THE GRAPES OF WRATH

Frank Galati

**Playwright:** Frank Galati was born in Highland Park, Illinois. Since becoming an ensemble member in 1986, Galati has put on 19 productions with Steppenwolf. Mr. Galati has won two Tony award for his adaptation and direction of *The Grapes of Wrath*.

**Director:** David Janoviak, WOU Faculty

**Performance Dates:** November 15-18, 2000

**Play:** *The Grapes of Wrath* is a stark tale of the Joad family’s trek from the Oklahoma dust bowl to California during the Great Depression. A souring and deeply moving affirmation of the human spirit and the essential goodness in the hearts and minds of the common person.