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Included below is a press release regarding the upcoming production of "Measure for Measure" by Ferris Theatre. Further information is available by contacting Leah Nixon, assistant director of News Services.

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Ferris Theatre presents William Shakespeare's 'Measure for Measure'

BIG RAPIDS – Sleep with me or your brother dies. What a terrible choice to have to make, but this proposition is put to Isabella and she is forced to decide in William Shakespeare's "Measure for Measure."

See the drama unfold as Ferris Theatre debuts its production of this play Nov. 12 through 14 at 8 p.m. and Nov. 15 at 2:30 p.m. in G. Mennen Williams Auditorium.

Set in a "city of sleaze" called Vienna, Ferris Theatre's production of "Measure for Measure" is being presented in modern times, where incompetence and corruption are the rule and bawds and drugs run the streets.

There's nothing new about governmental hypocrisy and sexual corruption in high places, but the situation gets tougher as Angelo – the man behind the statement to Isabella – is the new person in command who has let his power get the better of him.

Jake White appears as the tormented Angelo and Lindsay Cyr as Isabella, the ill-fated novice. Keith (Keebler) Horvath plays the manipulative Duke who gives up his power under strange and secretive circumstances. They are joined by 20 plus other Ferris students including Jessica Wunderle as Escalus, the second in command in this overwhelmed city.

Ferris Theatre provides students of Ferris State University the opportunity to gain experience in performance production while complimenting their career interests. Ferris offers a minor in theatre enabling students to acquire a general knowledge of performance and technical production, as well as hands-on experience.

Tickets are available online at www.ferris.edu/arts/tickets.htm, by calling (231) 591-5600 or at the Williams Auditorium ticket office 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Student tickets are \$4, \$6 for senior citizens and \$8 for adults. If you need assistance to attend this event, call (231) 591-5600 in advance. Note: Some language used and situations are not suitable for young children.

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