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Education

New York University M.A. Educational Theatre	2013 - 2014
Wheaton College B.A. English Literature, Theatre	2007 - 2011

Theater Residencies

Grunewald Guild <i>Leavenworth, WA</i> Playwriting Artist in Residence	March/April 2020
Harrison Center for the Arts <i>Indianapolis, IN</i> Playwriting and Directing Artist in Residence	Jan/Feb 2020
Laity Lodge <i>Leakey, TX</i> Playwriting Artist in Residence	October 2019

Written Work

Rasheeda's Freedom Day Screenplay <i>Commissioned by the Harrison Center and The Blue House (Indianapolis, IN)</i>	2021
Rasheeda's Freedom Day and Other Stories Devised Script <i>Commissioned by the Harrison Center (Indianapolis, IN)</i>	2020
We Sail On In Darkness Original Script	2019

Midwinter Original Script <i>Commissioned by Seven Hills Presbyterian Church</i>	2018
Wonder, the Adaptation Adapted script <i>Commissioned by Roxbury Preparatory Charter School</i>	2017
The People Project Devised script <i>Commissioned by Roxbury Preparatory Charter School</i>	2016
Doubtful Joy Devised script <i>New York University</i>	2014
Art in Odd Places <i>New York, NY</i> Staff Writer	2014-2015
Safe Stories Devised script <i>New York University</i>	2013
Prepare Original script <i>Commissioned by City Reformed Presbyterian Church</i>	2012
The Stepmother Devised script <i>Commissioned by Pittsburgh Public Theater</i>	2012
Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra <i>Pittsburgh, PA</i> Staff Writer	2006-2007
Pittsburgh Tribune-Review <i>Pittsburgh, PA</i> Staff Writer	2005-2007

Directing Projects

We Sail On In Darkness <i>San Antonio, TX</i>	2023
We Sail On In Darkness (Staged Reading) <i>San Antonio, TX</i>	2021
Myths and Gifts: A Devised Theatre Project <i>San Antonio Zoo, TX</i>	2020

Rasheeda's Freedom Day and Other Stories <i>Indianapolis, IN</i>	2020
Midwinter <i>Boston, MA</i>	2018
Kings in Judea <i>Boston, MA</i>	2017
The Mousetrap <i>Boston, MA</i>	2017
The People Project <i>Boston, MA</i>	2016
Romeo & Juliet <i>Boston, MA</i>	2016
Doubtful Joy <i>New York, NY</i>	2014
Safe Stories <i>New York, NY</i>	2013
Prepare <i>Pittsburgh, PA</i>	2012
The Stepmother <i>Pittsburgh, PA</i>	2012
The Prisoner's Song <i>Wheaton, IL</i>	2009

Theater Teaching / Facilitating

Tobin Center for the Performing Arts <i>San Antonio, TX</i> Teaching Artist	January 2021-present
Physical Theater Workshops Grace Northridge Anglican Church, San Antonio TX City Reformed Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh PA Laity Lodge, Leakey TX Christ the King Presbyterian Church, Boston MA The Union Project, Pittsburgh PA Carnegie Public Library, Pittsburgh PA	2018-2021

Company One Theatre <i>Boston, MA</i> Teaching Artist	2017-2018
Boston Public Schools Summer Arts Initiatives <i>Boston, MA</i> Teaching Artist	2017
Roxbury Preparatory Charter School <i>Boston, MA</i> Director of Theater Program, Dorchester Campus	2015 - 2017
Brooklyn Acting Lab <i>New York, NY</i> Teaching Artist	2014-2015
New York University <i>New York, NY</i> Teaching Assistant	2014
Metropolitan Center for Research on Equity and the Transformation of Schools <i>New York, NY</i> Teaching Artist	2013-2015
Pittsburgh Public Theater <i>Pittsburgh, PA</i> Education Intern	2011-2012

Performances

An Invitation <i>New York, NY</i>	2015
Love's Labors Lost <i>Wheaton, IL</i>	2014
Pollywog <i>New York, NY</i>	2014
Tonight I Wish I Could Tell <i>New York, NY</i>	2014
Julius Caesar <i>New York, NY</i>	2013
Nickel and Dime <i>Wheaton, IL</i>	2011

The Tempest 2010
Wheaton, IL

The Boyfriend 2009
Wheaton, IL

Additional Experience

Young Playwrights Literary Committee 2011-2015
City Theatre Company, Pittsburgh PA

Shakespeare Monologue and Scene Contest Judge 2012
Pittsburgh Public Theater, Pittsburgh PA