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CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

- University of Wisconsin-Madison, Wisconsin School of Business, Madison, WI** 2020 – 2021
Master of Arts-Business: Arts and Creative Enterprise Leadership
- Oklahoma City University, Oklahoma City, OK** 2008 – 2012
Bachelor of Music in Musical Theatre
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ARTS ADMINISTRATION

- Children's Theater of Madison, Madison, WI** 09/20 – Present
Operations Project Manager
- Working with Executive Director and Operations Director to create strategic plan for physical move of office studio space and production scene/costume shop, to temporary space, then the new Madison Youth Arts Center.
 - Assess program space needs for now and the future with Education Director.
 - Scheduling space use for CTM Rehearsals, Workshops, Classes, Staff Meetings, and Board Meetings.
 - Examine and help determine rental rates for community partners and other entities in the Madison Youth Arts Center.
 - Create COVID-19 stepped approach to safety protocols, phased reopening procedure, and capacity usage of Madison Youth Arts Center.

- Children's Theater of Madison, Madison, WI** 09/14 – Present
Resident Artist
- Advise in season planning, introducing dynamic titles fitting CTM's mission and budget for 3 years, focusing on equity, diversity and inclusion.
 - Customize production personnel, roughly 30 per production, by interviewing and auditioning potential actors, designers, and staff.
 - Formulate numerous theatrical productions, directing, choreographing, scheduling, and budget monitoring, resulting in 4 Isthmus Newspaper's "Best of Madison" productions.
 - Build performances for special events, galas, and meetings, working with young people from CTM's Actor's Academy, demonstrating talent and education, building connections with donors.

- Four Seasons Theatre, Madison, WI** 05/15 – Present
Artistic Associate
- Design theatrical seasons to spark community engagement, education, and entertainment, including theatrical shows, outreach events, and lectures.
 - Advise on budgets, timelines, and marketing strategies of productions by working with artistic team to best move FST forward.
 - Directed and/or choreographed theatrical performances, overseeing a staff of designers, actors, technicians, and musicians working together towards one artistic goal.

- OCUstripped, Oklahoma City University, Oklahoma City, OK** 09/10 – 05/12
Producing Artistic Director
- Produced a three-show theatrical season to spark community engagement, education, and entertainment among the students at Oklahoma City University.
 - Devised budgets, timelines, and marketing strategies for productions by working with artistic team.
 - Directed and/or choreographed theatrical performances, overseeing a student staff of designers, actors, technicians, and musicians working together towards one artistic goal.
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DIRECTION & CHOREOGRAPHY

Professional

<i>25th Annual...Spelling Bee+=</i>	<i>Director/Choreographer</i>	<i>Skylight Music Theatre – Milwaukee, WI</i>	<i>2020</i>
<i>Indecent</i>	<i>Choreographer</i>	<i>Music Theatre of Madison – Madison, WI</i>	<i>2020</i>
<i>All Is Calm</i>	<i>Director/Choreographer</i>	<i>Four Seasons Theatre – Madison, WI</i>	<i>2019</i>
<i>Matilda</i>	<i>Director/Choreographer</i>	<i>Children's Theater of Madison – Madison, WI</i>	<i>2019</i>
<i>The Hunchback of Notre Dame</i>	<i>Director/Choreographer</i>	<i>Capital City Theatre – Madison, WI</i>	<i>2018</i>

Tuck Everlasting	Director/Choreographer	Children's Theater of Madison – Madison, WI	2018
Spitfire Grill	Choreographer	Four Seasons Theatre – Madison, WI	2017
Madagascar Live!	Choreographer	Children's Theater of Madison – Madison, WI	2017
Seussical TYA	Director/Choreographer	Children's Theatre of Madison – Madison, WI	2017
Big Fish	Choreographer	Theatre Lila/Four Seasons – Madison, WI	2016
Spamalot	Director/Choreographer	Four Seasons Theatre – Madison, WI	2016
Wizard of Oz	Director/Choreographer	Four Seasons Theatre – Madison, WI	2016
Guys & Dolls	Choreographer	Four Seasons Theatre – Madison, WI	2015
The Taffetas	Director/Choreographer	Clinton Showboat Theatre – Clinton, IA	2014
Kiss Me Kate	Choreographer	Four Seasons Theatre – Madison, WI	2014
Forever Plaid	Director/Choreographer	Clinton Showboat Theatre – Clinton, IA	2013
Godspell	Director/Choreographer	Clinton Showboat Theatre – Clinton, IA	2013
She Loves Me	Choreographer	Clinton Showboat Theatre – Clinton, IA	2013
Les Misérables	Director	Four Seasons Theatre – Madison, WI	2013
She Loves Me	Director/Choreographer	Four Seasons Theatre – Madison, WI	2012
25 th Annual...Spelling Bee	Choreographer	Clinton Showboat Theatre – Clinton, IA	2012
Bye Bye Birdie	Choreographer	Clinton Showboat Theatre – Clinton, IA	2012
Little Shop of Horrors	Choreographer	Clinton Showboat Theatre – Clinton, IA	2012
South Pacific	Director/Choreographer	Four Seasons Theatre – Madison, WI	2010
Academic - Collegiate			
Company	Director/Choreographer	Oklahoma City University – OKC, OK	2017
Bells Are Ringing	Choreographer	Binghamton University – Binghamton, NY	2016
Wild Party	Director/Choreographer	Oklahoma City University – OKC, OK	2012
Cinderella	Choreographer	Oklahoma City University – OKC, OK	2011
Bye Bye Birdie	Choreographer	Oklahoma City University – OKC, OK	2010
But, I'm A Cheerleader (Workshop)	Director/Choreographer	Oklahoma City University – OKC, OK	2010
Academic – High School			
Sound of Music	Choreographer	Edgewood High School – Madison, WI	2020
Mamma Mia	Choreographer	OCU Performing Arts – Oklahoma City, OK	2019
How to Succeed in Business	Choreographer	OCU Performing Arts – Oklahoma City, OK	2019
Big Fish	Director	Middleton High School – Middleton, WI	2018
She Loves Me	Director/Choreographer	Edgewood High School – Madison, WI	2018
Curtains	Director	CTM Summer Stage Academy – Madison, WI	2017
Cinderella	Director/Choreographer	Edgewood High School – Madison, WI	2017
Urinetown	Director/Choreographer	CTM Summer Stage Academy – Madison, WI	2016
Music Man	Director/Choreographer	Edgewood High School – Madison, WI	2016
Guys & Dolls	Director/Choreographer	Edgewood High School – Madison, WI	2013
Thoroughly Modern Millie	Choreographer	Edmund High School – Edmund, OK	2012
Academic – Middle School			
Alice In Wonderland Jr. (Virtual)	Director	CTM Summer Stage – Madison, WI	2020
Seussical Jr.	Director/Choreographer	OCU Performing Arts – Oklahoma City, OK	2019
Little Mermaid Jr.	Director	CTM Summer Stage – Madison, WI	2019
Mary Poppins Jr.	Director/Choreographer	OCU Performing Arts. – Oklahoma City, OK	2018
Shrek Jr.	Director	CTM Summer Stage – Madison, WI	2017
Singin' in the Rain Jr.	Choreographer	CTM Summer Stage – Madison, WI	2017
Legally Blonde Jr.	Director	CTM Summer Stage – Madison, WI	2015
Annie Jr.	Choreographer	CTM Summer Stage – Madison, WI	2014
Honk Jr.	Choreographer	CTM Summer Stage – Madison, WI	2013
Fame Jr.	Director	CTM Summer Stage – Madison, WI	2012
Educational Workshops			
OCU Summer Music Programs	Choreographer	Oklahoma City University – OKC, OK	2020
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Tianjin Conservatory of Music	Choreographer	Tianjin, China	2017
Kristin Chenoweth's Bootcamp	Choreographer	Broken Arrow, OK	2016
OCU Music Theatre Hotspot	Choreographer	Sarasota, FL	2016
Tianjin Conservatory of Music	Choreographer	Tianjin, China	2016

Acting

National/International Tours

<i>Something Rotten!</i>	<i>Ensemble</i> <i>u/s Nostradamus, Brother Jeremiah</i>	<i>Work Light Productions</i> <i>Seoul, South Korea</i>	<i>2018 - 2019</i> <i>2019</i>
<i>Annie</i>	<i>Ensemble - Mr. Bundles</i> <i>Dance Captain, u/s FDR</i>	<i>Troika Entertainment</i> <i>Calgary & Edmonton, Canada</i>	<i>2014 - 2017</i> <i>2017</i>

Regional

<i>Peter Pan</i>	<i>Smee</i>	<i>Children's Theatre of Madison - Madison, WI</i>	<i>2020</i>
<i>The Producers</i>	<i>Ensemble</i>	<i>Palace Theatre - Manchester, NH</i>	<i>2014</i>
<i>A Christmas Carol</i>	<i>Narrator</i>	<i>Palace Theatre - Manchester, NH</i>	<i>2013</i>
<i>Spamalot</i>	<i>Patsy</i>	<i>The Palace Theatre - Manchester, NH</i>	<i>2013</i>
<i>25th Annual...Spelling Bee</i>	<i>William Barfee</i>	<i>Clinton Showboat Theatre - Clinton, IA</i>	<i>2012</i>
<i>Bye Bye Birdie</i>	<i>Albert</i>	<i>Clinton Showboat Theatre - Clinton, IA</i>	<i>2012</i>
<i>Into the Woods</i>	<i>The Baker</i>	<i>Clinton Showboat Theatre - Clinton, IA</i>	<i>2012</i>
<i>The Drowsy Chaperone</i>	<i>George</i>	<i>Clinton Showboat Theatre - Clinton, IA</i>	<i>2011</i>
<i>High Fidelity</i>	<i>Rob Gordon</i>	<i>Clinton Showboat Theatre - Clinton, IA</i>	<i>2011</i>
<i>Altar Boyz</i>	<i>Mark</i>	<i>Clinton Showboat Theatre - Clinton, IA</i>	<i>2011</i>