

**\*\*FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE\*\***

**\*\*William Penn University Theatre Department Presents: 'Lead Rings on the Merry-Go-Round' - A Noir Crime Drama Radio Performance\*\***

**\*\*One Night Only: Wednesday, December 4th at 7:00 PM at the Musco Technology Center\*\***

OSKALOOSA, IA — The William Penn University Theatre Department invites the community to experience a thrilling evening of classic noir drama with a live performance of \*Lead Rings on the Merry-Go-Round\*, a captivating radio drama by Edward F. Emanuel, performed with special arrangement from Dramatic Publishing Company, Inc., Woodstock, Illinois. This unique production will take place for one night only on Wednesday, December 4th at 7:00 PM at the Musco Technology Center on the William Penn University campus.

“Lead Rings on the Merry-Go-Round” plunges the audience into a world of smoky lounges, back-alley deals, and shadowy mysteries, where danger lurks at every turn and no one can be trusted. This radio-style performance showcases the suspense and tension of classic crime dramas, where dialogue, sound effects, and atmospheric music create a vivid auditory experience.

To open the evening, students from the Acting I class will present a special performance. These young actors will set the stage with an exploration of drama and expression, giving the audience a glimpse into their semester’s work.

**\*\*Event Details:\*\***

- **\*\*What:\*\*** \*Lead Rings on the Merry-Go-Round\*, a noir crime drama radio performance, with an opening by the Acting I class
- **\*\*When:\*\*** Wednesday, December 4th, 2024, at 7:00 PM
- **\*\*Where:\*\*** Musco Technology Center, William Penn University Campus, Oskaloosa, IA
- **\*\*Tickets:\*\*** Free admission

Join us for a night of suspense and drama as William Penn University’s theatre students bring the grungy underworld to life. With mystery, intrigue, and an unforgettable atmosphere, this one-night-only event is perfect for fans of noir and classic crime fiction.

For additional information, please contact Brant Bollman, William Penn University’s Director of Theatre Arts at [brant.bollman@wmpenn.edu](mailto:brant.bollman@wmpenn.edu) or 515.423.3795

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# Lead Rings on the Merry-Go-Round

by Edward F. Emanuel

A NOIR RADIO  
CRIME DRAMA

FEATURING AN  
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ACTING I CLASS

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