

First production by the Teatro Meta, a new bilingual theatre company, to give public preview of "Over Easy, or Las aventuras del Huevo."

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Teatro Meta, a new bilingual theatre company, will give a public preview of its first production, "Over Easy, or Las aventuras del Huevo," at 8 p.m. Saturday, October 9, in the Mandeville Center Auditorium at the University of California, San Diego.

An audience discussion period will follow the performance.

"Over Easy, or Las aventuras del Huevo" is a comedy in both Spanish and English. Its hero, Huevo, travels from Mexico to San Diego's Barrio Logan. Inspired by the murals in Chicano Park under the San Diego-Coronado Bridge, Huevo recounts his adventures with humor and fantasy.

Teatro Meta is jointly sponsored by the Old Globe Theatre, UCSD and Southwestern College in Chula Vista. Members of the acting company are David Alberto, Tina Allequez, Victor C. Contreras, Gregorio Flores Jr., Liz Gallegos, Georgina Martinez, Felicitas Nunez, Raul Ramos, and Dottie Weddington.

"Over Easy, or Las aventuras del Huevo" is a collaborative work-in-progress by Stephen Most, based upon research by dramaturge Felipe A. Zatarain into the history of Barrio Logan and on the personal experiences and improvisations of the cast and directors. Zatarain is a native of San Diego and a graduate of UCSD's Department of History.

Old Globe Theatre Executive Producer Craig Noel and co-directors William Virchis and Jorge Huerta founded Teatro Meta with the help of a grant from the California Council of the Humanities. Huerta, a leading scholar and director of Chicano theatre, has been on the faculty of the UCSD Department of Drama since 1975.

There is no admission charge for the performance at UCSD and no tickets or reservations are necessary. For further information, phone 452-4002.

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