

## Art Department

### 2024

*[Untitled]*, Senior Set Designer, Production Designer Cindy Chao and Michele Yu

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### 2022

*Vacation Friends 2*, Additional Set Designer, Production Designer Martin Laing

*Untitled*, Junior Set Designer (Virtual Art Department), Production Designer Oliver Scholl

*Star Wars Celebration*, Set Designer, Production Designers Corey Lorenzen and Andrew Jones

### 2021

*The Mandalorian Season 3*, Junior Set Designer, Production Designer Andrew Jones

*Lincoln Lawyer* Art Department Assistant, Production Designers Jess Kender and Scott Enge

*The Morning Show Season 2* Art Department Assistant, Production Designer Nelson Coates

## Designer

### 2023

*Mother Courage and her Children* Directed by Lee Cohn, Shinshin Tsai at Chapman University

*Small Mouth Sounds* Directed by Gregg Brevoort at Chapman University

*The Mortician's Wife* Directed by Socratis Alafousos at OC Centric New Play Festival

### 2020

*Into the Woods* Directed by Matthew Gardiner at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*Chanel* Curated by Sean Beauford at Children's Museum of Pittsburgh

### 2019

*Think* by Sunday Saari Directed by Cameron King and Samantha Ozeas

*Dakota* Directed by Cameron King at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*Marisol* Directed by Owen Stone at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*earth's most customer-centric company* Directed by Samantha Ozeas at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

### 2018

*Murro InterAttivo* Sonic Mural with Joey Santillo and Sasha Schwartz at Carnegie Mellon

*A Son, Come Home* Directed by Ken-Matt Martin at Williamstown Theatre Festival

*5x10, A Night of Short Plays* Directed by Zoe Golub-Sass, Andres Lopez-Alicea, Raz Golden, Bryn Herdrich, Victoria Gruenberg at Williamstown Theatre Festival

*Trapped in a Mind*, Directed by Rachel Pospisil at Carnegie Mellon School of Music

### 2017

*Compensation* Directed by Hannah Manikowski at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*Compos-It Operas* Directed by Josh Brown at Carnegie Mellon School of Music

*Lost and Found* Installation Design at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

### 2016

*Picasso in Perspective* Installation Design at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

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*Screaming, Humming* Directed by Hannah Manikowski at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

## **Assistant Designer**

**2019**

*Three Sisters* Designed by Katrina Lindsay at the Royal National Theatre

**2018**

*Way Out West* Designed by Adryan Miller-Gorder at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*Taiga in the Berkshires* Designed by Henry Blazer at Williamstown Theatre Festival

*A Man's World* Designed by Theron Wineinger at Williamstown Theatre Festival

*Equus* Designed by Anne Mundell at Theatreworks USA

**2016**

*Anything Goes* Designed by Nick Korneski at Sunset Playhouse

*Mary Poppins* Designed by Joey Welden at Brookfield Academy

**2015**

*Eurydice* Designed by Joey Welden at Brookfield Academy

*Anything Goes* Designed by Joey Welden at Brookfield Academy

## **Scenic Painter**

**2019**

*Marisol* Paint Charge Katherine Sharpless at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*Comedy of Errors* Paint Charge Beth Zamborsky at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*Lemons x5* Paint Charge Sarah Delaney Boyle at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

**2018**

*Pilgrims* Paint Charge Antonio Ferron at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*AfterWARDS* Co-Paint Charge with Sasha Schwartz at Pittsburgh Opera

*Detroit '67* Paint Charge Beth Zamborsky at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*Way Out West* Paint Charge Beth Zamborsky at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*A-B Machines* Paint Charge Beth Zamborsky at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*Fall New Works* Paint Charge Mark Ivachtchenko at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*Member of the Wedding* Paint Charge Julia Buerkle at Williamstown Theatre Festival

*Lempicka* Paint Charge Julie Buerkle at Williamstown Theatre Festival

*Dangerous House* Paint Charge Julie Buerkle at Williamstown Theatre Festival

*A Bright Room Called Day* Paint Charge Beth Zamborsky at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*The Drowsy Chaperone* Paint Charge Beth Zamborsky at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

**2017**

*Medea/Schulie* Paint Charge Beth Zamborsky at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*Alkestis* Paint Charge Sasha Schwartz at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*Love's Labors Won* Paint Charge Beth Zamborsky at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*You Can't Take in With You* Paint Charge Nick Korneski at Sunset Playhouse

*Ragtime* Paint Charge Beth Zamborsky at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

**2016**

*The Rover* Paint Charge Beth Zamborsky at Carnegie Mellon School of Drama

*Anything Goes* Paint Charge Nick Korneski at Sunset Playhouse

*Boeing, Boeing* Paint Charge Nick Korneski at Sunset Playhouse

*Mary Poppins* Paint Charge at Brookfield Academy

**2015**

*Eurydice* Paint Charge at Brookfield Academy

*Anything Goes* Paint Charge Joey Welden at Brookfield Academy

**2014**

*Carousel* Paint Charge Joey Welden at Brookfield Academy

*King Stag* Paint Charge Joey Welden at Brookfield Academy

**Other Work**

**2020**

Service Experience Representative with Nordstrom Mayfair

Handled customers' service requests, including returns, online orders, curbside pickup, and customer complaint resolution. Worked with holiday services, including gift wrapping and selling at the gift shop. Assisted with health check ins and women's clothing inventory.

Puppetry Teaching Artist with Arts Ed Collab

Designer for At Home Artists Project

Model-Making Teaching Artist at Pittsburgh Children's Museum

**2018-2020**

Gallery Assistant at the Miller Institute for Contemporary Art

**2019**

Co-curator of art exhibit "Becoming, Became, I Am What I Am" at University of the Arts London, Central Saint Martins

**2018**

Scenic Painter at Pittsburgh Opera

Scenic Painter at Carnegie Mellon University University School of Drama

Scenic Design Intern at Williamstown Theatre Festival

Drafting, Model Making, and Research for *Member of the Wedding*, *Lempicka*, *Dangerous House*, *Seared*, and *Artney Jackson*

**2017**

Scenic Painter at Carnegie Mellon University School of Drama

Properties Artisan at Carnegie Mellon University School of Drama

Properties Intern at Chautauqua Theatre Company

Painting, Upholstery, Crafting, Sewing, and Research for *Romeo and Juliet*, *Detroit '67*, and *Noises Off*

Properties Master for *Building the Wall* at Chautauqua Theatre Company

Carpenter at Carnegie Mellon University School of Drama

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**2016**

Scenic Painter at Carnegie Mellon University School of Drama

Carpenter at Carnegie Mellon University School of Drama

Scenic Design Intern at Sunset Playhouse

Teacher, Painter, Props Artisan, Muralist, and Electrician for summer school

**Honors**

2023 International Production Design Week, showcased work at “Imagined Realities”

2023 Exhibited artwork at “Made by 800” at MorYork Gallery

2021 Art Director’s Guild Member, Set Designers and Model Makers, IATSE Local 800

2020 Oren and Teschie Parker Award for Excellence in Design and Production at  
Carnegie Mellon University

2020 West Coast Drama Alumni Clan Senior Award

2020 “Residency in your Room” Grant from The Studio for Creative Inquiry

2019, 2018, and 2016 Carnegie Mellon College of Fine Arts Dean’s List

2017 Carnegie Mellon Emerging Leader

Exhibited at the Milwaukee at Museum in 2016 and 2015

2016 Tommy Award for Outstanding Scenic Design

Exhibited at the Wisconsin Museum of Quilts and Fiber Arts in 2015

Fine Arts Scholarship from Elm Grove Women’s Club

Scholastic Gold and Silver Keys for Sculpture and Painting 2016 and 2015

Fine Arts Subject Award at Brookfield Academy

2016 and 2015 Brookfield Academy Art Show “Best in Show”

**Education**

Carnegie Mellon University BFA in Drama, Minor in History of the Arts, Expected 2020

University of the Arts London- Central Saint Martins Short Course in Art History,  
Curation, and Communication

Tri-Colored Workshop with Pamela Howard at 2019 Prague Quadrennial

Brookfield Academy High School, High Honors, Class of 2016