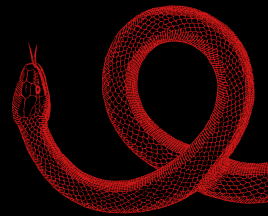
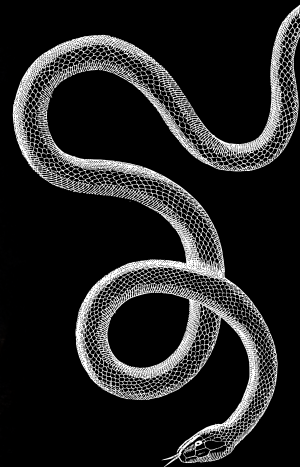


**HAMLET**  
RE-ENVISIONED  
AS



**DARJEELING  
VENOM**

A PLAY BY  
**DIVYANSHU KUMAR**

**28TH DECEMBER 2024**

**SHRI RAM CENTRE,  
MANDI HOUSE**

 **9910919064**

## ABOUT THE GROUP

KSHITIJ theatre group was established in 1987 by few graduates of National School of Drama headed by NSD alumna Bharti Sharma, with the aim of promoting Indian Art & Culture through theatre, by producing Modern and Classical Indian as well as Western plays on human relationships and various social issues and by organizing theatre workshops in remote areas of the country. Since 1987 it has produced several remarkable plays like Tughlaq, Andha Yug, Pahaunch Wala Aadmi, Goli...ek paidayishi ghulam, Barfeeli Aandhi Aur Pistaul Ka Nishana, Shakuntala (in Nagpuri dialect), Nepatthya Raag, Main Hoon Na...(in time & space), Sabse Bada Dharm, Pandit Jagannath, Bade Bhai Sahab aur Bimaar, Elder Son, Begam Zainabadi, Ab Na Banegi Dehri, Purnavataar, Adhe Adhure, Episode In The Life Of An Author, Dilli Jo Ek Shaher Tha, RaagDroh, Peele Scooter Waala Aadmi, Bai aur Shambhu, Guilty My Lord etc., all directed by Bharti Sharma, Hamlet, Chakra, Yayati, Pagla Ghoda, Garbo, Siddharth - pathik uss raah ka, directed by BIPIN KUMAR (N.S.D Graduate), Subarnalata directed by Mrs. KIRTI JAIN (Ex-Director, N.S.D.) and Reflection and Masterpiece directed by MOHIT TRIPATHI. All these plays were highly appreciated by the audience and drama critics. Most of our productions have been awarded the best play of the year by Sahitya Kala Parishad, Delhi and many of these plays have been performed in the BHARAT RANG MAHOTSAVA (International Theatre Festival) organized by National School of Drama every year. The group has also participated in many International and National Theatre Festivals such as Kathmandu International Theatre Festival 2008, National Women Directors' Theatre Festivals, Bhopal and Chandigarh, Odeon Theater Festival, Culcutta and also have been invited by The Indian High Commission in Mauritius to perform in the "Vishwa Hindi Diwas" celebrated on Hindi Day in 2018 through ICCR.

## ABOUT THE PLAY

Set in the beautiful hills of Darjeeling, the story circles around an extremely wealthy and powerful family stuck in the vicious circle of greed, power, ambition and revenge. In this re-envisioning of Shakespeare's 'Hamlet' the story circles around a tragic narrative that explores the destructive nature of ambition and the high price of revenge, the emotional depth, unexpected twists, and a haunting reflection of the human spirit.

## ABOUT THE DIRECTOR



Divyanshu Kumar is an Indian film and theatre director and actor. He has acted in many plays including Tughlaq, Andha Yug, Peele scooter wala aadmi, Karambhoomi, Main hoon na, Guilty my lord and many more (all directed by the renowned theatre personality Bharti Sharma). He has directed a feature film titled 'Udayan' and a short film titled 'Mortuus' that was an official selection for the prestigious Dada Saheb Phalke award, the film was an official selection for many other national and international film festivals. Darjeeling Venom is written and directed by him.



## Cast

Shwetank Deepak

Lakshya Goel

Bharti Sharma

Mehul Krishnani

Ashish Sharma

Shahbaaz Hussain

Harsh Malik

Vaibhav Tripathi

Sunny Singh

Isshanna Shukla

Raja Pandey

Nishant Ken

Sagar Panwar

Lakshay Bansal

Mohan Patel

Kamal Singh

Abhishek Bhardwaj

Lakshita Bhardwaj

Harsh Bansal

Tanisha Tiwari

Rishi Mishra

Aryank Pathak

Akhil Pandey

Abhishek Shukla

Avyukt

Rahul Kumar

Hayden Wilson

Karson Wilson

Gloria Wilson

Harshad Sharma

Hector Wilson

Father John

Prabhu

Porush

Lakshay

Oshma

Jagdeesh

Mac

Dipon

Basu

Abhijeet

Sushil

Murli Dhar

Geeta/Darjeeling Localite

Soul/Pandit/Shooter/Staff

Murli's Wife

Soul/Darjeeling Localite/Staff

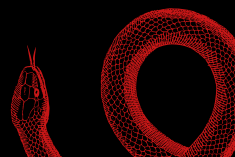
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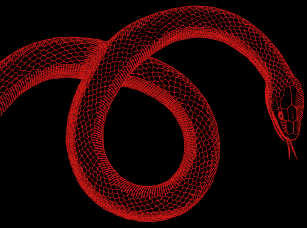
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## Crew

**Written & Directed by:**

**Divyanshu Kumar**

**Assistant Directors:**

**Sunny Singh, Lakshita Bhardwaj &  
Noor Chawla**

**LIGHTS By:**

**Himanshu B. Joshi**

**MUSIC By:**

**Divyanshu Kumar**

**Script Supervisor**

**Rishi Mishra**

**SET:**

**Abdul Hakim, Sunny Singh, Harsh  
Malik, Vaibhav Tripathi, Nishant  
Ken**

**PROPERTIES:**

**Sunny Singh, Sagar Panwar, Noor  
Chawla**

**COSTUME:**

**Lakshita Bhardwaj, Kamal Singh,  
Mohan Patel**

**Printing:**

**Shahbaaz Hussain**

