

American Playwrights Theatre

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I have known and worked with Andrea Andresakis in her capacity as Associate Artistic Director of American Playwrights Theatre, Inc., and as a director of several of my plays.

Ms. Andresakis helped in weekly A.P.T. workshops by critiquing new plays being developed by member playwrights and by directing two plays in A.P.T.'s reading series.

Ms. Andresakis also directed two of my plays *Lucy's Waltz* and *Stragglers*. *Lucy's Waltz* was selected by Queens Playwrights Festival to be performed at LaGuardia Performing Arts Center and at the Miranda Theatre in New York City. *Stragglers* was part of the Pulse Ensemble Theatre's new play series on Theatre Row (42nd Street) in Manhattan.

Among the qualities I value in her as a director are her ability to work well with actors in a constructive and positive way, her respect for my rights as a playwright, and her willingness to invite me to attend auditions and rehearsals and to incorporate my comments into her rehearsals. She also does not make script changes without my permission. Actors have also spoken to me favorably about her.

I highly recommend Ms. Andresakis for any position for which she applies.

Sincerely,



Frances Galton

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