



JANUARY 11 TO FEBRUARY 2

2018/2019 season

# SILENT SKY

Written by  
Lauren Gunderson

Directed by  
Gwen Morton

**Featuring:** Shannon Benil, Tyler Heroux,  
Emilie Zelle Holmstock, Robin Schwartz  
and Beth Terranova

A "Hidden Figures" for the year 1900, the play *Silent Sky* is based on the true story of astronomer Henrietta Leavitt and explores a woman's place in society during a time of immense scientific discovery. This was a period when a woman's ideas were dismissed until a man claimed credit for them.

When Henrietta begins work at the Harvard Observatory, she joins a group of women "computers," charting the stars for a renowned astronomer who has no time for the women's probing theories.

As Henrietta attempts to measure the light and distance of stars, she must also take measure of her life on Earth, trying to balance her dedication to science with family obligations and the possibility of love.

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