

MADELEINE SHOWS

COSTUME DESIGNER

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COSTUMES EXPERIENCE

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Dark Side of the Rainbow - Foggy Notion Physical Theatre - Dir. Laura Hart and Liv Shine - 2024

Candy - Candy Girl - Music Video - dir. Martin Levy - 2023

Vinegar Tom - Depaul University - Dir. Christine Freije - 2023

Henry IV - DePaul University - Dir. Chris Anthony - 2022

Everybody - DePaul University - Dir. Christine Freije - 2021

ASSISTANT DESIGNER

Coronation - Refracted Theatre Company - Dir. Tova Wolff - Cos. Design Gregory Graham - 2024

Tartuffe - Depaul University - Dir. Christine Freije - Cos. Design Grace Onofrey - 2022

RESEARCH ASSISTANT

RENT, The Munny - Cos. Design by Raquel Adorno - 2023

STITCHER

Happy Days (Are Here Again) - Steep Theatre - Dir. Kazar Azemi - 2024

Much Ado About Nothing, DePaul University - Dir. Rebecca Willingham - 2022

WARDROBE

The Rover, DePaul University - Dir. Melanie Queponds, Cos. Design by Isabelle Laursen - 2020

RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE

Costume Craftsperson | Lemonbrat Studios | Nov 2023 - May 2023

Carving foam structures and drafting patterns for specialty / sculptural costume pieces

Costume Shop Assistant | The Theatre School at Depaul University | Sept. 2021 - Aug 2023

Costume stock management, stitching, laundry, organizing shop materials, facilitating costume rentals for student led productions,, costume crafts work

SKILLS

- Draping and flat patterning
- Alterations and construction
- Digital and traditional illustration
- Facilitating costume fittings/tracking alterations
- Experience with industrial equipment
- Aging, dyeing, and distressing
- Creation/management of show paperwork (budgets, piece lists, etc.)
- Millinery
- Experience with historical costuming and knowledge of history of fashion
- Experience in costume shop setting, coordinating with stitchers, firsthands, drapers and management

EDUCATION

BFA Costume Design | The Theatre School at DePaul University - Sept 2019 - June 2023

REFERENCES

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