

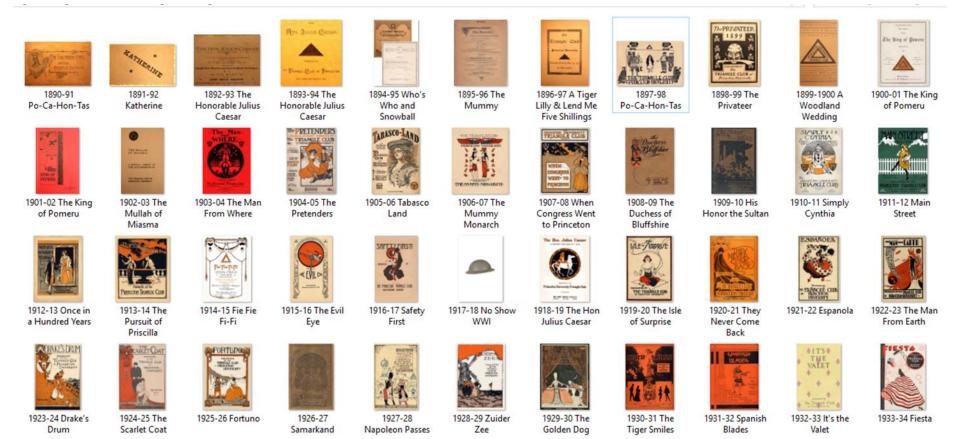
Who's Who Among the Triangle Shows

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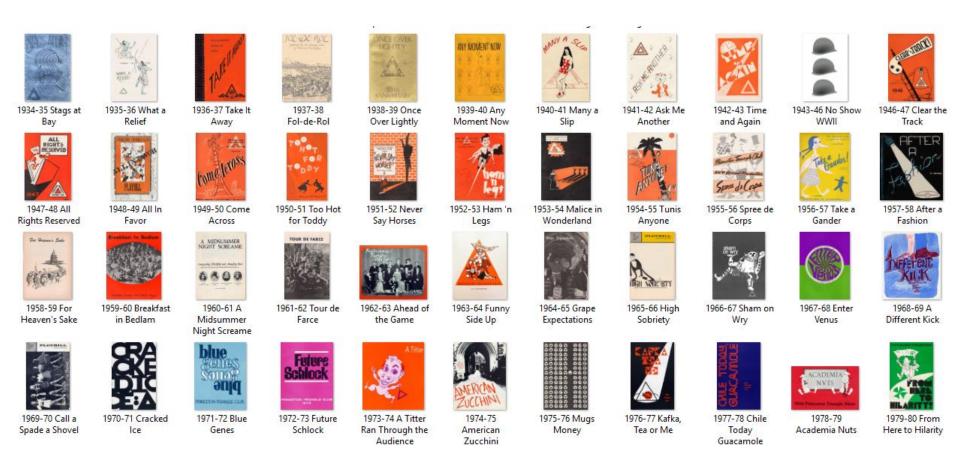


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- Po-Ca-Hon-Tas opened in May 1891 and is considered the first "Triangle Show". The music was student-composed and the book was student-adapted.
- Several other early shows were not written for Triangle, including Katherine, Who's Who, Snowball, A Tiger Lily and Lend Me Five Shillings
- A Woodland Wedding was the first show to tour past Trenton and New Brunswick.
- Three Triangle Shows re-ran: Po-Ca-Hon-Tas, Hon. Julius Caesar (twice), The King of Pomeru.
- The Triangle Club built McCarter Theatre. The first Triangle Show there was The Golden Dog.



Notable Triangle alumni include Booth Tarkington 1893, Edmund Wilson 1916, F. Scott Fitzgerald 1917, Josh Logan '31, Jimmy Stewart '32, José Ferrer '33, T. Berry Brazelton '40, Clark Gesner '60, Jeff Moss '63, Doug McGrath '80, Brooke Shields '87, Lesley Wake Webster '96, Ellie Kemper '02. More graduate every year!



Type



& Bondage



the Influence

1983-84 Revel Without A Pause



1984-85 No 96 Untitled



1985-86 Star

Spangled Banter

1986-87 **Business Unusual**



1987-88 Ain't Mythbehavin'



1988-89 Satanic Nurses



1989-90 Easy Street



1990-91 The Older The Better



Do-Re-Media



1992-93 Shelf 1993-94 The Indulgence Bermuda Love Triangle



1994-95 Rhyme and Punishment



1995-96 Pulpit **Fiction**



1996-97 It's a Wonderful Laugh



1997-98 In Lava and War



1998-99 101 **Damnations**



1999-2000 The Blair Arch Project



2000-01 Puns of Steel



2001-02 Absurd to the Wise



2002-03 This Side of Parody



2003-04 For Love or Funny-program-



2004-05 Orange and Black to the **Future**



2005-06 Excess Hollywood



2006-07-Heist Almighty



2007-08 A **Turnpike Runs** Through It



2008-09 Stark Raven Mad



2009-10 Store Trek



2010-11 Family **Feudalism**



2011-12 Doomsdays of Our Lives





2013-14 Zero Gravitas



2014-15 An Inconvenient Sleuth



2015-16 Tropic Blunder



2016-17 Greece'd Lightning!



2017-2018 Spy School Musical



2018-19 Night of the Laughing Dead



2019-20 Once Uponzi Time

- Coeducation came to Princeton in 1969-70. The Triangle Show had become coed the previous year.
- From 1970 to 1998, Triangle shows opened in the spring and went on tour the following winter. Before and since, they opened in the fall and toured in the same school year. They always come back for an encore at Reunions.

Triangle shows that aren't Triangle Shows

- Here are just a few examples of non-"mainstage" Triangle shows, generally produced in the spring until 1970 and after 1999, and in the fall from 1971 to 1998.
- Triangle welcomes each year's incoming Princeton class with "Frosh Week" revues of past and present Triangle hits.
- Triangle performs sketches and songs at various university and community events, in between major tour performances, and at other times throughout the year.



1976-77 fall show The Boy Friend



1981-82 tour Fool's Gold



1999-2000 spring show Rude Olympics



2012-13 spring show Shirley You're Joking, Mrs. Tilghman!



1977-78 fall show Godspell



1991-92 Centennial Revue



2000-01 spring show Rude Olympics



2016-17 Frosh Week show Are You Feeling '20 Too?



1978-79 fall show String of Pearls



1996-97 The Tiger Roars-PU 250th



2009-10 spring show Cornel West Side Story



2018-19 spring show Terrace Bueller's Day Off

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There are many ways to learn more about the history of the oldest collegiate musicalcomedy troupe in the nation that annually creates an original, student-written musical presented on a national tour.

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