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Pensacola State to host Broadway performer Stephanie Torns on Feb. 8

Torns has appeared in 'Waitress,' 'Wicked,' 'Les Misérables'

Longtime Broadway singer and actress Stephanie Torns will bring her multidimensional talent to Pensacola State College on Thursday, Feb. 8.

Torns will perform at 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. in Ashmore Auditorium, Building 8, on the Pensacola campus at 1000 College Blvd., Pensacola.

Born and raised in New York, Torns began performing at a young age. She was last seen as Jenna Hunterson in the Tony Award nominated musical, "Waitress," on a limited engagement tour in Charlotte, North Carolina, and Cleveland.

She was also a part of the original Broadway company since 2015 where the show was created at the America Repertory Theater at Harvard University. Torns also appears in the live capture movie of "Waitress."

Torns other Broadway credits include "Wicked the Musical" where Torns was the Elphaba standby. Regional credits include "Les Misérables" as Eponine, "9 to 5" as Judy Bernly and "The Producers."

Torns has also performed her own solo cabaret show at 54 Below and Chelsea Table and Stage in New York City. When she isn't performing, she is a musical

theater teacher at the American Musical and Dramatic Academy in New York, and runs master classes and workshops in Manhattan and across the country.

Admission is \$11 for adults; \$9 for senior citizens and non-PSC students; and \$7 for PSC employees. Tickets are free to all PSC students with a current student I.D. Students must pick up tickets from the Ticket Office in Building 8.

Tickets are available online at <u>performingarts.PensacolaState.edu</u>. For more information about the concert or for tickets, call the PSC Lyceum Box Office at 850-484-1847.

