



## COSTUME DESIGNER

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### UPCOMING COSTUME DESIGN WORK

2020	LYDIA AND THE TROLL	Ameenah Kaplan	Seattle Rep
	A WINTER'S TALE	Desdemona Chiang	Seattle Rep / Public Works Seattle

### SELECT COSTUME DESIGN WORK

2020	AMERICAN MARIACHI	Henry Godinez	Dallas Theater Center / Goodman Theatre
2019	REAL WOMEN HAVE CURVES	Christie Vela	Dallas Theater Center
	BEHOLD THE DREAMERS	Myra Platt	Book-it Repertory Theatre
2017	PITY IN HISTORY	Richard Romagnoli	Off-Broadway, PTP/NYC at Atlantic Stage 2
2016	NO END OF BLAME	Richard Romagnoli	Off-Broadway, PTP/NYC at Atlantic Stage 2
2014	GERTRUDE : THE CRY	Richard Romagnoli	Off-Broadway, PTP/NYC at Atlantic Stage 2
	A CLOCKWORK ORANGE	Andrew Smith	Middlebury Wright Theater
	IN THE NEXT ROOM (Co-Design)	Claudio Medeiros	Middlebury Seeler Studio Theater
	LES MISERABLES (Co-Design)	Doug Anderson	Middlebury Town Hall Theater
2013	NEW PLAY FESTIVAL (Co-Design)	Andrew Smith	Middlebury Wright Theater
2012	U.S. DRAG (Co-Design)	Alex Draper	Middlebury Seeler Studio Theater
2010	LOVESONG OF THE ELECTRIC BEAR	Cheryl Faraone	Off-Broadway, PTP/NYC at Atlantic Stage 2

### SELECT ACADEMIC COSTUME DESIGN

2017	QUEBRANDO EL SILENCIO! LATINX VOICES	Victoria Yvette Zepeda	Brown Bag Theater Company at UC Irvine
	LONGITUDE	Annie Loui	Counter-Balance Theater Company
2015	MAN OF LA MANCHA	Don Hill	Irvine Barclay Theater
	THE SERVICE WORKERS PROJECT	Amanda Novoa	Brown Bag Theater Company at UC Irvine
	THE LIQUID PLAIN	Jaye Austin Williams	UC Irvine Robert Cohen Theater

## COSTUME EMPLOYMENT

### **Resident Costume Design Associate - Project Manager**

Seattle Repertory Theatre Seattle, WA 2017 - Present

Resident design associate for all productions at SRT. Project management and quality control of all costume production. Select productions include: The Humans Broadway Tour (Designer: Sarah Laux), Public Works Odyssey (Designer: Nepehlie Andonyadis), and Ibsen in Chicago world premier (Designer: Skip Mercier).

### **Interim Artist in Residence and Assoc. Costume Director**

Middlebury College Theater Department Middlebury, VT 2012 - 14

Designed costumes for faculty productions: A Clockwork Orange and The Room Next Door as resident designer; Constructed costumes/etc. for productions; Managed inventory, purchasing, wardrobe, and work study students; Assisted department designer; Instructed students in construction and hair/make-up

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

### **Costume Teaching Assistant**

University of California Irvine 2014 - 17

Taught historical costume archiving and exhibition curating course; TA for undergraduate costume design courses; Costume shop technician

### **Teacher and Associate City Int'l. Representative**

Japan Exchange Teaching Program Ehime, Japan 2010 - 12

Instructed in public schools and community groups about foreign cultures and English; International event organizer

## RELATED SKILLS AND QUALIFICATIONS

- \* Fluent in Japanese
- \* Adobe Photoshop/Illustrator/InDesign; Microsoft Office
- \* Sewing and construction: draping, patterning, corsetry
- \* Fiber and textile identification and historical knowledge
- \* Design for modern fashion productions and period costumes
- \* Fit expertise: men's tailoring modern and historical
- \* Fabric modification: fiber arts, devoré, embossing, embroidery, beading
- \* Fabric dyeing: Rit, acid dye, fiber reactive dye, Shibori, ombré, feather dyeing
- \* Craftwork: millinery, leatherwork, thermoplastics, resin casting, set painting
- \* Fine art mediums, sketch artist
- \* Certified Curatorial Certificate - Kyoto Costume Institute

## EDUCATION

- \* University of California Irvine MFA Costume Design; Irvine, CA
- \* Kyoto Costume Institute Certified Curatorial Training Pgrm.; Kyoto, Japan
- \* Middlebury College BA Theater Design, Japanese Studies; Middlebury, VT
- \* Doshisha University Third Year Study Abroad; Kyoto, Japan

## REFERENCES

Skip Mercier	Costume Designer	917.561.4169	skip@gwmercier.com
Denise Damico	Seattle Rep Costume Director	206.443.2202 ext. 1073	denised@seattlerep.org
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