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***** MEDIA ALERT *****

Cabrillo College Theater Arts Department Presents *Judgment at Nuremberg*
Performances April 15 – May 1, 2016 at the Black Box Theater

APTOS – Starting April 15, Cabrillo Theater Arts Department will bring the dramatic story of the Nuremberg Trials, a series of 13 court hearings in Germany between 1945-1949, to the stage. The defendants of these trials included Nazi Party officials and high-ranking military officers, along with German industrialists, lawyers and doctors, indicted on charges of crimes against humanity. Originally made for television on the show *Playhouse 90*, the play then became a multi Academy Award winning film in 1961, and finally a Broadway play in 2001.

Judgment at Nuremberg focuses on the story of Ernst Janning, one of the most influential German legal minds of the pre-World War II era, and other influential Nazi judges who face a military tribunal in postwar trials in Nuremberg for their complicity in the Nazi's crimes. Issues at the forefront of this trial reverberate through history and challenge humanity to this day, as we now struggle in our own country with decisions about excluding people because of ethnicity or religious beliefs.

WHO: Cabrillo Theater Arts Department

WHAT: Performance of *Judgment at Nuremberg*, a play about the Nuremberg Trials

WHERE: Cabrillo College Black Box Theater, 6500 Soquel Drive, Aptos, CA 95003

WHEN: April 15 – May 1, Fridays/Saturdays at 7:30pm with Sunday Matinees at 2:00pm

TICKETS: \$18 general admission, \$16 senior/student, \$8 Cabrillo SAC Card holder, purchased at www.cabrillovapa.com or by calling 831-479-6154

Directed by Sarah Albertson, Set Design by Skip Epperson, and Costume Design by Maria Crush

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Cabrillo College is a leading California community college serving Santa Cruz County with locations in Aptos and Watsonville. It is ranked #1 in transfers to UC Santa Cruz. Founded in 1959, the college offers over 100 academic and career technical education programs that serve multiple educational goals such as A.A. and A.S. degrees, certificates of achievement, skills certificates, transfer to 4-year institutions or for lifelong learning and personal enrichment. Cabrillo College is a dynamic, diverse and responsive educational community that is dedicated to helping all students achieve their academic, career, and personal development goals.

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