

Playwright's Pen

Profiles of participants in [Robey's Playwrights Lab](#) and profiles of playwrights associated with Robey productions.

- **Don't miss *The First and Last Meeting of the Anti Anti-Social Social Club*.** Robey playwright Sharon Martin's provocative play will be read at the Sherry Theatre in North Hollywood (11052 Magnolia Blvd., NH, CA 91601) on **Sunday, May 6 at 7 pm.** Admission is a requested donation of \$10. For reservations, call 844-700-1177 or email info@YaleCabaretHollywood.com.



Sign up for Robey's [Playwrights Lab](#): The summer session of The Robey Theatre Company's popular Playwrights Lab, led by dramaturg Dylan Southard, runs from **May 12** through **July 14** (10 Saturdays, 10 am – 1pm) at the Los Angeles Theatre Center, 3rd floor. (**Cost: \$250.**) For additional information, email Di Smith (officemanager@robeytheatrecompany.org).

- **Robey playwright, Rebecca Tessier, sets her sight on London**



Congratulations to Robey Playwrights Lab member, Rebecca Tessier. Recently accepted into Goldsmiths' MA program in Dramaturgy and Writing for Performance, this September Rebecca will head for London, England for a full year.

In Rebecca, the legacy of late playwright, Lynn Manning, lives on. After graduating from the University of Southern California in (year), Rebecca was introduced to Manning, who recognized her writing talent. To help cultivate that talent, Manning connected Rebecca to the Robey Theatre Company's Playwrights Lab, which is exactly what she needed. In the company of an insightful instructor and kindred playwrights who labored to create great plays through the lens, mainly, of the Black experience in Los Angeles, America, and the world, Rebecca has been motivated to write more and to write with greater intention.

Since joining the Playwrights Lab in 2015, Rebecca has served as a Literary Fellow for Center Theatre Group and she had a play produced within Company of Angels' annual play festival.

After completing her MA in London, Rebecca aims to continue to travel and write weird and tragic stories that make people think.

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