The Artists

Katie Pearl and Lisa D’Amour (PearlDamour) are a collaborative team who create performance both inside and outside traditional theater spaces. They began working together in 1996 and have devised a body of work that is attentive to the performer / audience relationship, and searches for new approaches to narrative through the accumulation of text, image, physicality and architectural elements.

Lisa and Katie’s work is intensely interdisciplinary – crafted by extensive collaborations with artists of other fields, including visual artists Krista Kelley Walsh, Charles Goldman, Kurt Mueller and Shawn Hall, choreographer Emily Johnson, and composers Sxip Shirey, Joel Pickard and Tom McDermott. Other past collaborators include ArtSpot Productions’ Artistic Director Kathy Randels who co-created and co-performed in Nita & Zita.

Shawn Hall is a visual artist whose work imagines various facets of the natural world, most recently from an up-close and even microscopic point of view. She views her practice as an act of participation in the biological world through intuition and action. While mainly a painter, her work exists in a variety of media including photography, video, installation, and performance.