

CLARE SHAFFER

DIRECTOR

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PRODUCTIONS (SELECTED CREDITS / *NEW WORK)

ASSASSINS	Pallas Theatre Collective, Washington, DC – 2017
THE BRIDGES OF MADISON COUNTY	Red Branch Theatre Company, Columbia, MD – 2017
NOAH: APOCALYPSE* (DEvised)	LiveArt DC, Washington, DC – 2017
THE PEOPLE'S CORPORATION OF DC*	LiveArt DC, Washington, DC – 2017
THE PRICE OF ART*	Nu Sass Productions, Washington, DC – 2017
TWENTY WORDS OF WISDOM*	Nu Sass Productions, Washington, DC – 2016
LIFE: A COMIC OPERA* (FRINGE EXTENSION)	Capital Fringe Festival, Washington, DC – 2017
SONG READER: THE MUSICAL* (FRINGE EXTENSION)	Capital Fringe Festival, Washington, DC – 2016
LOVE IN RUINS* ("BEST OF FRINGE" AWARD)	Capital Fringe Festival, Washington, DC – 2016
DUCK*	Tom Block, Silver Spring, MD – 2017
ONE-MINUTE PLAY FESTIVAL	Roundhouse Theatre, Bethesda, MD – 2016
A GOOD DEATH*	Kutztown University, Kutztown, PA – 2016
THE ROCKY HORROR SHOW	Georgetown Gilbert & Sullivan Society, Washington, DC – 2016
RUDDIGORE (UPCOMING)	Georgetown Gilbert & Sullivan Society, Washington, DC – 2018
THE WIZ	Barrie Prep School, Silver Spring, MD – 2016

STAGED READINGS (SELECTED CREDITS / *NEW WORK)

WATER BY THE SPOONFUL	Olney Theatre Center, Olney, MD – 2016
THE GIVER	Olney Theatre Center, Olney, MD – 2015
THE YEAR OF MAGICAL THINKING	Theater J, Washington, DC – 2016
BLUE SKIES OVER PLUTO*	Nu Sass Productions, Washington, DC – 2017
THE VEILS*	Nu Sass Productions, Washington, DC – 2016
BLOODBATH AT THE FILLMORE*	The Theatre Lab, Washington, DC – 2017
EVERYTHING IN THE GARDEN	Actors' Center, Washington, DC – 2017
THE MERCHANT OF VENICE	Shakespeare in the Pub, Washington, DC – 2017
SEASHELL*	The Edge of the Universe Players II, Washington, DC – 2017
THE BETTER MAN: A ROCK 'N' ROLL FABLE*	Joe Morra, Rockville, MD – 2016

ASSISTANT DIRECTING (SELECTED CREDITS / *NEW WORK)

UNEXPLORED INTERIOR* (DEREK GOLDMAN)	Mosaic Theater Company, Washington, DC – 2015
FALLING OUT OF TIME* (DEREK GOLDMAN)	Theater J, Washington, DC – 2015
GROUNDLED (DEREK GOLDMAN)	Olney Theatre Center, Olney, MD – 2015
CAROUSEL (JASON LOEWITH)	Olney Theatre Center, Olney, MD – 2015
ROMEO AND JULIET (CHRIS GOODRICH)	Unexpected Stage Company, Silver Spring, MD – 2015
THE MERCHANT OF VENICE (JOE COPLEY)	Charlotte Shakespeare, Charlotte, NC – 2012
THE TEMPEST (MATT COSPER)	Charlotte Shakespeare, Charlotte, NC – 2012
NU VOICES FESTIVAL* (POLLY ADKINS)	Actors' Theatre of Charlotte, Charlotte, NC – 2012

EDUCATIONAL THEATRE (SELECTED CREDITS / *NEW WORK)

AVENUE Q / THE ROCKY HORROR SHOW / SPRING AWAKENING	UNC Chapel Hill, NC
ALL IN THE TIMING / [TITLE OF SHOW] / ARSENIC & OLD LACE	
VENUS IN FUR / A HUSBAND OF NO IMPORTANCE*	Trinity College Dublin, Ireland

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CASTING (SELECTED CREDITS / *NEW WORK)

CARMEN: AN AFRO-CUBAN JAZZ MUSICAL* (MOISES KAUFMAN)	Olney Theatre Center, Olney, MD – 2015
EVITA (WILL DAVIS)	Olney Theatre Center, Olney, MD – 2015
THE PRODUCERS (MARK WALDROP)	Olney Theatre Center, Olney, MD – 2015
GUYS AND DOLLS (JERRY WHIDDON)	Olney Theatre Center, Olney, MD – 2015
HAY FEVER (ELEANOR HOLDRIDGE)	Olney Theatre Center, Olney, MD – 2015
BAD DOG* (JEREMY COHEN)	Olney Theatre Center, Olney, MD – 2015
MARJORIE PRIME (JASON LOEWITH)	Olney Theatre Center, Olney, MD – 2015
DIAL 'M' FOR MURDER (JASON KING JONES)	Olney Theatre Center, Olney, MD – 2015
THE PULITZER PRIZE FESTIVAL	Olney Theatre Center, Olney, MD – 2016
CRAZY MARY LINCOLN* (TRACEY CHESSUM)	Pallas Theatre Collective, Washington, DC – 2017
ASSASSINS (CLARE SHAFFER)	Pallas Theatre Collective, Washington, DC – 2017
BURIED IN PROSPERITY* (TRACEY CHESSUM, STAGED READING)	Pallas Theatre Collective, Washington, DC – 2017
MARX IN SOHO (ANGELA PIRKO)	Nu Sass Productions, Washington, DC – 2017
EXIT CAROLYN* (BRIDGET GRACE SHEAFF)	Nu Sass Productions, Washington, DC – 2017
NU DRAFTS 1.0 & 2.0*	Nu Sass Productions, Washington, DC – 2016
22 BOOM* (RENANA FOX)	Nu Sass Productions, Washington, DC – 2016
AWESOME-A-THON CABARET	Flying V Theatre, Bethesda, MD – 2016
THE BRIDGE OF SAN LUIS REY* (DEREK GOLDMAN, STAGED READING)	Georgetown University, Washington, DC – 2015

RELATED EXPERIENCE

Pallas Theatre Collective , Associate Producer / Casting Director	August 2016 – October 2017
Produce and direct theatrical productions, manage casting, run auditions, participate in new musical development.	
Nu Sass Productions , Associate Producer / Casting Director	January 2016 – July 2017
Produce and direct theatrical productions, manage casting, run auditions, spearhead new play development.	
Olney Theatre Center , Casting Associate / Artistic Apprentice	September 2014 – August 2015
Coordinate casting of all shows; scouting, audition setup, monitoring, acting as reader. Assist Artistic Director Jason Loewith. Participate in season planning, artistic staff meetings, etc.	
Company Carolina , Producing Artistic Director	May 2011 – January 2014
Design/produce 6+-show season for an independent student-run theatre company at UNC; oversee 20+-person administrative/publicity/artistic staff; acquire funding; hire directors; assemble production teams; cast shows; oversee all artistic aspects of each show.	
theatreWashington , Helen Hayes Awards Judge	2016 – 2019 Term
DC Commission on the Arts & Humanities , Theatre Grant Panelist	2018 Grant Cycle
Point Park University / Actors' Center / The Vocal Art Institute , Audition Master Class Instructor	

EDUCATION

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	B.A. Dramatic Arts / B.A. Communications
Trinity College Dublin, Ireland	Directing