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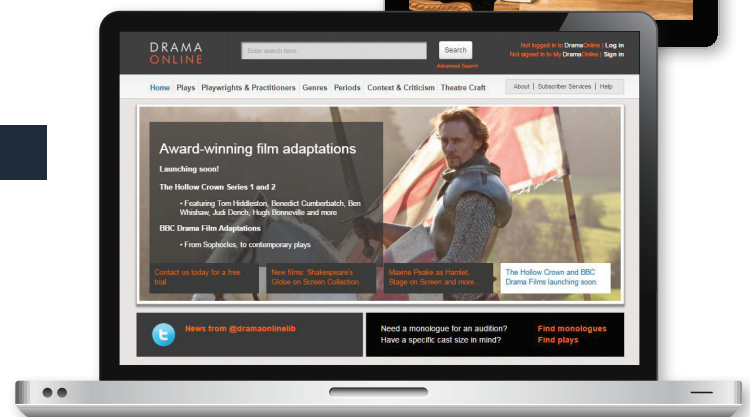
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Video

Shakespeare's Globe on Screen: 21 films recorded live on the Globe stage from leading actors including Mark Rylance, Stephen Fry, and Roger Allam's Olivier Award-winning role as Falstaff in *Henry IV*.

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Hamlet the Film Starring Maxine Peake: A 'landmark' re-invention of Shakespeare's *Hamlet* starring Maxine Peake in the title role.

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► NEW 2016 – 2017 COLLECTIONS

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Playwrights Canada Press: Almost 150 plays from established and emerging Canadian playwrights including plays from notable and award-winning authors such as Daniel MacIvor, Hannah Moscovitch, Colleen Murphy, Yvette Nolan, Donna-Michelle St. Bernard, Jordan Tannahill and Judith Thompson.

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Scholarly Works

The Arden Shakespeare Studies Archive: Provides historical, critical and theoretical background to Shakespeare's life and work for studies in literary theory, textual analysis, performance practice and Elizabethan history.

Bloomsbury Methuen Drama Theatre Studies Archive: Offers companions to theatrical movements, theatre histories, geographies and playwrights and much more.

Bloomsbury Methuen Drama Performing Arts Collection: Covers acting methods such as Stanislavski techniques, improvisation, movement, accent and vocal training and much more.

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