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Auditions are scheduled for Monday and Tuesday at 6:30 PM in the Stage Center for the November production of FROM MORN TILL MIDNIGHT. This famous drama will be guest directed by John DeWitte, well known in Chicago theatre circles for his direction of or performance in STAGE BLOOD, I WAS SITTING ON MY PATIO THIS GUY APPEARED I THOUGHT I WAS HALLUCINATING, M. O. R., THE QUESTIONS, OUR LUNCH and CAFE AMERIQUE. The engagement of John to direct the first production of the 1988-89 season is the next step in the University Theatre's intention of broadening the learning experience for our students by having professionals from the local theatre scene invited to our campus to work with our students. Mr. DeWitte would like a prepared monologue for auditions, but welcomes ALL whether you have a prepared audition or not. Performance dates for FROM MORN TILL MIDNIGHT are November 17, 18, 19, 30, December 1, 2, 3 at 7:30 PM and November 20 at 3:00 PM. The show has a large cast of highly fascinating characters. Don't fail to audition-September 26 and 27 at 6:30 PM in the Stage Center.

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Plan now to attend the lecture by the celebrated actor/playwright OSSIE DAVIS (<u>Purlie Victorius</u>) on Wednesday evening, October 26 at 7:30 PM in the UNI Auditorium. Mr. Davis appears as part of Northeastern's on-going series of Distinguished Lectureships (7th year). Depending upon her Broadway committments, Ruby Dee, wife of Mr. Davis, may be present for the program. Tell your friends and family about this unique opportunity to see one of America's legendary performer/ writers live in-person at Northeastern.

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