) present a 2-3 minute monologue, or (2) perform a cold reading from the script *(made available upon request at the time of the audition).*

**Performance Dates:**
- November 6 – 9, 2013
- Harbach Theatre, CFA

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact the director Jeff Grace (igrace@knox.edu) or the Stage Manager Jesse Mitchell (jmitchel@knox.edu)