## Eileen M. Soro

A Graduate of SUNY at Stony Brook with a BA in Theatre Arts. Majoring in Performance and Direction with minors in Technical Theatre and Costume Design. Eileen is a 35 year veteran in the Broadway and Regional Professional Theatrical community.

Member: IATSE Theatrical Makeup & Hairstylists Union, 798 New York (25 years), licensed in NY State as a Hair stylist since 1984.

## Professional Credits include:

Art Park Hair & Wig Designer, Lewiston NY. Shea's Performing Arts Center-Local Theatrical Hairdresser, Buffalo NY. Wig design/styling for Olympia Dukakis/ Whole Theatre, New Jersey (The Cherry Orchard).

Professional Broadway Tours: Phantom of the Opera National Tour (Music Box Company), Ragtime National Tour.

Directorial Credits: Numerous SUNY Stony Brook Productions, Niagara Wheatfield High School One Act Play Festivals, LaSalle Senior High School Musical Productions, Alfred State Regional High School Competition & Seminars, Kenan Center Competitions.

Awards include: 25 year pin IATSE Theatrical Makeup & Hair Stylists Union - 798 NY, Harold Award (Best Actress)—Long Island NY Regional Theatre, Stony Brook University Theatre Department (Best Actress), Best Director/ Best Play Awards & Nominations — Niagara Wheatfield, Alfred State, Kenan Center.

Returning to the Niagara region after 12 years on the road with Theatrical Tours, Eileen opened and operated Pi Pastry Shop in the Town of Niagara for 5 years and then began a career as a Quality Control Coordinator and Technical Writer at Compu-mail Inc. Grand Island, NY. At present she is a Technical Writer at Sumitomo Rubber USA in Tonawanda, New York.

A collector of all things Niagara, including Antique Souvenirs, Ephemera and Native American Beadwork, Eileen also enjoys Oil and Watercolor painting and travel and is proud to be a part of the efforts to restore this beautiful Theatre and bring it to life again for the WNY region as well as our neighbors to the north in Canada.