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Portfolio

NEW YORK (SELECT)

ON THE TOWN	SDCF Observer	Choreographer Josh Bergasse	2014 Broadway Revival
ESCAPE FROM PARADISE	Director / Choreographer	New York New Works Festival (Off-Broadway)	
THE LAST BITE*	Creator / Director / Choreographer		United Palace of Cultural Arts
ALEXA	Co-[Creator / Director / Choreographer]		Inwood Art Works Culture Hub
SURVIVING TOGETHER	Director / Choreographer / Co-Creator		Musical Theatre Factory Showcase
Danza Highbridge Festival	Choreographer & Artistic Director		United Palace of Cultural Arts
SHAKESPEARE'S GHOSTWRITER IS A WOMAN?!	Director	Playwright Kathleen Potts	W.H.A.M. Play Readings
A MUSICAL BUCKET LIST	Choreographer	Writer / Director Doug Cohen	Neighborhood Playhouse
THE GREAT ESCAPE	Choreographer	Writer / Director Doug Cohen	Neighborhood Playhouse
A MUSICAL INTERVENTION	Choreographer	Writer / Director Doug Cohen	Neighborhood Playhouse
Excerpt from LEMPICKA	Choreographer	Music by Matt Gould	The Choreography Lab / NYTheatre Barn
BC Beat Industry Showcase	Featured Choreographer	Artistic Director Jennifer Jancuska	Club Cielo
Only Make Believe Gala	Asst. Choreographer	Choreographer Al Blackstone	Bernard B. Jacobs Theatre / Broadway
Dance from the Heart Showcase	Asst. Choreographer	Choreographer Al Blackstone	Broadway Cares/Equity Fights AIDS
BC/EFA Easter Bonnet Opening Number	Dance Assistant	Choreographer Al Blackstone	Minskoff Theatre / Broadway

REGIONAL THEATRE

GREASE, THE MUSICAL	Director / Choreographer / Intimacy Choreographer		Cabrillo Stage
THE LIAR**	Choreographer	Director Michael Butler	Center REPeritory Theatre
PRIDE & PREJUDICE	Choreographer	Director Michael Butler	Center REPeritory Theatre
JESUS CHRIST SUPERSTAR	Choreographer	Director David Cox	Cabrillo Stage
PAINT YOUR WAGON	Co-Choreographer	Director Dennis Jones	Sierra Repertory Theatre
THOROUGHLY MODERN MILLIE	Tap Choreographer	Director Scott Viets	Sierra Repertory Theatre

ACADEMIC / MISCELLANEOUS (SELECT)

AMÉLIE	Director / Choreographer / Intimacy Choreographer	Baylor University
DANCING LESSONS (by Mark St. Germain)	Director / Intimacy Choreographer	Baylor University
THIS IS A CHAIR (by Caryl Churchill)	Director	Baylor University
URINETOWN	Choreograph Director Jennifer Tuttle	City College of New York
PIPPIN	Director / Choreographer	Omaha Performing Arts
THE MIRACLE WORKER (excerpt)	Director / Fight Choreographer	Baylor University
THE LADY FROM THE SEA (excerpt / by Henrik Ibsen)	Director	Baylor University
MACBETH (excerpt)	Director	Baylor University
SCHOOL FOR WIVES (excerpt / by Molière)	Director	Baylor University
DANCE NATION	Choreographer Director Annika Prager	Hunter College
The Miss California Pageant	Resident Director / Choreographer (2010-2016)	Miss America Organization

FILM (SELECT)

STILL WAITING IN THE WINGS, THE MUSICAL (feature)	Choreographer	Director Allan Brocka	JJ Productions
WAITING IN THE WINGS, THE MUSICAL (feature)	Co-Choreographer	Director Jenn Page	JJ Productions

AWARDS / HONORS

2020 Sydney and Helen Jacoff Award Recipient
 2020 UMEZ Arts Engagement Grantee, Lower Manhattan Cultural Council
 2020 Friar's Club Award for Outstanding Contributions to the Theatre Department, City College of New York
 2018 Nominee for "Outstanding Choreography" by Theatre Bay Area**
 2017 Recipient of the Danza Debuts Commission from the United Palace of Cultural Arts*
 Finalist in the Capezio A.C.E. Awards for Choreographic Excellence in 2015 and 2016

EDUCATION & TRAINING (SELECT)

M.F.A. in Directing, Baylor University, 2023
 B.S. in Theatre for Social Change, City University of NY, 2020

Creating with Consent: Onstage Intimacies, 40-hours, Completed 2023
 Theatrical Intimacy Education, 30 hours of Training
 Certified in Adult Mental Health First Aid

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

20+ Years of Experience Teaching Dance & Theatre
 Full C.V. & references available upon request