## Oklahoma Playwright



"The professional theater is presenting the world premiere of a new "Emma" adaptation penned by Oklahoma City playwright Erin Woods. Also the classics company's director of outreach, Woods has called "Emma" one of her favorites of Austen's novels, and her affection for the 1815 story shows in her true-blue stage rendering.

Woods also wrote the stage adaptation of "Pride and Prejudice," which played to record Oklahoma Shakespeare audiences last September, and adapted the beloved author's novels and family letters into the interactive "Jane Austen's Christmas Cracker," a popular local tradition the company plans to bring back this holiday season. The devoted Austenite clearly has a knack for knowing just how to bring the British writer's 200-year-old stories to the stage in a way that will resonate with current theatergoers." -The Oklahoman

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