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CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

2014 M.F.A Theatre Design & Production, University of Memphis, Memphis TN
2010 B.A. Theatre Design & Production, University of Northern Iowa, Cedar Falls IA
2007 A.A. Arts & Sciences, Indian Hills Community College, Ottumwa IA

ACADEMIC POSITIONS HELD

Emory University

2014- Faculty Lecturer, Theater Studies
Technical Director, Theater Emory

Other Institutions

2018 Guest Technical Director, Kansas State University, Manhattan KS
2011- 2014 Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Memphis, Memphis TN
2013 Technical Designer/Draftsman, Lipscomb University, Nashville TN
2010- 2011 Graduate Teaching Assistant, Northern Illinois University, DeKalb IL
2008-2010 Assistant Technical Director, University of Northern Iowa, Cedar Falls IA

AWARDS AT EMORY

2016-2017 Fine Faculty Award

THEATER CREATIVE WORK

Work produced that representative of significant professional training and education

Technical Direction

2021	The Infernal Machine	Theater Emory
2021	Viral Plays	Theater Emory

2021	A Human Voice	Theater Emory
2020	Les Blancs	Theater Emory
2020	The White Plague	Theater Emory
2020	Site Specific Spring Show- Devised Work	Theater Emory
2020	<i>Beckett Shorts</i>	Theater Emory
2020	<i>Wooden Nickels</i>	Theater Emory
2020	<i>Brave New Works-</i> Stage reading series	Theater Emory
2019	<i>The Nether</i>	Theater Emory
2019	<i>Boyfreind</i>	Theater Emory
2019	<i>Macbeth-</i> Educational Touring production	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2019	<i>Private Lives-</i> Rotating Rep	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2019	<i>Antony & Cleopatra-</i> Rotating Rep	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2019	<i>Crazy for You</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2019	<i>The Mystery of Irma Vep</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2019	<i>The Adventure of Robin Hood and Maid Marian</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2019	<i>The Tatischeff Café</i>	Theater Emory
2018	<i>The Elaborate Entrance of Chad Deity-</i> Rotating Rep	Theater Emory
2018	<i>The Moors-</i> Rotating Rep	Theater Emory
2018	<i>We Are Proud to Present-</i> Rotating Rep	Theater Emory
2018	<i>Midsummer Night's Dream-</i> Educational Touring production	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2018	<i>Shakespeare in Love-</i> Rotating Rep	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2018	<i>King Richard II-</i> Rotating Rep	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2018	<i>Ragtime</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2018	<i>Twelfth Night</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2018	<i>Alice In Wonderland</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2018	<i>She Kills Monsters</i>	Kansas State University
2018	<i>Screen Stages-</i> A TV Pilot in collaboration with Film Studios	Theater Emory
2018	<i>Brave New Works-</i> Stage reading series	Theater Emory
2017	<i>The Anointing of Dracula: A Grand Guignol</i>	Theater Emory
2017	<i>Midnight Pillow</i>	Theater Emory
2017	<i>Romeo and Juliet-</i> Educational Touring Production	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2017	<i>As You Like It-</i> Rotating Rep	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2017	<i>The Three Musketeers-</i> Rotating Rep	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2017	<i>Evita</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2017	<i>The Hound of the Baskervilles</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2017	<i>Ice Princess</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2017	Custom Film Trailer Build Out- Built and Installed AV Desks	SSD Production Group

2017	<i>Ravished</i>	Theater Emory
2017	<i>A Tempest</i>	Theater Emory
2016	<i>Romeo and Juliet</i>	Theater Emory
2016	<i>Boys from Syracuse</i>	Theater Emory
2016	<i>Hamlet</i> - Educational Touring production	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2016	<i>Taming of the Shrew</i> - Rotating Rep	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2016	<i>Blithe Spirit</i> - Rotating Rep	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2016	<i>West Side Story</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2016	<i>Julius Caesar</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2016	<i>Little Mermaid</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2016	<i>As You Like It</i> - All Male Cast- Rotating Rep	Theater Emory
2016	<i>As You Like It</i> - All Female Cast- Rotating Rep	Theater Emory
2016	<i>Brave New Works</i> - Stage reading series	Theater Emory
2016	<i>The Meantime</i>	Theater Emory
2016	<i>I am a Moon</i>	Theater Emory
2015	<i>Julius Caesar</i> - Educational Touring production	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2015	<i>Henry V</i> - Rotating Rep	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2015	<i>The Foreigner</i> - Rotating Rep	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2015	<i>Around the world in 80 Days</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2015	<i>Rapunzel</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2015	<i>Marisol</i>	Theater Emory
2014	<i>A Pinter Kaleidoscope</i>	Theater Emory
2014	<i>Pinter Revue</i>	Theater Emory
2014	<i>Rosencrantz and Guildenstern Are Dead</i>	University of Memphis
2014	<i>Chess</i>	University of Memphis
2013	<i>The Government Inspector</i>	University of Memphis
2012	<i>The Threepenny Opera</i>	University of Memphis
2012	<i>The Arabian Nights</i>	University of Memphis
2010	<i>The Nutcracker</i> (ATD)	University of Northern Illinois
2010	<i>Count Dracula</i> (ATD)	University of Northern Iowa
2010	<i>Three Tall Women</i>	University of Northern Iowa
2009	<i>Marat/Sade</i> (ATD)	University of Northern Iowa
2009	<i>What I Did Last Summer</i>	University of Northern Iowa
2009	<i>Eurydice</i> (ATD)	University of Northern Iowa
2009	<i>A Day in Hollywood / A Night in the Ukraine</i> (ATD)	University of Northern Iowa
2008	<i>The Balcony Scene</i>	University of Northern Iowa
2008	<i>The Crucible the Opera</i> (ATD)	University of Northern Iowa
2007	<i>Greater Tuna</i>	Indian Hills Community College

Master Carpenter

2012	<i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i> - Educational Touring production	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
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2012	<i>Much Ado About Nothing</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2012	<i>Cat on a Hot Tin Roof</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2012	<i>The Tempest</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2012	<i>Sweeney Todd: The Demon Barber of Fleet Street</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2012	<i>King John</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2012	<i>Snow White f& The Seven Dwarfs</i>	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
2007	<i>Time Out of Rhyme</i>	The Bridge View Center
2005	<i>Robin Hood</i>	IHCC- St. John Auditorium

Deck Chief

2007	<i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i>	University of Northern Iowa
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Lighting Designer

2013	<i>The Pillowman</i>	University of Memphis
2013	<i>Eleemosynary</i>	University of Memphis
2011	<i>Pinocchio</i>	Children's Community Theatre, DeKalb IL
2010	<i>A Christmas Story</i>	Children's Community Theatre, DeKalb IL
2008	<i>The Shape of Things</i>	UNI- Student Theatre Association
2007	<i>Vagina Monologues</i>	UNI- Student Theatre Association
2009	<i>A Day in Hollywood / A Night in the Ukraine (ALD)</i>	University of Northern Iowa
2007	<i>Best of Broadway: A Musical Theatre Revue (ALD)</i>	UNI- Student Theatre Association
2009	<i>Children of Eden</i>	Fairfield Area Community Theatre
2008	<i>Pippin</i>	Fairfield Area Community Theatre
2007	<i>Seussical the Musical</i>	Fairfield Area Community Theatre
2006	<i>Titanic</i>	Fairfield Area Community Theatre
2005	<i>Oliver</i>	Fairfield Area Community Theatre

Master Electrician

2008	<i>The House of Blue Leaves</i>	University of Northern Iowa
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Sound Coordinator/ Designer

2009	<i>Eurydice</i> (Assistant Sound Designer)	University of Northern Iowa
2008	<i>Death of a Salesman</i> (Sound Coordinator)	University of Northern Iowa

TEACHING AT EMORY

Theater Department Courses taught:

2020	THEA_OX 130	Stagecraft
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2020	THEA 385	Technical Direction
2019	THEA 289	Special Topics- Woodworking
2018	THEA 289	Special Topics- Metalworking
2014-2019	THEA 200R	Theatre Practicum
2014-	THEA 130	Stagecraft
2014-	THEA 300R	Production Assistantship
2014-	THEA 330R	Stagecraft Laboratory

Theater Advising/Mentoring

2015-	Department advisor for 5-7 Theater Studies students annually
2015-	Pre-Major Faculty Advising
2014-	Theater Emory technical advisor and mentor- ongoing student and staff mentor in technical problems and solutions in theater production

TEACHING AT OTHER INSTITUTIONS

University of Memphis

Graduate

2012	THEA 7993	Special Problems- Basic AutoCAD
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Undergraduate

2014	THEA 4579/6579	Advanced Scenic Production
2011-2014	THEA 3511	Stagecraft
2011-2014	THEA 2511	Intro Theatre Production
2011-2014	THEA 3605	Scenery Production Lab

Northern Illinois University

Undergraduate

2010-2011	THEA 255/255A	Stage Technology II
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PUBLICATION

Mayer, Aaron, and Adam John Curry. "Et Tu, Blood Pump?" Tech Expo 2017, United States Institute for Theatre Technology, Inc., 2017, pp. 37–38.

SERVICE

University

- 2019- Member, Center for Creativity & Arts Executive Committee
- 2018- Theater Studies Pre-Major Advising Liaison

Theater Studies Department

- 2020- Arts Management Emory College Liaison

- 2020- Arts Health and Safety Committee, Responding to COVID-19
- 2014- Chair, Theater Emory Production Staff Committee
- 2014- Director, Theater Emory Scenery Studio
- 2015-2017 Member, Department Administrative Committee

WORKSHOPS & PRESENTATIONS

- 2017 Workshop Course, Intermediate AutoCAD- Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
- 2017 United States Institute for Theatre Technology Tech Expo Presentation
- 2016 Workshop course, Beginner AutoCAD- Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
- 2016 Presenter, THEA 396 Theater Colloquia, "Summer Stock Employment", Emory University
- 2009 Presenter, United States Institute for Theatre Technology, Education Commission Poster session

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- 2016- Theater Communication Group
- 2015- Southeast Theatre Conference
- 2009- United States Institute for Theatre Technology