ALLAN S. GORDON (Producer), has been involved in law, investment banking, and venture capital but his first love has always been the theater. He is delighted to be making his debut as a Broadway producer with *Rent*, which he believes holds a life affirming message for people of all ages and backgrounds. Mr. Gordon frequently participates in film and theatre ventures and in the financing of productions through his investment banking firm, Gordon, Haskett & Co. Mr. Gordon has co-produced numerous theatrical events, including *Sammy Cahn in Person-- Words & Music* in Chicago and the *Real Live Brady Bunch* in cities across the country. Mr. Gordon is a graduate of Harvard Law School and received the 1996 Tony Award for Best Musical for *Rent*.