

About the Cast

Yvette Rodriguez is from Des Moines, likes to play the violin & loves *The Vagina Monologues* because she has a great sense of humor.

Ashley Schmuecker is a junior in religious studies & anthropology; originally from Cedar Rapids, Iowa. This is her first year in *The Vagina Monologue* & she loves being a Sloss House Groupie.

Megan Savaia is funny, energetic, loves to dance, talk out of her ears, spunky, small, & intelligent. She is a woman.

Mara Spooner is an Iowa State graduate in Anthropology who currently works at Wheatsfield Cooperative, & manages Smiles & Gyros. Participating in *The Vagina Monologues* for the third time, Mara believes that this group of fabulous ladies helps melt the icy tundra of winter Ames... one impressive woman at a time.

Cathryn Tell is in love with the theatre. Especially theatre that is empowering to women. Anything that doesn't challenge my view or my projection of myself feels safe, and at this point in my life I'm ready to live.

Mary Tiedeman is a Senior in Environmental Science and Agronomy, enthusiastic about lots of nerdy things & loves everything vagina.

Kristen Wentworth is a graduate student in Educational Leadership and Policy Studies. She is originally from New Hampshire, lived/worked in Colorado & Pennsylvania before arriving at ISU. This is her third *Vagina Monologues* performance.

Special Thanks

The Vagina Warriors would like to thank the following people:

Cast & Crew from *The Vagina Warriors*

Sigma Lambda Gamma

Steve Satterlee, Coordinator of Entertainment Programs, Memorial Union

The Vagina Warriors:

President- Aly Peeler || Treasurer- Pilar Macek

Adviser- Val Erwin || Adviser - Penny Rice, Director of the Margaret Sloss Women's Center

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A production of Eve Ensler's

The Vagina Monologues

Wednesday, February 18

Thursday, February 19

Friday, February 20

2009



All performances at 7:00 pm, doors open at 6:30 pm
Durham Great Hall, Iowa State Memorial Union

VDAY
UNTIL THE VIOLENCE STOPS

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The 'V' in V-Day stands for Victory, Valentine and Vagina. V-Day is a global movement to end violence against women and girls that raises funds and awareness through benefit productions of Playwright/Founder Eve Ensler's award winning play *The Vagina Monologues*. In 2008, over 4000 V-Day benefit events took place produced by volunteer activists in the U.S. and around the world, educating millions of people about the reality of violence against women and girls. For more information visit to: <http://www.vday.org>

Profits will be donated to: ACCESS (<http://www.assaultcarecenter.org/>) & V-DAY National Philanthropy: Stop Raping Our Greatest Resource: Power to the Women & Girls of Democratic Republic of Congo

Cast in Order of Appearance

- List 1 Yvette Rodrigue
- List 2 Karina Gutierrez
- List 3 Jenny Metzger
- Introductions Aly Peeler
- Hair Megan Savaia
- Wear and Say 1 Brittany Overstreet
- Wear and Say 2 Ashley Hand
- Wear and Say 3 Laura Bosworth
- Flood Mary Tiedeman
- The Vagina Workshop Mara Spooner
- Facts Catherine Lowe
- Because He Likes to Look at It Brittany Overstreet
- Say It Lindsay Allen and Jenny Metzger
- My Angry Vagina Brittany Johnson
- My Vagina Was My Village Hannah Fredericic & Ashley Schmuecker
- The Little Coochi Snorcher That Could Kristen Wentworth
- Reclaiming Cunt Cathryn Tell
- A Six Year Old Girl Was Asked Hannah Fredericic & Ashley Schmuecker
- The Woman Who Loved to Make Vagina's Happy Marissa Landrigan
- I Was There in The Room Indria M. Jenkins
- Baptized Pilar Macek

Lindsay Allen is a junior in performing arts & this is her second time doing *The Vagina Monologues*.

Laura Bosworth is a senior in Animal Ecology & Forestry and this is her first year doing the *The Vagina Monologues*.

Hannah Fredericic is a senior in History, hoping to graduate this summer. She loves life, & the beauty of everything in it. She is a vegan, & loves animals almost to a fault.

Karina Gutierrez is a junior in Spanish & this is her first time doing the monologues.

Ashley Hand is the Response Services Coordinator for the Assault Care Center Extending Shelter & Support (ACCESS). She received her B.S. from Iowa State University in Women's Studies & Sociology; & continues to participate in *The Vagina Monologues* to help support the fight to end violence against women.

Indria M. Jenkins is a graduate student in Counseling Psychology. She is originally from Georgia & went to undergrad in New York City. She is excited about being in this year's production.

Brittany Johnson is a second year graduate student in Educational Leadership & Policy Studies

Marissa Landrigan is a first-year candidate in the MFA program in creative writing and the Environment. She loves writing, reading and being outdoors, as well as finding new, wonderful, hilarious names for her vagina.

Catherine Lowe is a junior in elementary education from West Des Moines. This is her second year in the Monologues. In her spare time she loves reading, watching The Office and playing with her pet hamster.

Pilar Macek is a Junior here at Iowa State, majoring in Integrated Studio Arts. She is very excited about doing *The Vagina Monologues* this year. These topics need to be discussed and thought about everyday, & this is a perfect way to start the talking.

Jenny Metzger is a first year graduate student in Educational Leadership & Policy Studies.

Brittany Overstreet is intelligent, beautiful, determined, dedicated, mother, motivated, inspirational, blunt, hyper active energetic & enthusiastic.

Aly Peeler the president of the Vagina Warriors as well as the director of *The Vagina Monologues*. Aly cunt get enough of vaginas, with this being her third year performing in the *Monologues*. She is graduating this Spring with majors in History and Anthropology & plans on utilizing her degrees to the fullest.

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