

# JL JANICE LUISE

## DIRECTOR/PRODUCER/CONSULTANT

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### PRODUCTIONS

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY



Stage Directors and Choreographers Society

(860)309-1341    [www.JaniceDirects.com](http://www.JaniceDirects.com)    [www.AspenDreamProductions.com](http://www.AspenDreamProductions.com)

Director, producer, and consultant 20+ years' experience in live theatre with professional progression into positions of increased responsibilities and leadership. Labor Union Experience. Experience with and an understanding of the work of equity, diversity, and inclusion in the performing arts. Deep and direct practical understanding of the elements of the creative process and production in the performing arts. Raised over 1 million dollars for charities, fundraisers, and corporations.

### Selected Professional Touring Credits: Performed in over 72 cities & for over 25,000 guests

Halloween WhoDunnit- by J. Luise	AspenDream Productions Tour	New England	1997-present
Mob's Murder Mystery- by J. Luise	AspenDream Productions Tour	New England	1997-present
Murder is a Family Business-by J. Luise	AspenDream Productions Tour	New England	1997-present
For Better & For Worse- by J. Luise	AspenDream Productions Tour	New England	1997-present
Murder Mystery Masquerade-by J. Luise	AspenDream Productions Tour	New England	1997-present
Holiday's Can Kill You- by J. Luise	AspenDream Productions Tour	New England	1997-present
Murder Mystery Masquerade- by J. Luise	AspenDream Productions Tour	New England	2015-present

### Regional Directing Credits

Venus Smiled	(Play Festival)	Warner Studio Theatre, CT
Flip	(Play Festival)	Warner Studio Theatre, CT
Quelched	(Play Festival)	Warner Studio
Love, Sex, and the I.R. S.	Billy Van Zandt, Jane Milmore	Warner Studio Theatre, CT
Future of Sincerity	(One Act Play Festival)	Warner Studio Theatre, CT
The Next Move	(One Act Play Festival)	Warner Studio Theatre, CT
Lend Me A Tenor	Ken Ludwig <b>Rated Top 10 Plays</b>	Goshen Players, CT
A Gentler Place	(One Act Play Festival)	Warner Studio Theatre, CT
Barefoot in the Park	Neil Simon	Goshen Players, CT
Cinderella	Rogers & Hammerstein	City of Tolland, CT
Misery by Stephen King <b>[4 stars]</b>	Stephen King	Warner Studio Theatre, CT
Amadeus <b>[4 stars]</b>	Peter Shaffer	Warner Studio Theatre, CT
Perfect Crime	Warren Manzi	New Britain Repertory Theatre, CT
Proof <b>[5 stars]</b>	David Auburn	Warner Studio Theatre, CT
Faith in the Life of a Priest	(Play Festival)	Central CT State University, CT
Barefoot in the Park	Neil Simon	Southington Theatre, CT
Last of the Red Hot Lovers <b>[4.5 stars]</b>	Neil Simon	Windsor Jesters, CT
Love Letters	AR Gurney	Warner Theatre, CT
Hope and Mercy	(One Act Play Festival)	Warner Studio Theatre, CT
Cemetery Club	Ivan Menchel	Southington Theatre
The Amorous Ambassador	Michael Parker	Southington Theatre
Barefoot in the Park	Neil Simon	Warner Theatre, CT

### Professional Affiliations

Dramatists Guild of America - <https://www.dramatistsguild.com/members/janice-luise-lutkus/> **Produced Playwright**  
League of Professional Theatre Women; Associate Member of Stage Directors and Choreographers Society; Actors Equity

### Education

Bachelor's Degree, Directing/Acting, University of Connecticut  
Partial scholarships received- studies in Paris and London in Acting and Directing  
Yale University, Drama Conservatory- Directing

- Directing- Patrick Diamond & Evan Yionoulis –Asso. Prof. , Resident Director at the Yale Rep
- Dramaturgy -Jane Ann Crum
- Stage Management – Frank Torok
- Scenic Design - Debra Booth
- Voice/Speech – Pamela Pranthier