

**HPU's Paul and Vi Loo Theatre
AUDITIONS**

**ARMS AND THE MAN
By George Bernard Shaw**

Directed by Joyce Maltby

Audition Dates: Friday, January 29 at 7:00 pm
 Saturday, January 30 at 12:00 pm
 Sunday, January 31 at 12:00 pm



Production Dates: April 2 – May 2

A comic critique of romantic ideas about love and war, *Arms and the Man* established Shaw's reputation as one of the wittiest architects of modern theatre. Amid the familiar backdrop of a war in the Balkans, Raina believes in romantic love and her fiancé Sergius believes in the glory of war. But neither expects their beliefs to be proven so wrong by an enemy soldier who insists that chocolate is more useful in war than ammunition. Twists of fate, mistaken identities, and deliciously funny characters make *Arms and the Man* a charming and thought-provoking classic.

ROLES IN THE PRODUCTION

RAINA: a lovely 23 year old romantic girl, who looks to be about 17

CATHERINE: her mother, a woman over 40

LOUKA: a young servant girl

CAPTAIN BLUNTSCHILI: a professional soldier, about 35 years old

NICOLA: a middle aged man servant

MAJOR PETKOFF: Raina's father, husband of Catherine, about 50 years old

MAJOR SERGIUS SARANOFF: a tall, romantically handsome young man, engaged to Raina

A YOUNG RUSSIAN OFFICER (only in one small scene)

Auditions will consist of readings from the script. Scripts will be available for perusal on the premises at the windward and downtown campus libraries.

Rehearsals are scheduled for Monday through Friday evenings from 7 pm until 10 pm and some weekend days as needed.

Auditions, rehearsals and performances are held in HPU's windward campus Paul and Vi Loo Theatre: 45-045 Kamehameha Highway, Kaneohe (just off the Pali Highway)

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