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## EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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**The New School** | New York, NY | MFA in Directing | May 2017

**Sarah Lawrence College** | Bronxville, NY | BA in Drama & Psychology | May 2010

**Theatrical Intimacy Education (TIE)** | Trained in Best Practices, Intimacy Choreography, Studio Techniques, Casting, and Policy

**Intimacy Directors and Choreographers (IDC)** | Pursuing Certification (ongoing)

**National Council for Behavioral Health** | Certified in Mental Health First Aid

## SELECTED INTIMACY DIRECTING

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<i>The Gett</i>	dir. Daniella Topol	Rattlestick Theater
<i>King Lear</i>	dir. Zachary Tomlinson	The Center at West Park
<i>Spring Awakening</i>	dir. Hudson Waller	The College of New Jersey
<i>Space Nunz of the Rescue Mainframe</i>	dir. Chad Lindsey	Hook and Eye Theater
<i>Xena: Warrior Musical</i>	dir. S.C. Lucier	3 Dollar Bill
<i>Indecent</i>	dir. Heather Lanza	Professional Performing Arts School
<i>The Glass Menagerie</i>	dir. Zachary Tomlinson	The Glove Theater
<i>Zoetrope (NYTimes Critics Pick)</i>	dir. Tess Howsam & Porcia Lewis	Exquisite Corpse
<i>That Pretty Pretty</i>	dir. Elissa Goetschius	CUNY Brooklyn College

## SELECTED DIRECTING WHICH INCLUDED INTIMACY WORK

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<i>Fun Home</i> (staged reading, starring Jenn Collela)	Lisa Kron & Jeanine Tesori	Plaza Jewish Community Chapel
<i>Significant Other</i> (staged reading, starring Ethan Slater)	Joshua Harmon	JCC Manhattan
<i>SCUM</i>	Nathalie Ellis-Einhorn/Ensemble	xixi, Shapeshifter Lab, The Tank
<i>Surfacing</i> (nom. Outstanding Direction of a Play)	Mike Poblete	Planet Connections Theatre Festival
<i>A Roller Rink Temptation</i>	Catherine Weingarten	WOW Cafe Theatre
<i>graveyard shift</i>	Korde Arrington Tuttle	The New School for Drama
<i>Vinegar Tom</i>	Caryl Churchill	The New School for Drama
<i>Macbeth</i>	William Shakespeare	The New School for Drama
<i>the haunted</i> (workshop)	Claire Kiechel	The New School for Drama
<i>Okay, bye.</i>	Joshua Conkel	The New School for Drama
<i>novaya zemlya or, a strange, new land</i>	Mila Golubov	FringeNYC, HERE Arts
<i>Outside Providence</i>	Andrew Joseph Clarke	FringeNYC
<i>Crave</i>	Sarah Kane	Sarah Lawrence College
<i>The Addams Family</i>	Andrew Lippa & Rick Elice	Stevens Institute of Technology
<i>Kodachrome</i>	Adam Szymkowicz	Lee Strasberg Institute
<i>Ella in the Tundra</i>	Marianna Staroselsky	Signature Theatre/Columbia University

## AWARDS/ MEMBERSHIPS/AFFILIATIONS

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Drama League First Stage Residency

Manhattan Theater Club Directing Corps

Member of The Fled

Roundabout Directors Group

Lincoln Center Directors Lab

Member of Ring of Keys Collective

## RELATED EXPERIENCE

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**The New School** | New York, NY | Student Facilitator/ Guest Facilitator | August 2015- August 2017

- Co-ran monthly resource group for LGBTQ students in the MFA and BFA programs at The New School
- Engaged in rigorous training to facilitate workshops about Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion
- Returned after graduating as a Guest Facilitator for The New School's full weekend of EDI workshops for new students
- Created a safe space for discussion among students, moderating conversations about sensitive topics