Exploring Creative Tensions Surrounding the Manhattan Project

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Plot Summary: Meet the characters

Abigail Marshall
played by Alyssa Maldonado

Robert Oppenheimer
played by Noah Allyn

Leslie Groves
played by Kivan Kirk

Leona Marshall
played by Samantha Koontz
Process: Research
“Sources of knowledge and inspiration”

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Artwork by Doug Waterfield

*Doomtown IX: Apple II Sequential House Explosion*  
*Doomtown XIX: Bikini Shot Spectators*

See more of Waterfield’s work at http://www.dougwaterfield.com/portfolio/doomtown
Process: Writing
Themes that emerged over time

- The tension between ethics and invention
- The tension between knowledge and experience
- The tension between past actions and current consequences
Process: Workshop
Meet the cast and crew!

CAST
Abigail Marshall: Alyssa Maldonado
Robert Oppenheimer: Noah Allyn
Leslie Groves: Kivan Kirk
Leona Marshall: Samantha Koontz
Leo Szilard: Christopher Culver
Edward Teller: Indira Sheumaker
President Roosevelt: Daniel Heddendorf
Arthur Compton: Veronica Day
Frank Spedding: Christopher Priebe
Enrico Fermi: Taylor Sklenar
Secretary/Herbert Anderson: Maggie McGinity
Walter Zinn: Julia Katz

CREW
Dramaturg: Shannon Lange
Stage Manager: Lauren Dentler
Poster Cover: Katie Olsen
Lights: Devin Barr
Lights: Seth Rickard
Sound: Noah Allyn
Costumes: Julia Katz
Props: Samantha Claman
Props: Maggie McGinity
Makeup: Samantha Koontz
Process: Rehearsal
Lights
Process: Rehearsal
Costumes
Product: Successful performance
Shameless Plug: Honors Poster Presentation

April 30
3:00 - 5:00 pm
Memorial Union
Questions?
THANK YOU!