

Teatro de la Luna

—al mejor estilo latinoamericano
—with the best Latin American flavor

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TEATRO DE LA LUNA

Temporada 2026-2027 Season *“Siempre Luna Llena”*

presents

Festival Internacional de Monólogos... ¡Más Tango!

International Festival of Monologues ...plus Tango!

Teatro de la Luna proudly presents **"International Festival of Monologues... plus Tango!"**

From September 30 to October 25, prominent figures will delight us with their histrionics, always representing the best of what is ours.

The "International Festival of Monologues... plusTango!" starts with the presentation of the Café Concert **"Inolvidable Petru / Unforgettable Petru"**. The fine thread of humor woven by **Petru Valenski** arrives from Montevideo – URUGUAY. Our guest actor-comedian will perform on Wednesday, September 30th, Thursday 1st and Friday, October 2nd; all three performances at 8pm. **Petru Valenski**, many times awarded for his qualities in theater, film, TV, radio, has been recognized very recently - December 2025 - as 'Illustrious Citizen of the City of Montevideo'-Uruguay.

“INOLVIDABLE PETRU / UNFORGETTABLE PETRU”

September, Wednesday 30; October, Thursday 1, Friday 2, 8pm

The Festival continues with the stand-up of the highly applauded and incomparable **Juana Estrella**, who arrives from Cuenca ECUADOR with her own creation, direction and interpretation to share with humor and self-criticism the small and large madness that women face in maturity. Between laughter and reflections, she talks to us about how daily decisions, personal care and those existential doubts accompany us in this stage of life.

"MY LIFE BETWEEN EATING BREAD AND NOT BREAKING A BONE"

October, Friday 9 and Saturday 10, 8pm; Sunday 11, 3pm.

Continuing the festival **"Mi Gente LATINO"** a creation of theater and multimedia, with an interactive video component combining a live actor with video characters, tells a personal story and at the same time that of thousands of people who one day packed their bags, said goodbye to their people and arrived in the USA with dreams and a lot of desire to succeed and achieve the famous American dream. The authorship and performance correspond to **Ricardo de la Vega Domínguez** with technical assistance from **Diana García** and **Tatiana Behar**.

"Mi Gente LATINO"

October, Friday 16, Saturday 17, 8:00 pm; Sunday 18, 3pm.

Closing the Festival **"TANGO, ETERNAMENTE GARDEL/TANGO, ETERNALLY GARDEL"** A tribute to the unforgettable "Carlitos", "El Zorzal Criollo", "El Rey del Tango" in the voice of the Uruguayan **Ana María Pfeiff**, the bandoneon of the Argentinean **Emmanuel Trifilio** and the guitar of the Venezuelan **Ramón González** and the Argentinean **Roberto Pugliese**.

October, Friday 23; Saturday 24, 8:00 pm; Sunday 25, 3pm.

NOTES

- **Productions** are in Spanish, at **Teatro de la Luna** – 4020 Georgia Ave, NW, Washington DC, 20011

- **Schedule:** Fridays and Saturdays at 8:00 pm and Sundays at 3:00 pm. with the exception of "Inolvidable Petru/Unforgettable Petru" Wednesday, September 30, Thursday, October 1 and Friday, October 2, shows at 8pm

- **Tickets** \$30 / Seniors and students \$25. Buy ON-LINE www.teatrodelaluna.org A 10% discount is observed for groups of 5 or more people or by purchasing the Reg. Pass (4 tickets) \$100, Sr. Citizen or Student \$90

- **Street parking**, free on Sundays. The theater is located near Petworth – Georgia Ave. Metro Station. Green and yellow lines. Bus to the door.

Teatro de la Luna, founded in 1991, produces performing arts and other events that celebrate Latin American culture and seeks to connect Spanish-speaking and English-

speaking communities. La Luna has been recognized for its cultural contributions on several occasions. La Luna Director Mario Marcel received the *Elizabeth Campbell Award* for advancement of the arts from the American Association of University Women's Arlington Chapter. On two occasions, La Luna was honored with the STAR prize from the Arlington County Commission for the Arts for its administrative excellence and service to the community; In 2017, received the "Working for the Community" award from NBC4. La Luna Producer Nucky Walder received the *Latina Woman Leadership 2009* award and the 2018 *Lifetime Achievement Award* from DC Mayor Muriel Bowser through the Office of Latino Affairs. In 2020, Teatro de la Luna was interviewed by Channel 7 WJLA and in 2021 by Telemundo-Channel 64. Marcel received a recognition from Fundación Nueva Esperanza in May 2023 and recently, both Walder and Marcel, in April and May, 2024 from LatinX Warriors DMV and from Latinas con Voz, respectively. In December 2024, La Nacional-Spanish Benevolent Society, Bi/Coa Bicultural Community of the Americas, in New York recognized the extraordinary cultural and artistic contribution of Teatro de la Luna to the DC metropolitan area.

The goal of bridging the Spanish-speaking and English-speaking communities is achieved by promoting dialogue and involving community members in these cultural bilingual events.

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