**Seeking Two Performers for PAID work at Schuyler Mansion in ALBANY NY: 1 African-American or Biracial Adult Male, and 1 Caucasian Trans-Femme Adult**

**Date of Performance**: Sunday, May 12th, 2019, 4:00pm
**Location**: Schuyler Mansion State Historic Site,
 32 Catherine Street, Albany NY 12203
**Compensation:** $150 for 15-30-minute performance and approximately five-to-eight 90-minute rehearsals

**Casting For**

* **Chevalier de Saint-Georges**: an 18th century French composer, musician, abolitionist, boxer, Revolutionary officer, and fencer, born the son of a French planter and an enslaved African woman.
* **Chevaliere d’Eon**: a trans-femme French aristocrat, diplomat, officer of Dragoons, spy, temporary outlaw, Revolutionary officer, author, and fencer.

**Description:** The performance will be a short recreation of a fencing match fought in 1787, between Saint-Georges and d’Eon, in front of the Prince of Wales and the most prominent fencers and socialites in London.

**Performers will be expected to:**

* Learn and engage in choreographed swordplay, based on historical sources
* Perform in 18th century reproduced clothing
* Perform limited dialogue

Rolling auditions- **PLEASE APPLY ASAP**. Please contact Ian Mumpton at Schuyler Mansion: **(518)434-0834,** **ian.mumpton@parks.ny.gov**. Experience with stage combat, sport fencing, or historical fencing/HEMA appreciated but NOT required. Headshots are NOT required, however resumes of relevant experience are appreciated.