"In difficult times, one of the highest achievements is to bring a smile ... some laughter to another and relieve worries and concerns for a time. Performers, players, actors, dancers, and all artists, are the reflection of, and a relief to our world. Our society. Our Culture.

This is the spirit in which we offer four special creative summer workshops and labs in 2017. A spirit of truth ... and friendship." Stanley Allan Sherman

## Roving Classical Commedia University\* ('totally unaccredited) **Mask Arts Company Presents NYC**

## Summer Workshops 2017

Commedia dell'Arte | Mime - Movement - Rhythm | Neutral & Metaphysical Mask | Creating Original Material

actors, artists, dancers, directors, clowns, teachers, students and variety artists on all levels



Commedia dell'Arte characters

Their movement, gesture, history of the characters, improvisation, lazzi, mask work, physical skills, prop manipulation, rhythm, scatology, scenario work, improvisation and more; all integrated. June 19 - 30; 11 workshop days, 77 total contact workshop hours, fee: \$1,100



are theater elements touching all areas, we'll play with and explore. Mime for almost every area of stage, essential movement exercises and rhythm making everything come alive. **July 10 - 14**; 5 days: 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM: 15 hours, fee \$295

**Neutral Mask - Metaphysical Mask Lab** 

Jacque Lecog - Neutral Mask

Carlo Mazzone Clementi - Metaphysical Mask

Exploring using both masks. Exercises from our two great movement theater pioneers, plus ones we have developed. **July 10 - 14**; 5 days; 12:15 PM to 3:00 PM: 13.45 hours; fee \$280

## **Creating Original Material**

Beyond devised theater; discover how to create bits, lazzi and a full original show. July 16th - 21; 6 days: 8:30 AM to 3 PM: 39 hours Fee: \$660

Take all three July workshops \$1095: June and July workshops \$2,100

Stanley Allan Sherman - master teacher, theatrical mask maker, graduating Ecole Jacque Lecog's in 1972. Stanley has been performing, acting, directing, mask making and teaching since 1972.



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