



PHILSTAGE

Philippine Legitimate Stage Artist Group Inc.

9WORKS
THEATRICAL



BALLET MANILA

Barefoot
Theatre
Collaborative

Fullpet



ALICE REYES
DANCE
PHILIPPINES
2012

PHILIPPINE
OPERA
COMPANY

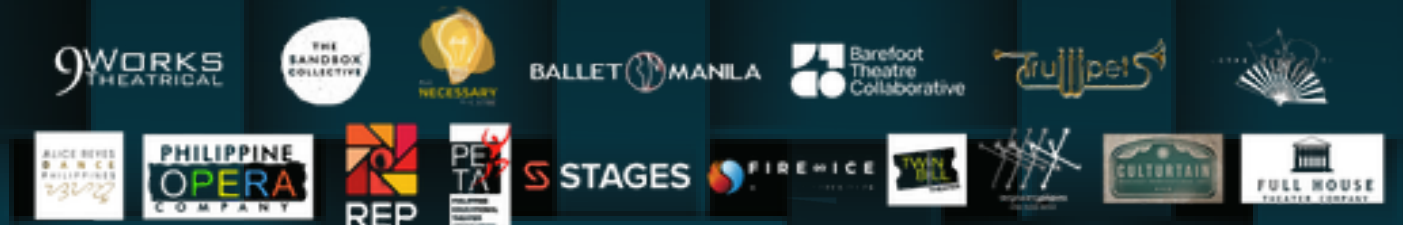


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PHILSTAGE



The **Philippine Legitimate Stage Artist Group Inc.** or PHILSTAGE is the proud alliance of Manila-based professional companies in the theatrical arts which include theater, dance, and opera.

PHILSTAGE is currently composed of 17 member companies.



- Founded in 1997, Philstage aims to:
 - Build a **sustainable and professional** theatrical arts industry
 - to set **standards** of excellence and professionalism
 - to position the Philippines as the Broadway of Asia.
- We have:
 - performed to an estimated 250K audiences in 2025
 - Done educational outreach
 - Mounted **festivals**
 - Pushed for an arts and culture **agenda** in govt
 - Conducted the annual. **Gawad Buhay Awards.**

COMPOSITION



1 Opera Company
2 Dance Companies
15 Theater Companies

- 9 Works Theatrical
- Alice Reyes Dance Philippines
- Ballet Manila
- Barefoot Theatre Collaborative
- Culturtain Musicat
- Fire and Ice Media & Productions
- Full House Theater Company
- Philippine Educational Theater Association (PETA)
- Philippine Opera Company
- Repertory Philippines
- Stages
- Tanghalang Pilipino
- The Sandbox Collective
- The Necessary Theater
- Theatre Titas
- Trupets
- Twin Bill Theater

THE GAWAD BUHAY AWARDS



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Organized by PHILSTAGE, The **Gawad Buhay Awards** is the premier annual recognition of excellence in Philippine theater.

Each year, it brings together **theater artists, cultural leaders, patrons, and supporters** for a night of celebrating community and legacy.

The event features a red carpet reception, live performances, the presentation of awards for the past theater season, and opportunities for networking and community-building among industry stakeholders.



NOTABLE FIGURES



Alice Reyes
National Artist for Dance



Lisa Macuja-Elizalde
Founder, Ballet Manila



Audie Gemora
Musical Theater Actor



Menchu lauchengco-Yulo
Musical Theater Actress

POLICY WORK



MILESTONES

- Passage of the Philippine Creative Industries Development Act (RA 11904)
- Provided input in the crafting of DTI Performing Arts Roadmap
- Collaborating with DTI on Capacity-building workshops for the sector
- Relax Amusement Tax Policies in Makati & QC
- Participation in Hearings on Eddie Garcia Law and Freelance Workers Protection Bill





We'd love to connect with you.

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