

How to Propose a Show at BTG (2026–2027 Season)

Thinking of directing a play or musical at Bellingham Theatre Guild? Here's a simple step-by-step guide to help you through the proposal process!

Step 1: Start Online

- Visit <https://bellinghamtheatre.com>
- Scroll to the bottom of any page and click “**Direct a Play**”
- Review the **2026–2027 Season Calendar** to see available slots
- Download and review the **Submission Form** to see what questions you'll need to answer

Step 2: Do Your Research

Before filling out the form, gather some key information about your proposed show:

- **Publisher** (who holds the rights?)
- **Script details** (form, availability, edition/version if options exist)
- **Cast requirements**
- **Scenic and technical needs**
- **Are non-professional performance rights available?**

Step 3: Build Your Team

Start thinking about who you'd want to work with:

- Designers
- Stage Managers
- Key crew members

Also, write a **publicity blurb** describing the show. (If your show is selected, this may be used in BTG promotions.)

Step 4: Submit Your Proposal

- Fill out **one submission form per show** (limit: 3 submissions per season)
- Prepare to submit **two (2) copies of the acting edition** of the script along with music as needed

- No photocopies of protected materials
- If only available as a perusal (digital or print), **contact Rights & Royalties** (info below) to confirm

DEADLINE: December 2, 2025

Submit scripts and any additional materials (CDs, sketches, reviews, resumes, etc.)

- Drop-off: **BTG Lobby, 5–7 PM**
- Need to deliver earlier? No problem—just reach out to make arrangements.

Need Help?

Looking for crew or designer recommendations?

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Extras & Resources

- A list of previously proposed plays is available on the **“Direct a Play”** page.

Questions?

Feel free to contact Joe Urdiales (VP of Production) at:
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