



## American International Theater, Inc.

### Playwright Biography



William Roetzheim is the author of seven plays and one musical, twenty-three published books, over 100 articles, three columns, and twenty spoken word audio poetry CDs (Producer and Director). He is a member of the Dramatists Guild of America. His writing has won nine gold medals and twenty-four finalist awards in national and international literary competitions. His plays have been performed in New York City at the TADA Theater, The Studio Theater in Theatre Row, 440 Studios, the Producer's Club, and The Workshop Jewel Theater, plus in theaters in Southern California. His work has been featured in New York at the Illuminating Artists Festival, the Planet Connections festival, and the Midtown International Theater Festival plus at the Moondance

International Film Festival in Los Angeles. He edits an annual anthology of new plays called "Regional Best," and is a member of the Board of Directors of American International Theater, Inc. where he serves as the Producing Director. His film credits include Producer for "Decay," a short film due for release in April 2010.

Mr. Roetzheim has a B.A., an MBA, and he has completed post-graduate studies in Computer Science and Fine Art. He has written or edited twelve poetry books and his poetry has won international acclaim and been published in more than ten anthologies. He founded and then sold two successful software companies (Marotz, Inc. and Cost Xpert Group, Inc.), holds two patents, and is considered to be one of the world's leading experts on parametric modeling of software project costs. Prior to entering the world of technology he was a Naval Flight Officer and flew S3-A Viking aircraft from the USS Forrestal. While in college he won first place in the NCAA National Gymnastics Championships and was twice designated as an All American athlete. He and his wife currently own and operate a Victorian Bed and Breakfast in the mountains outside of San Diego, CA.