



McNamara, Weber-Miller, Recognized for Work on "Jeff" Nominated Shows

A March, 2017 production of *Silent Sky* at First Folio Theatre in Oak Brook, IL for which the lighting was designed by Michael McNamara, Associate Professor in the Purdue University Department of Theatre, has been nominated for three Joseph Jefferson Equity Awards including Best Production (Midsized), Best Actress in a Principle Role (Cassandra Bissell), and Best Original Music (Christopher Kriz). The company received another nomination for Best Scenic Design (Midsized) of the production *Captain Blood* designed by Angela Weber-Miller, a previous guest designer at Purdue Theatre and whose work can be seen in the upcoming Purdue Theatre production of *The Sins of Sor Juana* in November. Professor McNamara won the 2012 "Jeff" Award for Best Lighting Design (Midsized) with the same company and Ms. Weber-Miller won the 2013 Best Scenic Design (Midsized) for her work on *Seascape* with Remy Bumpo Theatre, a production lighted by Professor McNamara.

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