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EDUCATION

MFA- Yale School of Drama 1992
BFA-Carnegie Mellon 1985

SELECTED COSTUME DESIGN CREDITS

THEATER	PRODUCTION	DIRECTOR
Opera Omaha	Ariadne auf Naxos	Chas Rader-Shieber
Austin Opera	Ofrenda	John de los Santos
	The Bat (Die Fledermaus in Austin)	Rod Caspers
Pioneer Theater Company	Prayer for the French Republic	Karen Azenberg
	Christmas at Pemberly	Julie Kramer
	A Comedy of Tenors	Wes Grantom
	Lifespan of a Fact	Wes Grantom
	Other Desert Cities	Charles Morey
	The Tempest	Charles Morey
	Hamlet	Charles Morey
	Our Town	Charles Morey
	A Chorus Line	Patti D'Beck
	A Midsummer Night's Dream	Paul Barnes
	My Fair Lady	Charles Morey
	Romeo and Juliet	Paul Barnes
	Chicago	Chales Morey
	Julius Caesar	Charles Morey
	Disney's Beauty and the Beast	Paul Barnes
	Macbeth	Charles Morey
	Richard III	Charles Morey
	Rosencrantz and Guildenstern…	Charles Morey
	King Lear	Charles Morey
	Tartuffe	Charles Morey
	Sophisticated Ladies	Patti D'Beck
Curtis Institute of Music	The Dangerous Liaisons	Chas Rader-Shieber
	The Turn of the Screw	Chas Rader-Shieber
Repertory Theater of St. Louis	A Midsummer Night's Dream	Paul Barnes
Denver Center Theater Company	The Taming of the Shrew	Kent Thompson
	King Lear	Kent Thompson
	A Flea in Her Ear	Kent Thompson
	The Diary of Anne Frank	Paul Barnes

Geva Theater Company	Sylvia	Mark Cuddy
	Spamalot	Melissa Rain Anderson
Syracuse Stage	Deathtrap	Paul Barnes
	Peter Pan	Paul Barnes
	White Christmas	Paul Barnes
Virginia Stage Company	A Midsummer Night's Dream	Paul Barnes
Alabama Shakespeare Festival	Rocket City	David Ellenstein
	Crowns	Janet Cleveland
	Twelfth Night	Gavin Cameron Webb
	The Taming of the Shrew	Susan Willis
	The Real Thing	Bruce Sevy
ZACH Theater	Annie	Cassie Abate
	The Wizard of Oz	Dave Steakley
	Natasha, Pierre & the Great Comet…	Dave Steakley
	The Rocky Horror Show	Dave Steakley
	The Sound of Music	Dave Steakley
	Once	Dave Steakley
	Sunday in the Park with George	Dave Steakley
	One Man, Two Guvnors	Abe Reybold
	Sophisticated Ladies	Abe Reybold
	A Christmas Carol	Dave Steakley
	The Who's Tommy	Dave Steakley
	A Christmas Story	Dave Steakley
	Vanya & Sonya & Masha & Spike	Abe Reybold
	Smokey Joe's Café	Dave Steakley
	One Night with Janis Joplin	Randy Johnson
	Harvey	Dave Steakley
	Ragtime	Dave Steakley
	Xanadu	Nick Demos
	Hairspray	Dave Steakley
	Dividing the Estate	Steven Dietz
	God of Carnage	Matt Lenz
	August: Osage County	Dave Steakley
	The Drowsy Chaperone	Nick Demos
	Our Town	Dave Steakley
	The 25th Annual…Spelling Bee	Dave Steakley
	The Grapes of Wrath	Dave Steakley
	Jesus Christ Superstar	Dave Steakley
	Present Laughter	Dave Steakley
	Urinetown	Dave Steakley
	Aida	Matt Lenz
	Love! Valour! Compassion!	Matt Lenz
	The Laramie Project	Dave Steakley
	Jelly's Last Jam	Dave Steakley
Conspirare/PBS	Considering Matthew Shepard	Elliot Forrest

Utah Shakespeare Festival	Troilus and Cressida	Paul Barnes
	The Taming of the Shrew	Peggy Shannon
	Twelfth Night	Bruce Sevy
	The Winter's Tale	James Edmondson
Ballet Austin	The Magic Flute	Stephen Mills
	Director's Choice: To Here	Jennifer Hart
	Liminal Glam	Stephen Mills
	Songs of Innuendo	Stephen Mills
	Cult of Color (Assoc. to Trenton Doyle)	Stephen Mills
New York City Opera	Griffelkin	Johnathin Pape
Jarrott Productions	Deathtrap	David Jarrott
	Dial M for Murder	David Jarrott
	The Price	Fritz Ketchum
	Freud's Last Session	Fritz Ketchum
Skylight Music Theater	The Producers	Mark Lococo
	Oklahoma!	Craig North
	A Little Night Music	Elaine Petricoff
	A Funny Thing Happened…Forum	Roger Bean
	Falsettos	Elaine Petricoff
	Sweeney Todd	Johnathon Pape
	She Loves Me	Dorothy Danner
	L'Exiir d"Amore	Dorothy Danner
	Ain't Misbehavin'	Craig North
	The Pirates of Penzance	Roger Bean
	Semele	Chas Rader-Shieber
Maltz Jupiter Theater	Master Class	Marcia Milgrom Dodge
Riverside Theater	Blythe Spirit	Marcia Milgrom Dodge
Circle in the Square (Off B'way)	Hello Muddah! Hello Fadduh!	Michael Leeds
Blue Light Theater Co. (Off B'way)	Two Gentlemen of Veronal	Dylan Baker
Opening Doors Theater (Off B'way)	Anything Cole	Tom Klebba
	On A Clear Day, You Can See Forever	Tom Klebba
Opera Ensemble of New York	She Loves Me	John J.D. Sheehan
	The Crucible (Opera)	John J. D. Sheehan
Yale Repertory Theater	The Beauty Part	Walton Jones

Additional Companies:

Little Theater on the Square, Music Theater North, Zilker Theater Productions, Equity Library Theater, Austin Musical Theater, Ground Floor Theater, Stonewall Theater, Yale Cabaret

ACADEMIC THEATER

St. Edward's University /Mary Moody Northen Theater	An Enemy of the People	Kasey R.T. Graham
	She Kills Monsters	Marcus Mc Quirter
	Urinetown	Kasey R.T. Graham
	In the Amazon Warehouse Parking Lot	Trace Turner
	Nunsense: The Mega Remix	C. Patrick Gendusa
	Macbeth	Marcus McQuirter
	Into the Woods	Jenny Lavery
	Godspell	Anna Skidid Vargas
	These Shining Lives	Lara Toner
	The Book Club Play	Anna Skidis Vargas
	The 25th Annual…Spelling Bee	Rick Roemer
	The Three Musketeers	Megan Monaghan Rivas
	ANON(ymous)	Michelle Polgar
	Romeo and Juliet	Robert Tolaro
	The Resistible Rise of Arturo Ui	David Long
	Cabaret	Danny Herman
	She Loves Me	Nick Mayo
	The Robber Bridegroom	Danny Herman
	Hamlet	Michelle Polgar
	Museum	David Long
	Merrily We Roll Along	Ev Lunning
	The Secret Garden	Robert Westenberg
	The Crucible	Michelle Polgar
	Carousel	Michael McKelvey
	The Life of Galileo	Michelle Polgar
Texas State University	Rodger's & Hammerstein's Cinderella	Aaron M. Brown
	All Shook Up	Kaitlin Hopkins
Harvard University/Hasty Pudding	Paradise Lost-and-Found	Tony Parisi
University of Texas at Austin	Fefu and Her Friends	Leslie Swackhammer
	Once in a Lifetime	Lucien Douglas
Cornell University	Amadeus	David Feldshuh
University of Idaho	Into The Woods	David Lee-Painter
Yale School of Drama	Twelfth Night	Daniel Elihu Kramer

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

St. Edward's University	Associate Professor of Practice in Costume Design: 2012- present
University of Idaho	Adjunct Instructor in Costume Design
University of Texas at Austin	Drawing and Rendering Workshops
University of Utah	Drawing and Rendering Workshops