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**Nationally produced playwright to be featured at Cayuga Community College in March
-Harlequin Productions to perform Jay Huling's one-act plays-**

Jacksonville, Fla. – Jay Huling, a nationally produced playwright and ad agency creative director at The Hoffman Agency in Jacksonville, Fla., will have three of his one-act plays produced by Harlequin Productions at The State University of New York's Cayuga Community College (CCC), Auburn Campus Theater, 197 Franklin Street. *"Hooks, Lines & Sinkers"*, *An Evening of Three*, *One-Act Comedies* by Jay Huling will feature *The Wily Ray Riley*, *Bonjour Raconteur*, and *Runs, Drips & Errors*. Performances will run March 22-24 and March 29-31 at 8 p.m. Tickets for Cayuga Community College students are \$1; general admission is \$5. Tickets are only available at the door the night of the performances. For more information, call 315.255.1743.

According to Huling, it is an honor to have his plays produced by Harlequin Productions and directed by long-time theater professional and college instructor Bob Frame. "I've been an admirer of Harlequin Productions and Bob Frame for many years. Harlequin has been an award-winning theater company since the mid 1970s," said Huling. "I'm delighted to have my plays performed by Harlequin's student actors who are enrolled in CCC's theater program," he said.

According to Frame, he chooses plays that interest him, his students, and the audience. "I try to find different genres of plays to provide our students with training in new works. I chose Jay's work because it is well written and fun, yet not simple. His plays are exciting. There are challenges for both me and my students to bring these plays to life," said Frame. "We are very excited to have Jay's plays performed at CCC. The theater was recently renovated, with many technical improvements and upgrades," he said.

Harlequin and Frame have received awards for acting, directing and tech from Theatre Association of New York State and American College Theatre Festival. The company's work has been produced at Theater Association of New York's annual invitational theatre festival for many years.

According to Huling, he has written dozens of plays for more than 16 years and plans are to continue creating more one-acts, full-length plays, and comedy sketches. "Plays have to be brought to life by others, like producers, directors, actors, etc. But for me, what I get out of it is the writing. It's kind of like singing in the shower. You do it because it's what you like to do," Huling said.

Since 1997, Huling has been responsible for script writing, advertising campaigns, branding and creative development for The Hoffman Agency's clients throughout the U.S. Huling attended Jacksonville University and graduated with a B.F.A. in Theatre. He is a member of the Dramatists Guild.

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