

# BLAINE SHEPHERD

## COSTUME DESIGN & CRAFTS

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#### **EDUCATION**

**University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music (CCM)**, Cincinnati, OH - M.F.A Candidate in Costume Design & Technology, May 2021 - Thesis: Historical Millinery Construction (In Progress)

Truman State University, Kirksville, MO - B.A. in Theatre, Minor in Fiber Art, May 2018, Cum Laude - Capstone: Costume Design of Falsettos

#### **COVID-19 EMPLOYMENT & VOLUNTEERING - 2020**

Volunteer in the Textile Department as ScrapsKC in Kansas City, MO Creating Non-Medical Surgical Gowns and Caps for Humphrey Dental in Gallatin, MO Stitching Non-Medical Masks

#### UC COLLEGE-CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC (CCM) - CINCINNATI, OH, AUGUST 2018 - MAY 2021 - COSTUME SHOP GRADUATE ASSISTANT

Costume Designer - The Bartered Bride Director - Audrey Chait

Assistant Costume Designer - Our Country's GoodCostume Designer - Ashley Robin TrujilloAssistant Costume Designer - The Turn of the ScrewCostume Designer - Brandon ThompsonDraper - The Turn of the ScrewCostume Designer - Brandon ThompsonFirst Hand - Lady Windermere's FanCostume Designer - Christa Hanks

Stitcher - Secret Garden

Costume Designer - Dean Mogle
Assistant Costume Designer - The Government Inspector

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#### CREEDE REPERTORY THEATRE - CREEDE, CO, MAY - AUGUST 2019 - FIRST HAND

**First Hand** - Peter and the Starcatcher Costume Designer - Amanda McGee

First Hand - Ripcord Costume Designer - Elly Hunt

First Hand - Little Shop of HorrorsCostume Designer - Tony SirkFirst Hand - Pride and PrejudiceCostume Designer - Amy SuttonFirst Hand - Hazardous MaterialsCostume Designer - Alethia MooreFirst Hand - Best Foot ForwardCostume Designer - Elly Hunt

#### BAY STREET THEATER - SAG HARBOR, NY, MAY - AUGUST 2018 - WARDROBE INTERN

Costume Designer - Obama-ology Director - Shea King

Draper - EvitaCostume Designer - Lindsay DavisStitcher - Frost/NixonCostume Designer - Emilio Sosa

### TRUMAN STATE UNIVERSITY - KIRKSVILLE, MO, AUGUST 2014 - MAY 2018 - COSTUME SHOP INTERN

Costume Designer - Rapture, Blister, BurnDirector - Sam AndrzejewskiCostume Designer - FalsettosDirector - David Charles Goyette

Costume Designer - The PillowmanDirector - Ezra TrunzoCostume Designer - Waiting for GodotDirector - Tom MartinWig Design and Styling - She Stoops to ConquerDirector - Dana Smith

Wig Design and Styling - She Stoops to ConquerDirector - Dana SmithPuppet Designer - Suessical the MusicalDirector - Dana Smith

Draper - She Stoops to ConquerCostume Designer - Michelle WinchesterDraper - HamletCostume Designer - Dominique Glaros

### AWARDS RELATED SKILLS

2018 Region V KCACTF National Costume Design Honorable Mention - Falsettos 2017 Region V KCACTF Regional Costume Design Honorable Mention - Oedipus Rex 2018 TSU Juried Student Art Exhibition - Best in Show - Independence is Bliss 2018 TSU Juried Student Art Exhibition - Purchase Prize - Independence is Bliss 2017 Region V KCACTF Focal Press/Raphael Jaen Award 2017 Region V KCACTF Commendation in Puppet Design - Seussical

Tailor - The Woman in Black

Millinery, Dyeing, Screen Printing, Silk Painting, Distressing, Wet Felting, Hand Stitching, Industrial and Domestic Machine Stitching, Flat Patterning and Draping, Fabric Identification, Crochet, Knitting, Treadle Loom Weaving, Wig Prep. & Styling, Ventilating, Stage Makeup, CPR/AED Certified - Red Cross, First Aid Certified - Red Cross, Valid MO Driver's License, PC and Mac Proficient.

Costume Designer - Michelle Winchester