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FULL-LENGTHS:

This is An Elephant

October 2014

Produced: Matthews Acting Studio, Princeton U Theatre Dept. **Also directed.**
Francis LeMoyné Page Theatre Award, Stanley J. Seeger Fellowship

Indiana (f/k/a Everything In Isolation)

May 2014

Produced: Theatre Intime, Princeton University

the fems

April 2012

Produced: Theatre Intime, Princeton University

Ways to Be Strong

August 2012

Alex Adam '07 Award: \$7,000 in support of new work

One Way to Say It

January 2011

ONE-ACTS:

B-STORM

Produced: New Dramatists Intern class spring '16 reading

May 2016

Paste

January 2014

Selected for: Naked Angels Tuesdays @ 9 - Oct. 2015

JUST

July 2013

Notes on Production

July 2013

And Hell Yeah

March 2012

Mix 'n Match

February 2012

Produced: Theatre Intime, Princeton University

Fosse

November 2011

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October 2011

Dairygate

September 2011

Within Reason

February 2011

Fruit With Secrets

July 2010

Finalist, Young Playwrights, Inc. National Playwriting Competition

ADAPTATIONS:

Someone Else's Theme May 2015
 adapted from the novella by Sigizmund Krzhizhanovsky. **Also directed.**

AWARDS:

Francis LeMoyne Page Award, Distinctive Achievement in Theatre
 for *This is An Elephant* May 2015

Outstanding Work by a Senior Award, Theatre May 2015
 for *This is An Elephant*

Outstanding Senior Creative Thesis, Fiction May 2015
 for 400 pg. short story cycle, *Wet Reckless and Other Stories*
 advised by AM Homes

Stanley J. Seeger Summer Fellowship April 2014
 \$2,200 in support of new work, Princeton Lewis Center and
 Princeton Department of Hellenic Studies

Alex Adam '07 Award April 2012
 \$7,000 in support of new work, Princeton Lewis Center for the Arts

Little Memorial Essay Award, Fiction May 2011
 for story *Muscle, Memory*

Finalist, Young Playwrights, Inc. National Playwriting Competition
 for *Fruit with Secrets* October 2010

POSITIONS HELD:

Bernard B. Jacobs Internship Program Jan-May 2016
 New Dramatists 424 West 44th Street New York, NY 10036

script assistant, *Invisible Thread (f/k/a Witness Uganda)* Oct-Dec 2015
 by Matt Gould and Griffin Matthews, dir. by Diane Paulus
 Second Stage Theatre

story consultant for A.M Homes September 2015
The Handmaid's Tale series for Hulu TV

co-created community theatre piece "Windows" March 2015
 created and led workshops on Shakespearean text analysis,
 acting and slam poetry for Triad House, NJ residents

Copy Editor and Staff Writer Sept-Jan 2014/5
The Princeton Buffer Film and TV Review
co-organizer, *Fiddler at Fifty* November 2013
 Lewis Center for the Arts Symposium
 interviewed *Fiddler on the Roof* lyricist Sheldon Harnick

instructor- Screenwriting I, Princeton Learning Cooperative Fall '14
 taught semester-long independent study to high school senior, from
 'first thoughts' to first feature script

resident playwright, songwriter and performer, *Tsok* April 2012
 Lewis Center for the Arts Senior Thesis in Dance

founder and President ('12-'13) *Ellipses Slam Poetry* September 2011
 Princeton's first and largest slam poetry team
 third place in CUPSI (nationals) 2014

EDUCATION AND TRAINING:

M.F.A. U.C. San Diego, Playwriting March 2019
 with Naomi Iizuka and Deborah Stein

Sewanee Writers' Conference July-Aug 2015
 with Paula Vogel and Dan O'Brien

B.A Princeton University June 2015
 English (Honors) with Certificates in Theater and Creative Writing

Southampton International Theatre Workshops July 2013
 with Annie Baker (selected as workshop assistant based on application)

The Second City July 2012
 Improv I, Comedy Writing I

Young Playwrights, Inc. Urban Retreat July 2009
 week-long playwriting intensive

SELECTED ACTING:

Talk to Me Like the Rain and Let Me Listen, Woman PU, January 2014
Circle Mirror Transformation, Marty Theatre Intime, PU. March 2013
Eden, Eve Senior Thesis Prod. PU December 2011
Fuente Ovejuna: A Disloyal Adaptation, Pascuala Berlind Theatre, PU. Nov. 2011
Twelfth Night, Viola The Dream Team Shakespeare Company, January 2010
Is He Dead? Marie Nobles Theater Collective, January 2010
Midsummer Night's Dream, Snug The Dream Team Shakespeare Company, Feb. 2009
Reckless, Rachel Nobles Theater Collective, January 2009
The Glass Menagerie, Laura Walnut Hill School for the Arts, December 2007