



## TYA ENGLAND

Members' networking meeting  
Monday 14 September 2009  
Unicorn Theatre 10 - 4pm  
Cost: £10 donation

# Theatre for Young Audiences ... ...Getting Our Act Together

**TYA England is hosting three meetings for members from all UK countries and other interested parties in order to:**

- Meet, network, talk, exchange views and news
- Engage in a debate about our possible inclusion in the next ASSITEJ International Congress and Festival, "Building Bridges, Crossing Borders", to be held in Copenhagen, Denmark – Malmoe, Sweden, 20-29 May 2011.

The three areas of our work which have been highlighted for proposals for workshops and seminars at the ASSITEJ Congress are:

- Theatre Education
- Disability Arts
- Culturally diverse work

### **Our first meeting will focus on the current position of theatre education in England**

We have invited two leading experts to help us explore the relationship between theatre-making and process drama, theatre-forms and drama, education and drama.

**Dr Cecily O'Neill** is an international authority on process drama and the arts in education.

**Professor Jonothan Neelands** is National Teaching Fellow, Chair of Drama and Theatre Education, Warwick University, Director of Teaching and Learning, Institute of Education.

## Morning Session

10.00 - 10.30 Coffee, networking

10.30 - 11.30 Keynote speakers in conversation:

11.30 - 12.00 Q and A

12.00 - 1.00 Break-out groups on Congress ideas for workshops/seminars

1.00 - 2.00 Lunch

*In order to keep costs low we are not offering any refreshments or lunch but be assured, the new Unicorn cafe serves delicious and modestly priced food and drink.*

## Afternoon Session

2.00 - 2.30 Feedback of Congress ideas

2.30 - 3.30 Open Space

3.30 - 4.00 Taking the discussions forward.

To secure a place please email the following information to:

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Name:

Number of places:

I will / will not be using the cafe for lunch:

Contact email:

Contact phone:

Thank you. We look forward to seeing you on 14 September!

The Steering Group  
TYA ENGLAND