

SKYLAR MATHEWS

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Creative Drama Teacher with 6 years of experience. Detail-oriented planner with talent for developing individualized lesson plans and experiential learning and progressive pedagogy. Committed to promoting intellectual, emotional, physical, and social growth of all students. Also boasting a Dynamic Directing career devoted to creative leadership and artistic innovation. Recipient of multiple awards for quality of work. Successful at bringing out best in cast and crew.

SKILLS

- Curricula Planning
- Performance Coaching
- Student Advising and Support
- Education Programming
- Problem Solving
- Teamwork and Collaboration
- Training and Development
- Campus and Community Events

WORK HISTORY

AUGUST 2019-CURRENT

Youth Theatre Liason | Hampshire College | Amherst, MA

- Worked with a wide range of student personalities and backgrounds.
- Worked with Faculty and Staff to expand community engagement and program outreach.
- Facilitated planning and execution of youth theatre programming both at local schools and at Hampshire college
- Produced a minimum of 2 events each semester streamlining technical elements, Setting this as the new standard for youth programming.

MAY 2021-AUGUST 2021

Education Director | Spencer Community Theatre | Spencer, IA

- Oversaw development and implementation of quality educational programs.
- Prepared action plans to address concerns discovered through surveys, classroom observations and conversations with community members.

- Developed engaging and effective curricula for students aged 4 to 18.
- Modeled creative acting styles and techniques encompassing varied history genres and performance techniques.
- Coordinated with community members, media outlets and staff to promote productions and presentations.
- Supervised live performances to identify and address technical difficulties.
- Maintained cleanliness and appearance of theatre equipment, costumes, curtains, dressing rooms and storage.
- Supervised theatre students to monitor safe, quality assignment completion through demonstration and instruction.

FEBRUARY 2014-AUGUST 2020

Theatre Technician | Concord Community Players | Concord, NH

- Supported local teachers and theatre professionals in promoting goals and important skills of next-generation performers.
- Consulted with Directors to identify design requirements for each project.
- Produced detailed rough drafts and scale work-ups showcasing set, scenery and property demands.
- Worked with technical teams to effectively incorporate lighting, sound and other features.
- Coordinated, maintained and operated most common theatrical lighting and sound systems, including Parnells, full and miniature source-4s, LED stage lights, and working as a Follow spot operator.

MAY 2019-AUGUST 2019

Carpentry Apprentice | Jeans Playhouse | Concord, NH

- Cut materials according to specifications in preparation for installation.
- Evaluated equipment needs and prepared work orders for repair and replacement.
- Supervised live performances to identify and address technical difficulties.
- Accurately read, understood, and carried out written instructions.
- Quickly learned new skills and applied them to daily tasks, improving efficiency and productivity.
- Constructed 5 custom built set designs according to specifications.

MAY 2018-AUGUST 2018

Office Manager | RB Productions | Concord, NH

- Maintained computer and physical filing systems.

- Coordinated special projects and managed schedules.
- Managed daily operations of the youth summer program, orchestrating forward-thinking strategies to accomplish education and expansion goals.
- Remained highly composed and calm in very fast-paced, stressful and constantly changing environments to provide optimal leadership and achieve desired results.
- Participated in meetings with producers and production crew to keep program in step with creative vision.
- Interacted well with producers, directors, and customers to build connections and nurture relationships.

EDUCATION

EXPECTED IN MAY 2022


Bachelor of Arts: Theatre Education And Business

Hampshire College, Amherst, MA

- Extracurricular Activities: Facilitator of Hampshire college theatre board 2020-2022

LANGUAGES

American Sign Language


Limited Working