



As a judge for **Theatre Tampa Bay Awards Awards**, I promise to:

1. Evaluate all productions with complete impartiality.
2. Focus only on what is happening on that particular stage during that specific performance without introducing any comparisons into my deliberations.
3. Rely on taste, discernment, evaluative, analytical, and inquisitive skills to rigorously judge based on my breadth of experience with Tampa Bay theatre.
4. Be open and receptive to new experiences.
5. Attend an initial judge orientation and 1-2 subsequent judge meetings during the year (if applicable)
6. Attend all eligible shows in my panel (approx. 7-8 productions).
7. Refrain from discussing a show with ANYONE prior to submitting my ballot.
8. Refrain from discussing how I specifically scored any piece of work.
9. Refrain from suggesting to anyone that I believe/know any information about any nomination or award, as information about any nomination or award is factually impossible to know in advance of any announcement.
10. Submit my ballot within 24 hours of seeing the show.
11. Refrain from reading any/all published reviews until after my ballot has been submitted.
12. Shun and reject any/all hearsay or theatre gossip when completing my ballot.
13. Exercise discretion and bring no expectation of any special treatment at any theatre I attend as a judge.
14. Arrive within ten minutes of curtain time and remain for the entirety of the production.

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Printed Name

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Signature

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Date