

# Full Service Theatre Company

We provide training for beginner and intermediate artists on the stage and behind the curtain to develop their careers and we focus on BIPOC Artists. we offer training that will produce the next directors, playwrights, stage managers, lighting designers, set designers, costume designers and sound designers who are all an important part of making sure the show goes

## Our Mission

is to strengthen the accessibility of theatre to the African-American/Black communities of South Shore and to be an economic and artistic resource for BIPOC artists. We are a 501 c3, tax exempt non profit organization.

## Our Contact

#### Website

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Changing the way you perceive the world around you one show at a time... In our 4 years of business we have...

- Jeff Recommended (Panther Women: An Army for the Liberation)
- 67 Actors Employed
- 35 Technicians Employed
- 3 BIPOC Teaching Artist Employed
- 2 Theatre Workshops (5 artists trained)
- 15 Play Book Club Meetings (12 BIPOC Playwrights read, 19 Book Club Members)
- 1 Monologue Series Produced (The Racial Baptism Series)
- 2 Play Festival Produced (BIPOC Playwrights Festival)
- 3 Plays Produced (Panther Women, A Breath For Humanity & Black Magic)
- 250 YouTube Content Streaming Numbers (and counting)
- 2,830 Streaming Numbers for Virtual Monologue Series & Plays
- 3 Companies Partnered With: (Chicago Community Bond Fund, Soul Werk Cafe & Prop Thtr)

And YOU can be NEXT!

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# Meet Our Team

- Myesha-Tiara: Artistic Director
- Jerluane "Jae" Jenkins: Executive Director
- Tamarus Harvell: Production Manager
- Ken Bell: Literary Manager
- Antwon Funches: Social Media Manager and Resident Graphic Designer
- Jabari Khaliq: Resident Headshot Photographer and Videographer

**Board Members:** 

- LEESHEY WADE: TREASURER OF THE **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**
- JASMINE UGURU: BOARD MEMBER OF THE **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**
- MAURICE PROFFIT: FOUNDER AND **CREATIVE DIRECTOR OF B-SIDE STUDIOS** LLC:
- BRANDI BROWN: ACTRESS AND WRITER
- A'KEISHA LEE: ACTRESS AND DANCER
- KWAME DAVID LILLY: ACTOR, DIRECTOR AND CHOREOGRAPHER
- ANNIE SMITH: REAL ESTATE AGENT AND **BUSINESS OWNE**
- alfonzo khalil: ACTOR AND WRITER
- LISA MCCONNELL: ACTOR AND WRITER
- JOSLYN JONES: ACTRESS AND FORMER TALK SHOW HOST