



Julie Lumsden, *The Diviners*. Stratford Festival 2024. Photography by Danny Shumov.

Based on the novel by Margaret Laurence
Text by Vern Thiessen with Yvette Nolan
Directed by Krista Jackson with
Geneviève Pelletier
Choreographed by Cameron Carver

About the play

Novelist Morag Gunn, estranged from her only daughter, unable to write, struggling with the bottle, is adrift in a river of memories. Travelling from the present to the past to an imagined future, Morag's journey encompasses her personal struggle for freedom and expression as well as those of the Métis and First Nations peoples of Manitoba. Adapted from Margaret Laurence's classic Canadian novel, *The Diviners* receives its world première at the Stratford Festival.

Engaging Indigenous Theatre:

UW Office of Indigenous Relations, Faculty of Arts
& Stratford Festival Education Department

STRATFORD FESTIVAL TRIP

Wednesday, October 2

12 p.m.-6 p.m.

Performance and Post-Show Artist Chat

Includes ticket discount, return transportation (UWaterloo EV 3 to Stratford return) & Post-Show Chat with artists.

Limited seating for provided bus transportation, or travel to Stratford on your own.

Promo Codes

IRDIV – Indigenous Community – \$5

UWDIV – UW Students, Staff & Faculty – \$20

Registration

Step 1: Create Stratford Festival account:

<https://www.stratfordfestival.ca/myaccount/createaccount>

If you already have an account, click “login” at the top of the webpage

Step 2: Log back in with Promo Code:

<https://www.stratfordfestival.ca/myaccount/login>

Step 3: Click “What’s On” and scroll until you find *The Diviners*

Step 4: Buy ticket for desired date

Step 5: Email Dr. Sorouja Moll to reserve seat on bus if attending October 2

Step 6: Enjoy the show!

Email **Dr. Sorouja Moll** with questions and to reserve your seat on the bus
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