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PLEASE JOIN US FOR  
THE 45<sup>TH</sup>  
ANNUAL  
NON-EQUITY  
**JEFF AWARDS**  
JUNE 11<sup>TH</sup>, 2018

HOSTED BY



VERONICA GARZA

**ATHENAEUM  
THEATRE**  
CHICAGO  
2936 N SOUTHPORT AVE

DOORS OPEN AT **6:30PM**  
SHOW STARTS AT **7:30PM**  
TICKETS: \$45 | \$50 DAY-OF  
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# Please Join Us For The 45th Annual Non-Equity Jeff Awards

**Hosted by Veronica Garza at the Athenaeum Theatre  
on Monday, June 11, 2018**

Veronica Garza is a 2017 Non-Equity Jeff Award Recipient for Best Supporting Actress in a Musical. She won for her role as Nancy Kerrigan and Tonya Harding's mom(s) in the musical TONYA AND NANCY. Some of her favorite past roles include Ms. Fleming in HEATHERS with Kokandy and The Homeless Lady in A NEW BRAIN with Theo Ubuque. Coming up this April she will be playing Roz in Firebrand's 9 to 5. She has performed with other Chicago theatres including: Porchlight, Circle Theatre, The Mercury, Writers Theatre, Emerald City Theater and Theatre at the Center.

**Starting this year, recipients in the Non-Equity Wing will be awarded with a statue. Stay tuned for more exciting upgrades.**

**The Nomination Announcement Video will go live on the morning of April 23rd. Tickets will then be available online at [athenaeumtheatre.org](http://athenaeumtheatre.org) or the TodayTix app.**

*The Jeff Awards has been honoring outstanding theatre artists annually since it was established in 1968. With up to 55 members representing a wide variety of backgrounds in theatre (including producers, directors, actors, playwrights, designers, professors of theatre, entertainment lawyers and agents, and theatre lovers), the Jeff Awards are committed to celebrating the vitality of Chicago area theatre by recognizing excellence through its recommendations, awards, and honors. Opening night judges include not only the members but also the team of Artistic & Technical Team theatre volunteers (the "A/T Team") which include Artistic Directors, producers, directors from the major Chicago theatres, actors, designers, etc. The Jeff Awards fosters the artistic growth of area theatres and theatre artists and promotes educational opportunities, audience appreciation, and civic pride in the achievements of the theatre community. Each year, the Jeff Awards adjudicate over 250 theatrical productions and host two awards ceremonies. Originally chartered to recognize only Equity productions, the Jeff Awards established the Non-Equity Wing in 1973 to celebrate outstanding achievement in non-union theatre.*

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