

Antigone & Friends at Cal State Hayward

"I borrowed the 'material' from Antigone's myth to mould my own plot....I borrowed her myth to create an Antigone of our times....And this new 'Antigone' carried with her another tragic element, that of the impossibility of being tragic."

—Maria Lampadaridou-Pothou

Greek poet, playwright, and novelist Maria Lampadaridou Pothou will be a guest of Cal State Hayward, courtesy of the Greek Ministry of Culture, February 8-15. A series of events, including the United States premiere of her play *Antigone, Or The Nostalgia of Tragedy*, will be held at Cal State Hayward.

THE PLAY

February 9-10, 15-18

Antigone, Or The Nostalgia of Tragedy

Studio Theatre

A modern interpretation of Sophocles' *Antigone* written during the Greek dictatorship in 1967. Produced by CSUH's Department of Theatre and Dance, under the direction of Edgardo de la Cruz.

Performance times: Thursdays, 6 p.m.; Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m.; Sunday matinees at 2 p.m. For Tickets, call the Theatre Box Office, 510-885-3261. The Box Office is open noon-1 p.m. and 4-6 p.m. the week of performances. Tickets are \$7/general admission; \$5/youth and seniors; \$4/CSUH students/faculty/staff.

SPECIAL CSUH EVENTS

February 8

Antigone Then, Antigone Now

Studio Theatre, noon

Alan M. Smith ALSS/Theatre & Dance Department Symposium on the heritage of Greek culture in Western civilization. Panel:

Maria Lampadaridou-Pothou,
playwright
Edgardo de la Cruz
(CSUH, Theatre and Dance)
Rhoda Helfman Kaufman

(CSUH, Theatre & Dance) Marcelline Krafchick

(CSUH, English),
Thanasis Maskaleris
(San Francisco State,
Center for Modern Greek
Studies)

February 14

"As I Approach the Millennium"

Talk by Ms. Lampadaridou
Biella Room (Library), noon
With performances of poetry
and drama by CSUH theater
students

February 12-16

Greek Films

Library 2167, 4-6 p.m.

2/12, Monday—Landscape in the Mist 2/13, Tuesday—Iphigenia 2/14, Wednesday—The Trojan Women 2/15, Thursday—Antigone

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2/16, Friday—The Traveling
Players

For a complete calendar of events in honor of Maria Lampadaridou-Pothou, call the Artsline at 510-885-4299.

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