CURRICULUM VITAE

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**EDUCATION**

**Master** **of Fine Arts** in Theatre: Directing

University of Utah, April, 2003

**Master** **of Arts** in Speech/Language Pathology

University of Utah, May, 1989

**Bachelor** **of Arts**in Communication

University of Utah, May, 1985

**Minor: Spanish (currently fluent)**

**EXPERIENCE**

2003-Present **Associate Professor of Theatre (Lecturer)**University of Utah

\* Courses Taught:

Acting I

Acting II

Speech and Voice

Dramatic Arts in Television (internet course)

2000-2003 **MFA Candidate: Theatre Directing,**University of Utah

\*Direction of 4 full-length plays and a one-act.

\*Direct a new work in collaboration with the playwright. \*Teach two Introduction to Acting classes each semester.

\*Study Acting with Actor Training Program students.

\*Significant Shakespeare study.

\*Act in three main stage plays.

\*Serve as Teaching Assistant for History of Theatre.

1993-2001 **Director of Street Performers,**Dickens Festival

\*Cast, write and direct street scenes.

\*Coach improvisational troupe.

2001 **Musical Director,**Summer Theatre, Clearfield, Utah

\*Teach acting to varied age group.

\*Direct main stage production of *Brigadoon.*

1980-present **Actor**

\*See sample of roles below.

1989-present **Private Practice in Speech & Voice Therapy,**SLC, Utah

\*Diagnose and treat variety of speech disorders.

\* Specializations: Voice, Stuttering, Articulation, Foreign Accent.

**MEMBERSHIPS**

**American Speech and Hearing Association**

**Voice and Singing Teachers Association**

**THEATRE WORK**

**Directing:**

**\**The Full Monty***Ziegfeld Theatre, Ogden UT 2018

**\**Herakles***Greek Festval, Westminster College, SLC 2016

***\*Midsummer Night’s Dream***Salt Lake Shakespeare 2014

***\*Boeing Boeing***Pinnacle Acting Co, Salt Lake 2014

**\**Comedy of Errors***Salt Lake Shakespeare, 2013

**\**All My Sons***Babcock Theatre, University of Utah 2012

**\**Snapshot***Studio 115, University of Utah, 2011

**\**Henry IV Part 1***Salt Lake Shakespeare CO., 2011

**\**The Boxcar Children***Youth Theatre, U. of Utah, 2011

**\**Alcestis***Greek Festival, University of Utah, 2010

**\**The Taming of the Shrew***Salt Lake Shakespeare Co., 2010

***\*James and the Giant Peach***Youth Theatre, U. of Utah, 2010

**\**Bus Stop***Studio 115, University of Utah, 2009

**\**Macbeth***Salt Lake Shakespeare Co., 2009

**\**The Pillowman***Studio 115, University of Utah, 2008

**\**Twelfth Night***Salt Lake Shakespeare Co., 2008

**\**Top Girls***Studio 115, University of Utah, 2007

**\**Suor Angelica***Lyric Opera, Salt Lake City, 2007

**\**Elektra***Greek Festival, University of Utah, 2006

**\**Hurlyburly***Studio 115, University of Utah, 2006

\****True West***Short Cut Theatre Co., SLC, Utah, 2005

\****Opera Scenes***Utah Opera Co., Serenade, SLC, 2001-2005

\****the least of these (premiere)***University of Utah, 2004

\****Eva C (premiere)***Lab Theatre, University of Utah, 2003

***\*The Tempest***Babcock Main Stage, University of Utah, 2002

\****Phedre***Lab Theatre, University of Utah, 2002

***\*Baby With the Bathwater***Lab Theatre, University of Utah, 2002

***\*Three Hermits***Utah Opera Co., SLC, 2002

***\*27 Wagons Full of Cotton***Studio, University of Utah, 2001

***\*Brigadoon***Clearfield Summer Theatre, Clearfield, Utah, 2001

***\*Help!***Riverdale School, Riverdale, Utah, 2000

***\*Silhouettes Against the Storm***Riverdale City Centennial, 1999

***\*Pirates of Penzance***Riverdale School, Riverdale, Utah, 1997

***\*The King and I***Terrace Plaza Playhouse, Ogden, Utah, 1994

***\*Fiddler on the Roof***Terrace Plaza Playhouse, Ogden, Utah 1993

***\*The Curious Savage***Terrace Plaza Playhouse, Ogden, Utah 1993

**Acting:**

**\*Jarvis Lorry in *The Tale of Two Cities***

Centerpoint Theatre, Centerville, UT 2017

**\*Mel Sturdyvant in *Ma Rainey’s Black Bottom***

Peoples’ Theatre, Salt Lake City, 2017

**\*Tutor in *Electra***

Greek Festival, Westminster College, SLC, 2015

**\*Caldwell Cladwell in *Urinetown***

Babcock Theatre, University of Utah, 2007

***\**Menelaos in *Iphigenia at Aulis***

Greek Festival, University of Utah, 2005

**\*Master of the House**

Dickens Festival, SLC, Utah, 1993-2012.

**\*Old Man in *A Fool for Love***

Short Cut Theatre Co., SLC, Utah, 2004

**\*Baylor in *A Lie of the Mind***

Lab Theatre, University of Utah, 2003

**\*Preacher in *Twins***

Studio Theatre, University of Utah, 2003.

\***Hermocrates in*Triumph of Love***

Lab Theatre, University of Utah, 2001

**\*Pap in *Big River***

Rodgers Memorial Theatre, Centerville, Utah, 2001.

**\*Tevye in *Fiddler on the Roof***

Rodgers Memorial Theatre, 2000, Terrace Plaza, 1993

**\*The Chairman in *The Mystery of Edwin Drood***

Rodgers Memorial Theatre, 1999

**\*Major General in *Pirates of Penzance***

Rodgers Memorial Theatre, 1998, Terrace Plaza, 1992.

**\*Governor in *The Man of La Mancha***

Rodgers Memorial Theatre, 1997.

**\*Jud in *Oklahoma!***

Terrace Plaza Playhouse, Washington Terrace, Utah, 1996

**\*Mr. Snow in*Carousel***

Pages Lane Theatre, Centerville, Utah, 1995.

**\*Carlino in *Wait Until Dark***

Pages Lane Theatre, 1994

**\*Jeff in *Brigadoon***

Bountiful Theatre, Bountiful, Utah, 1990.

**REFERENCES**

Robert Nelson, Ph.D

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