

# Curriculum Vitae for Alisa Sickora

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## QUALIFICATIONS

I have been teaching and developing college-level courses, both in-person and online, for nearly two decades, mentored a number of regionally and nationally recognized theatre designers and technicians and have managed an academic costume shop where students are trained in draping, patterning, cutting, construction, craftwork and hair. In addition to my tenure as an educator, I am an accomplished costume, mask, puppet, makeup and themed entertainment designer/fabricator, have produced original works, apprenticed a number of individuals, introducing them into the professional theatre/entertainment communities and am the founder of Scared of my Shadow, a company specializing in art masks and concept driven costuming. I have also conducted numerous workshops in FX makeup, puppetry and state-of-the-industry topics. My fine art training has highly influenced my sculptural approach to design and fabrication and is at the heart of my “maker” style of teaching and producing. My experience in 3D modeling, printing and laser cutting applications has further allowed me to fold evolving technologies into my more traditional design practices and academic pursuits.

## EDUCATION

M.A.H with distinction: 4.0 GPA; Arcadia University; Glenside, PA.

B.A. Studio Art with a concentration in Sculpture and Ceramics, Bloomsburg University; Bloomsburg, PA, Magna cum Laude; Phi Kappa Phi.

Theater Arts, performance concentration and English, Muhlenberg College; Allentown, PA.

## CURRENT POSITION

**Soft Goods Fabrication Lead**, CJS Workshop; Groton, MA. Jan 2024-August 2024

**Owner**, Scared of my Shadow; Groton, MA 2014-present.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**Adjunct Professor, Theatre Program**, Arcadia University, Glenside, PA. Costume Design, Puppet Theatre, Stage Makeup, Advanced Stage Makeup and Prosthetics, Costume Construction, Mold-making and Casting, Creating Your Portfolio, Business of the Arts, Costume Craftwork, Stage Practicum and Crew, and numerous Independent Studies. 2004-2021.

**Adjunct Professor, Art Department**, Arcadia University, Glenside, PA. Teaching Art Foundations, 2014-2016; Digital Fabrication, 2018.

**Guest Lecturer**, Morbid Anatomy, Brooklyn, NY. Special topics, 2021-present.

**Guest Lecturer, Theatre Department**, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA. Graduate Theatre Design, 2015.

**Guest Lecturer, Theatre Department**, Muhlenberg College, Allentown, PA. Mask Making, 2010. FX makeup, 2009.

**Guest Lecturer, Theatre Department**, Bucknell University, Lewisburg, PA. Masks and Meaning, 2004.

**Instructor, Theatre Department**, Bloomsburg University, Bloomsburg, PA. Mask Construction, 2000.

**Digital Fabrication Shop Manager**, Arcadia University, Glenside, PA 2021. Managing a lab and overseeing student projects.

## ACADEMIC STAFF

**Costume Shop Manager**, Arcadia University, Glenside, PA 2004-2021. Managing a staff of twelve to sixteen work-study students in patterning, cutting, draping, stitching, craftwork, wardrobe and wig for all Arcadia productions and beyond. The shop is very build focused.

**Resident Designer**, Arcadia University, Glenside, PA 2004-2021.

**Digital Fabrication Tech**, Arcadia University, Glenside, PA 2021-present

## THEATRICAL COSTUME

2021	<b>The Pit</b>	Alisa Sickora Kleckner, Damien Figueras	Arcadia University
2020	<b>All's Well That Ends Well</b>	Tai Verley	Arcadia University
2021	<b>CLICK</b>	Michael Osinsky	Arcadia University
2020	<b>The Resistible Rise of Arturo Ui</b>	Michael Osinsky	Arcadia University
2019	<b>Circle Mirror Transformation</b>	Jill Harrison	Arcadia University
2019	<b>Nevermore</b>	Aaron McAllister	Arcadia University
2018	<b>UBU Roi</b>	Francine Roussel	Muhlenberg College
2017	<b>Great American Trailer Park Musical</b>	Aaron McAllister	Arcadia University
2017	<b>Happy Birthday</b>	Trey Lyford	1812 Productions
2017	<b>Spitfire Grill</b>	Mark Wade	Arcadia Univeristy
2017	<b>Stop Kiss</b>	Dan D'abilis	Arcadia Univeristy
2015	<b>Miss Julie</b>	Ken Marini	Arcadia Univeristy
2015	<b>New Perspectives</b>	Mark Wade	Arcadia Univeristy
2015	<b>Forbidden Broadway's Greatest Hits</b>	Tony Braithwaite	Act II Playhouse
2015	<b>Shout!</b>	Rebecca Simon	Arcadia University
2015	<b>Eurydice</b>	Allison Heishman	Arcadia University
2014	<b>Man of La Mancha</b>	Aaron Cromie	Act II Playhouse
2014	<b>The Mystery of Irma Vep</b>	Jared Reed	Hedgerow Theatre
2014	<b>Grimm Brothers Spectaculathon</b>	Kevin Glaccum	Arcadia University
2014	<b>The Prescott Method</b>	Greg Wood	Arcadia University
2014	<b>FML:How Carson McCullers Saved My Life</b>	Kathryn Petersen	Arcadia University
2014	<b>Harvey</b>	Jill Harrison	Arcadia University
2013	<b>Lend Me a Tenor</b>	Bud Martin	Act II Playhouse
2013	<b>Big Time</b>	Jennifer Childs	1812 Productions
2013	<b>To Fool the Eye</b>	Jennifer Childs	1812 Productions
2013	<b>Lend Me a Tenor</b>	Bud Martin	Delaware Theatre Co.
2013	<b>Emma</b>	Kathryn MacMillan	Lantern Theatre Co.
2013	<b>A Midsummer's Night Dream</b>	Adrienne Mackey	Arcadia University
2013	<b>Rabbit Hole</b>	Allison Heishman	Arcadia University
2013	<b>Meshuggah-Nuns!</b>	Mark Wade	Arcadia University
2013	<b>On the Verge</b>	Ken Marini	Arcadia University
2012	<b>Boston Marriage</b>	Jennifer Childs	1812 Productions
2012	<b>The Giant Squid</b>	Adrienne Mackey	Berserker Residents
2012	<b>Slip/Shot</b>	Rebecca Wright	Flashpoint Theatre Co.
2012	<b>Proof</b>	Kevin Glaccum	Arcadia University
2012	<b>The House of Bernarda Alba</b>	Mark Wade, Kathryn Petersen	Arcadia University
2012	<b>The Children's Hour</b>	Kathryn Petersen	Arcadia University
2011	<b>The Mystery of Irma Vep</b>	Harriet Powers	Act II Playhouse
2011	<b>Our Show of Shows</b>	Jennifer Childs	1812 Productions
2011	<b>Act a Lady</b>	Kevin Gaccum	Azuka Theatre
2011	<b>Terrible Girls</b>	Allison Heishman	Azuka Theatre
2011	<b>Lady M</b>	Adrienne Mackey	Swim Pony
2011	<b>The Swing of the Sea</b>	Mark Wade	Arcadia University
2011	<b>Metamorphoses</b>	Ceal Phalen	Arcadia University
2011	<b>Julius Caesar</b>	Mark Wade	Arcadia University
2010	<b>This Is The Week That Is</b>	Jennifer Childs	1812 Productions
2010	<b>Happily Ever After</b>	Jennifer Childs	1812 Productions
2010	<b>Annihilation Point</b>	Dan Rothenberg	Berserker Residents

2010	<b>Carrie</b>	Michael Alltop	Brat Productions
2010	<b>1000 Cranes</b>	Mary Jo Lodge	Lafayette College
2010	<b>Blood Wedding</b>	Francine Roussel	Muhlenberg College
2010	<b>The Three Musketeers: the later years</b>	Pete Pryor	People's Light and Theatre Company
2010	<b>Vanities</b>	Paul Meshejian	Arcadia University
2010	<b>The Physicists</b>	Jared Reed	Arcadia University
2010	<b>The Misanthrope</b>	David O'Conner	Arcadia University
2009	<b>This Is The Week That Is</b>	Jennifer Childs	1812 Productions
2009	<b>First Day of School</b>	Pete Pryor	1812 Productions
2009	<b>Long Christmas Ride Home</b>	Aaron Cromie	Azuka Theatre
2009	<b>Haunted Poe</b>	Madi Distefano	Brat Productions
2009	<b>CAW</b>	Charles Anderson, Troy Dwyer	Muhlenberg College
2009	<b>The Princess Rescuers</b>	Mary McCool	Arcadia University
2009	<b>Home</b>	Mark Wade	Arcadia University
2009	<b>Beyond Therapy</b>	Peter Reynolds	Arcadia University
2008	<b>Songs for a New World</b>	Peter Reynolds	Act II Playhouse
2008	<b>Body of Water</b>	Gene Frank	Act II Playhouse
2008	<b>Kid-Simple</b>	Kevin Glaccum	Azuka Theatre
2008	<b>Tuna Christmas</b>	Madi Distefano	Walnut Street Theatre
2008	<b>The Women</b>	Paul Meshejian	Arcadia University
2008	<b>Rocky Horror Picture Show</b>	Kevin Glaccum	Arcadia University
2008	<b>Waiting for Lefty</b>	Paul Meshejian	Arcadia University
2008	<b>The Tempest</b>	Ceal Phalen	Arcadia University
2008	<b>Wind in the Willows</b>	Mark Wade	Arcadia University
2007	<b>I Sent a Letter to My Love</b>	Frank Anzalone	Act II Playhouse
2007	<b>Orpheus Descending</b>	Francine Roussel	Muhlenberg College
2007	<b>Greater Tuna</b>	Madi Distefano	Walnut Street Theatre
2007	<b>Carnival!</b>	Janet Pilla	Arcadia University
2007	<b>The Love of the Nightingale</b>	Mark Wade	Arcadia University
2007	<b>Hearsay</b>	Kathryn Petersen	Arcadia University
2007	<b>The Three Sisters</b>	Paul Meshejian	Arcadia University
2006	<b>Closer Than Ever</b>	Bill Roudebush	Act II Playhouse
2006	<b>Pete-N-Keely</b>	Ken Marini	Act II Playhouse
2006	<b>T'was the Night</b>	Tom Reing	Azuka Theatre
2006	<b>Eye-95 Re-tarred</b>	Madi Distefano	Brat Productions
2006	<b>I love You, You're Perfect, Now Change</b>	Andy Gale	Muhlenberg College
2006	<b>Pillow of Kantan</b>	John Reimer	Muhlenberg College
2006	<b>Godspell</b>	Janet Pilla	Arcadia University
2006	<b>The Heidi Chronicles</b>	Kate Haney	Arcadia University
2006	<b>Savage in Limbo</b>	Nora Berger-Green	Arcadia University
2006	<b>The Little Shop of Horrors</b>	Janet Pilla	Arcadia University
2005	<b>Good Evening</b>	Pete Pryor	Act II Playhouse
2005	<b>T'was the Night</b>	Domenick Scudera	Azuka Theatre
2005	<b>George M!</b>	Charles Richter	Muhlenberg College
2005	<b>Lures and Snares</b>	Beth Schachter	Muhlenberg College
2005	<b>Keely and Du</b>	Mark Wade	Arcadia University
2005	<b>Electra</b>	Rosemary Hay	Arcadia University
2005	<b>Buried Child</b>	Paul Meshejian	Arcadia University
2005	<b>Comedy of Errors</b>	Rosemary Hay	Arcadia University
2005	<b>The Actor's Nightmare</b>	Drucie Mc Daniel	Arcadia University
2004	<b>Tartuffe</b>	Francine Roussel	Muhlenberg College
2004	<b>The Laramie Project</b>	Mark Wade	Arcadia University

2004	<b>Women and Wallace</b>		Christian Lisak	Arcadia University
2004	<b>Once on this Island</b>		Reva Fox	Arcadia University
2004	<b>The Real Inspector Hound</b>		Madi Distefano	Arcadia University
2004	<b>The Rivals</b>		Ian Rose	Arcadia University
2003	<b>Electra</b>		Francine Roussel	Muhlenberg College
2002	<b>The Trojan Women</b>	Karen Anselm, Alisa Kleckner		Bloomsburg University
2001	<b>Romeo and Juliet</b>		Michael Collins	Bloomsburg University
2000	<b>The Suicide</b>		Michael Collins	Bloomsburg University
2000	<b>The Adventures of Tom Sawyer</b>	Laurie McCants		Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble
1999	<b>Jungle Book</b>	Laurie McCants		Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble

## COSTUME, OTHER

2022		Costume Director, Lincoln Mill Haunt	Manayunk, PA
2016-2018		Costume Director, Terror Behind the Walls	Philadelphia, PA
2012-2015		Bates Motel and Haunted Hayride	Glen Mills, PA
2012-2015		Pennhurst Asylum	Spring City, PA
2003		Bethlehem First Night, mascot	Bethlehem, PA
2003		Fairtime Food and Fun, mascot	Bloomsburg, PA
2002		Hazleton First Night, mascot	Hazleton, PA

## PUPPET

2020	<b>Leona Lionheart</b>	various	Milwaukee Zoo
2018	<b>#PETS</b>	Table top	Milwaukee Zoo
2018	<b>The Visit</b>	various	Mont. County Comm. College
2016	<b>How the Grinch Stole Christmas</b>	various	Lafayette College
2016	<b>MIDWAY</b>	various tabletop	Arcadia University
2015	<b>Christmas Carol</b>	Ghost puppets	Hedgerow Theatre
2015	<b>Don Quixote</b>	animal shadow puppets	Hedgerow Theatre
2014	<b>Cat in the Hat</b>	the fish	Arden Theatre
2014	<b>Grimm Brothers Spectaculathon</b>	Horse	Arcadia University
2013	<b>Ferdinand the Bull</b>	Bull, baby bull, mama cow	Enchantment Theatre Co.
2013	<b>Meshuggah-Nuns!</b>	Muppet-style nun	Arcadia University
2013	<b>ALIVE!</b>	various tabletop	Arcadia University
2012	<b>Mother Goose</b>	boy	Enchantment Theatre Co.
2012	teaching puppets	Larval Bunraku-style	Enchantment Theatre Co.
2011	<b>Sylvester and the Magic Pebble</b>	young Sylvester	Enchantment Theatre Co.
2011	<b>Rocky Horror Show</b>	life-sized Rocky	Pennsylvania University
2011	<b>Mistakes Were Made</b>	Denise the fish	1812 Productions
2010	<b>Jungle Book</b>	Mowgli, baby Mowgli, mother	Lafayette College
2010	<b>A Tale of Two Brains</b>	various	Little Bunny Voodoo
2009	<b>Visit to a Small Planet</b>	various tabletop	Arcadia University
2009	<b>Haunted Poe</b>	Edgar Allen Poe and friends	Brat Productions
2009	<b>Urinetown</b>	1/2 scale likenesses of two actors	Lafayette College
2009	<b>Fractured Scarytales: The Black Cat</b>	various	Little Bunny Voodoo
2008	<b>The Tempest</b>	set puppets, harpy	Arcadia University
2008	<b>Twelfth Night</b>	Duke	Lafayette College
2008	<b>The Un-Huggables</b>	3 Muppet-style rats	Public Eye
2008	<b>LIVE! LIVE! LIVE!-hoity meets the 'hood</b>	various	Little Bunny Voodoo

2007	<b>Carnival!</b>	Muppet-style puppets	Arcadia University
2007	<b>Not in My Neighborhood</b>	various	Public Eye
2007	<b>Late Night at the Tiki Bar</b>	various	Little Bunny Voodoo
2006	<b>Kids Quest</b>	various animals	Once Upon a Nation
2006	<b>The Little Shop of Horrors</b>	all the plants	Arcadia University
2005	<b>Good Evening</b>	rod puppet	Act II Playhouse
2005	<b>Personals</b>	giant Mr. Potato head	Act II Playhouse
2004	<b>Once on this Island</b>	girl	Arcadia University
2004	<b>The Alexander Carry-On</b>	consultant	Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble
2004	<b>Jungle Book</b>	snake	Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble
2004	<b>Dracula: The Renfield Diaries</b>	dancer bone appendages	Bucknell University
2002	<b>Just so Stories</b>	various	Touchstone Theatre
2002	<b>Shakuntala</b>	build assistant	Bucknell University
2002	<b>FNU LNU</b>	alligator hand puppets	Theatre Outlet
2002	<b>The Trojan Women</b>	child	Bloomsburg University

## MASK

2021	<b>The Pit</b>		Arcadia University
2018	<b>Rhinoceros</b>		Arcadia University
2018	<b>UBU Roi</b>		Muhlenberg College
2018	<b>Mr. Burns: A post electric play</b>		Villanova University
2017	various base masks		Enchantment Theatre Co.
2015	<b>Brave Little Tailor</b>		Enchantment Theatre Co.
2012-2015	various	Bates Motel and Haunted Hayride	
2012-2015	various	Pennhurst Asylum	
2014	<b>Mother Goose</b>		Enchantment Theatre Co.
2014	<b>The Fisherman and the Flounder</b>		Enchantment Theatre Co.
2014	<b>The Mystery of Irma Vep</b>		Hedgerow Theatre
2013	<b>Sylvester and the Magic Pebble</b>		Enchantment Theatre Co.
2010	<b>Blood Wedding</b>		Muhlenberg College
2009	<b>Haunted Poe</b>		Brat Productions
2009	<b>The Grecian Formula</b>		Followspot Entertainment
2009	<b>CAW</b>		Muhlenberg College
2008	Neutral mask set		Arcadia University
2008	<b>Wind in the Willows</b>		Arcadia University
2007	<b>The Love of the Nightingale</b>		Arcadia University
2006	<b>Pillow of Kantan</b>		Muhlenberg College
2004	<b>Dracula: The Renfield Diaries</b>		Bucknell University
2004	<b>The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe</b>		Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble
2003	training masks		Touchstone Theatre
2003	<b>The Fantasticks</b>		Muhlenberg College
2003	<b>Tales from the Arabian Nights</b>		Bloomsburg University
2002	<b>The Trojan Women</b>		Bloomsburg University
2002	Commedia training masks		Muhlenberg College
2001	<b>East of the Sun, West of the Moon</b>		Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble
1999	<b>Jungle Book</b>		Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble

## MAKEUP

2022	Custom prosthetic transfers	Lincoln Mill Haunt
2017	Custom prosthetic transfers	Azuka Theatre
2014	Cover and center fold	Aspira Magazine
2012-present	Prosthetic transfers, appliance sculpts	Bates Motel/Haunted Hayride
2013	<b>Black Days</b> pilot for SyFy Channel	Automatic Art Pictures
2011	<b>The Mystery of Irma Vep</b> ; silicone prosthetic	Act II Playhouse
2009	<b>Haunted Poe</b> ; Various FX	Brat Productions
2009	<b>The Princess Rescuers</b> ; Character	Arcadia University
2008	<b>Wind in the Willows</b> ; Character	Arcadia University
2006	<b>Pillow of Kantan</b> ; Character	Muhlenberg College
2002	<b>Anything's Dream</b> ; Prosthetic Ears	Muhlenberg College
2001	<b>Persona Au Gratin</b> ; Blood FX	Red Monkey Films
2000	<b>Bat Boy</b> ; Prosthetic Ears, dental appliance	Theatre Outlet
2000	<b>Into the Woods</b> ; Witch and wolf	Bloomburg University
1999	<b>Jungle Book</b> ; Character makeups	Bloomburg Theatre Ensemble

## FILM

2021	<b>Impuratus</b>	Wardrobe supervisor	IMPURATUS, LLC
2002	<b>Persona Au Gratin</b>	Production Designer	Red Monkey Films, NYC

## PRODUCTION DESIGN, CHILDREN'S THEATRE

2005	Summerstage	People's Light and Theatre Company
2004	Summerstage	People's Light and Theatre Company
2002	<b>Following the Drinking Gourd</b>	Bloomburg Theatre Ensemble
2001	<b>Y1K</b>	Bloomburg Theatre Ensemble
2000	<b>Passage to America</b>	Bloomburg Theatre Ensemble

## PLAYWRITING/ DEvised/ IMMERSIVE THEATRE

2022	<b>Lincoln Mill Haunt narrative</b>	Manayunk, PA
2020-21	<b>The Pit</b>	Arcadia University
2016	<b>MIDWAY</b>	Arcadia University
2013	<b>ALIVE!</b>	Arcadia University
2010	<b>A Tale of Two Brains</b>	Little Bunny Voodoo *Co-founder of company
2009	<b>Fractured Scary Tales: The Black Cat</b>	Little Bunny Voodoo
2008	<b>LIVE! LIVE! LIVE!-hoity meets the 'hood</b>	Little Bunny Voodoo
2007	<b>Late Night at the Tiki Bar</b>	Little Bunny Voodoo

## DIRECTING

2021	<b>The Pit</b>	co-director, Damien Figueras	Arcadia University
2013	<b>ALIVE!</b>	co-director, Scott Cassidy	Arcadia University
2010	<b>A Tale of Two Brains</b>		Little Bunny Voodoo
2009	<b>Fractured Scary Tales: The Black Cat</b>		Little Bunny Voodoo
2009	<b>Visit to a Small Planet</b>		Arcadia University
2008	<b>LIVE! LIVE! LIVE!-hoity meets the 'hood</b>		Little Bunny Voodoo
2007	<b>Late Night at the Tiki Bar</b>	co-director, Chris Kleckner	Little Bunny Voodoo

## PROPS

2014	Severed head	<b>Macbeth</b>	Arden Theatre
2014	Living portrait	<b>Grimm Brothers Spectaculathon</b>	Arcadia University
2011	Molded & cast tree bark	<b>The Swing of the Sea</b>	Arcadia University
2009	Body parts	<b>Haunted Poe</b>	Brat Productions
2003	Life sized crucifix	<b>Catholic School Girls</b>	Arcadia University
2001	Props Master	<b>Rose Tattoo</b>	Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble
2001	Props Master	<b>Holiday</b>	Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble
2001	Props Master	<b>Arcadia</b>	Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble
2000	Attraction sculptor		Renaissance Entertainment Technologies
2000	Props Master	<b>Lebensraum</b>	Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble
2000	Props Master	<b>Betrayal</b>	Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble
2000	Props Master	<b>Tempest</b>	Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble

## WORKSHOPS/ PANELS/ CLASSES

2022	<i>Dark Arts: Using Shadow Play as Artist's Medium; Morbid Anatomy; virtual</i>
2022	<i>Puppet as Portal; Morbid Anatomy; virtual</i>
2021	<i>Build a Toy Theatre: Come On and Make a Scene; Morbid Anatomy; virtual</i>
2021	<i>Trip the Night Legendary; Morbid Anatomy; virtual</i>
2021	<i>Puppet as Portal; Morbid Anatomy; virtual</i>
2021	<i>Devil Inside: an FX crash course; Morbid Anatomy; virtual</i>
2021	<i>Mask Hysteria; Clarion/ UX: Hauntcon; virtual</i>
2020	<i>Women in Haunting: Panel discussion; Clarion/ UX: Hauntcon; New Orleans, LA</i>
2019	<i>Women in Haunting: Panel discussion; Clarion/ UX: Hauntcon; New Orleans, LA</i>
2017	<i>Puppetry Manipulation; Montgomery County Community College; Blue Bell, PA</i>
2017	<i>The Devil's in the Details: mold making and casting; Scare LA</i>
2017	<i>Taking the Fear Out of Costuming; Scare LA</i>
2017	<i>Sew Scary: Costuming for Fear and Functionality; Scare LA</i>
2017	<i>Bondo Prosthetics; Bloomsburg University, Bloomsburg, PA</i>
2016	<i>Glove Puppets; Lafayette College, Easton, PA</i>
2016	<i>Articulated Mouth Rod Puppet; University of Wisconsin, Parkside</i>
2016	<i>Shadow Puppetry; Temple University, Philadelphia</i>
2016	<i>Tabletop Puppet Manipulation; Arcadia University, Glenside, PA</i>
2015	<i>Killer Costumes; Transworld Halloween and Attraction Show.</i>
2015	<i>Prosthetic Aesthetics; Professional Development Workshop, USITT.</i>
2014	<i>Hide and Seek Leather Workshop; KC/ACTF.</i>
2014	<i>Quick Change Trauma: Using Prosthetic Transfers; KC/ACTF.</i>
2011	<i>Puppetry Manipulation; KC/ACTF.</i>
2011	<i>Building Reticulated Foam Beastie Bits; KC/ACTF.</i>
2004	<i>How to Build a Dental Appliance; KC/ACTF.</i>



## MASTER'S CLASSES, participation

- 2017 Creature Maquette- Cinema Makeup School, Los Angeles, CA
- 2010 Selected participant - O'Neill National Puppetry Conference, Waterford, CT.
- 2007 Selected participant - Master puppet workshop with Miroslav Trejtnar in Prague, Czech Republic.
- 2005 Selected participant - Master puppet workshop with Miroslav Trejtnar in Silver Springs, VA.
- 2005 Faculty Design Fellow for Region II, Master class with G.W. Mercier, KC/ACTF, Washington D.C.

## EXHIBITIONS/ HONORS

- 2024 *The Paranormal Realm: Beyond the Lore*, The Community College of Baltimore County
- 2023 *Craftivism: Needles for Change*, West Chester University, West Chester.
- 2019 *Moon Burn* Exhibition, The Black Sheep Gallery, Burbank, CA.
- 2016 *Revolutions of Making* Exhibition, Arcadia University, Glenside, PA.
- 2016 *The Art of Design- Building Character* Exhibition, West Chester University, West Chester.
- 2013 *Alive! Revealing the Art of Puppetry* Exhibition, Arcadia University Art Research Collaboration, Arcadia University, Glenside, PA.
- 2013 **ALIVE!** Showcase Production, Region II Festival, KC/ACTF.
- 2013 House of Bernada Alba, Certificate of Merit for Excellence in costume design KC/ACTF.
- 2007 Selected participant, *Alumni Art Show*, Bloomsburg University, Bloomsburg, PA.
- 2004 National Commendation for costume design, Kennedy Center, ACTF
- 2000 Barbizon Award for Theatrical Design Excellence

## SPECIAL SKILLS

Design, project management, budgeting, production logistics, public speaking, curriculum development, visual merchandising, rendering by hand and computer, garment fabrication, patterning 3d forms, Rhino, 3D printing, laser cutting, leather work, mold-making (RTV rubber, silicone, epoxies and plaster), life-casting (silicone and alginate, body and dental), casting (latexes, resins, plastics, acrylics and stone), prosthetics, simple circuits and wearable electronics, sculpture: additive and subtractive, painting and portraiture, airbrushing, millinery, wigs, jewelry, thermoplastics, fabric modification, wood-working, puppet mechanics, puppet costuming, research, Illustrator and Photoshop competency, devised scripts, mentoring, hosting and creating fundraisers, running a small business, budgeting, building and managing a dedicated work environment, playwriting, writing for social media, perpetual learner and maker, problem solver and idea generator.

## BUSINESS

Scared of my Shadow, LLC	Sole Proprietor	2015-present
Board Member	Fear Expo/HauntCon	2021-2024
Board Member	HauntCon; Clarion Events Limited	2018-2021
Little Bunny Voodoo	co-founder	2007-2010

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