

Experience That You Can Trust

In 2008, Wise received a personal invitation from director Debbie Allen to cast her adaptation of Tennessee Williams', "Cat on a Hot Tin Roof." His cast of notable award nominated actors included James Earl Jones, Phylicia Rashad, Terence Howard, Anika Noni Rose and Giancarlo Esposito. He is often called upon to lend his expertise to consult on independent Off-Broadway productions such as the critically acclaimed, "Cheaters, Friends and Lovers." Wise has also worked in regional theater casting for several projects such as, "I Love You, Your Perfect, Now Change." and "Evita." Wise recently decided to extend his impressive cache of accomplishments to include producing for film and television. His television credits include, "Life is Not a Fairy Tale": The Fantasia Barrino Story," directed by Debbie Allen, for Lifetime Television, "Unpredictable" a television Variety special starring Jamie Foxx, for ABC. He has produced several independent films and just wrapped, "Soul Ties" & "Christmas In Compton". Wise was recognized by his peers for his outstanding achievements in the entertainment industry with the prestigious Trumpet Award.

PWAS School

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Peter Wise Actors Studio
*Character Development, Scene Study,
Improvisation, Audition Preparations*

Taught by NAACP Award Winner, Peter Wise

An industry veteran with over 25 years of combined acting, directing and producing experience





Meet The instructor

Peter Wise is a 25-year entertainment industry veteran. After a successful career in acting, Wise decided to combine his talent and experience to become a casting director. In 1990, he launched Peter Wise and Associates, which soon became the most successful multicultural casting agencies with Wise becoming the most sought-after casting director on both the East and West coasts. His extensive list of casting credits for film, television and Broadway have garnered several awards and accolades. Wise was responsible for comprising the cast of Smokey Joe's Café which was nominated for seven Tony Awards and a Grammy for, "Best Musical Show Album." Wise's cast selections received rave reviews for their performances which contributed greatly to the production becoming the longest musical revue on Broadway to date. As the casting director of record for the national tour of "Jesus Christ Superstar", he cast Ted Neely, Carl Anderson, Irene Cara and Dennis DeYoung.

Just a few of our impressive clients:

- Debbie Allen
- Kevin Hart
- Jamie Foxx
- Nick Cannon

We Want You!

PWA Studios is growing fast and we want you to be a part of it. Our students are booking, starring roles, guest stars and major career changing roles in film, television, theatre and commercial. We offer you techniques to give you the edge on winning the audition and booking the job.

Now is the time to be serious about your craft! Our classes are frequently attended by Casting Directors, Agents, Managers and Directors. If you are looking to be seen, this is the place you would want to be! Going to auditions are great and our acting studio will increase your chances to book the job.

Acting is re-creating life. Every actor should have a "utility belt" filled with many skills to be able to draw from on demand. Skills you will be able to utilize in auditions, showcases and more importantly...on-set.

The Winning Edge

"Get the advantage you will need to book your next job"



Key Offerings

Get What It Takes

The training at our acting studio will include: on camera work, audition technique, improv, scene study, character development and dialect coaching. We take pride in our actors perfecting both the Meisner technique and method acting.

Programs

Acting Classes

Individuals interested in the field of acting will learn the craft and sharpen their skills.

Theater Arts Program

This program will focus on acting, dance, voice and production. This program will allow actors to audition for roles in productions that PWAS will have throughout the year. These productions will not only help fellow actors to experience the component of theater and production, but also allow them to showcase their acting and performing abilities to an audience. Furthermore, these productions will serve as a fund raiser in which tickets will be sold to generate funds for the organization.

Youth Program

This program will partner with schools within the LAUSD School District to bring performing arts to the schools. Most inner-city students do not have the resources to experience the performing arts. Partnering with these schools who service under privileged youth will expose them to theater arts. Research has shown this to be an invaluable tool to help at risk youth channel their experiences in a more positive, creative and productive manner. This program will expose the youth to acting, dance, production (stagecraft, editing, filming, etc.).

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