



ARDEN M. DONNELLY

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Costume Production

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ABOUT ME

Costume technician with a background in dressmaking, menswear, dancewear, and crafts. I bring experience in team leadership and workflow management, creative problem solving, and research and analytical skills to help emerging artists tell stories through and beyond clothes.

EDUCATION

MASON-GROSS SCHOOL OF THE ARTS, RUTGERS UNIVERSITY

New Brunswick, NJ
M.F.A, Costume Technology
2014

SARAH LAWRENCE COLLEGE

Bronxville, NY
B.A., Liberal Arts
2006

GIBBS COLLEGE

Norwalk, CT
A.A.S., Fashion Design & Merchandising
2007

SKILLS

Flat Patterning	Draping
Tailoring	Costume Crafts
Historical Recreations	Project Management
Thermoplastics and Foam	Classical Tutu Construction
Site-Specific and Immersive Productions	Fabric Dyeing Dancewear
Curriculum Development	Instructional Writing

WORK EXPERIENCE

MONTCLAIR STATE UNIVERSITY

2022-2025

Montclair, NJ

Draper

Adjunct Instructor: Introduction to Technical Theater, Costume Practicum, Costume Construction I

PENNSYLVANIA SHAKESPEARE FESTIVAL

2021

Center Valley, PA

Cutter/Draper

PARSONS-MEARES, LTD.

2016-2022

Long Island City, NY

First Hand

GEORGE STREET PLAYHOUSE

2015-2016

New Brunswick, NJ

Draper/Assistant Shop Manager

PAPER MILL PLAYHOUSE

2014-2015

Millburn, NJ

First Hand

SHAKESPEARE & COMPANY

2013-2015

Lenox, MA

First Hand (2013)

Draper (2014-2015)

MASON-GROSS SCHOOL OF THE ARTS, RUTGERS UNIVERSITY

2012-2014

New Brunswick, NJ

Graduate Teaching Assistant: Theater Practice in Costumes

OVERHIRE AND FREELANCE

Pintler Costumes & Technologies (Senior Technician), ByBarak LLC (First Hand/Stitcher), Broadway Relief Project (Stitcher and Quality Control), Sareh Nouri Bridal (Stitcher), John Kristiansen New York (Stitcher & Crafts), Long Wharf Theater (Dyer), Eric Winterling, Inc. (First Hand), Timberlake Studios (First Hand).

REFERENCES

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