



First Stage's
BEAD Committee
(Belonging, Equity,
Access, & Diversity) is
celebrating
**WOMEN'S HISTORY
MONTH**
by featuring a few notable
women in the arts.

LORRAINE

HANSBERRY

PLAYWRIGHT

WRITER

ARTIST

FIRST BLACK

PLAYWRIGHT PRODUCED

ON BROADWAY

"Write about our people: tell their story. You have something glorious to draw on begging for attention. Don't pass it up. Don't pass it up. Use it."

CAMILLE A. BROWN

**DANCER
CHOREOGRAPHER
STAGE, TV AND FILM
DIRECTOR**

" How wonderful is it when we step into that power of sharing our voice and what that looks like. No matter what people think, it's our voice and nobody can take that away from you."

JEAN

ROSENTHAL

**PIONEER IN
THEATRICAL LIGHTING**

“Lighting affects everything light falls upon. How you see what you see, how you feel about it, and how you hear what you are hearing. Replace the ‘a’ with an ‘e’ and you get lighting effects!”

AVA

DUVERNAY

DIRECTOR

FIRST AFRICAN-AMERICAN

WOMAN TO WIN BEST

DIRECTOR AT SUNDANCE

"If your dream
only includes you,
it's too small."