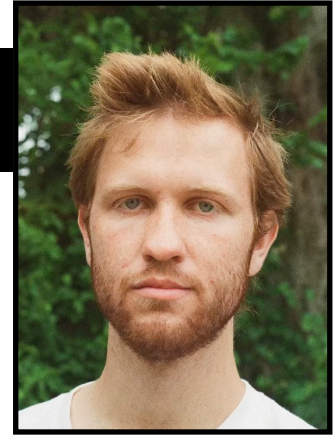


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BFA Physical Theatre

Commedia dell'Arte
Devising

Personal Details

Height: 5'11

Eyes: Blue

Hair: Strawberry Blond

EXPERIENCE

Year	Role	Show	Director
<u>Plays</u>			
2025	Brandon	<i>The Black Pearl</i>	(Cezar Williams)
2024	Macbeth	<i>Macbeth</i>	(Thom Penn)
2023	Simon	<i>The Gospel of Simon</i>	(Avery Avellino)
2023	Vincentio/Gremio	<i>Taming of the Shrew</i>	(Grassroots Shakespeare Co.)
2021	Death	<i>Everybody</i>	(Jackie Alexander)
<u>Commedia dell'Arte</u>			
2024	Arlecchino	<i>Waffle Lot of Fun</i>	(Corin Wiggins, Willow Collins)
2024	Brighella	<i>Una Bella Lingua</i>	(Group Devised)
2023	Pantalone	<i>Tale of Two Glovers</i>	(Group Devised)
2023	Truffaldino	<i>The Green Bird</i>	(Dory Sibley)
<u>Independent / Devised Work</u>			
2024	Actor/Devisor	<i>Mundane Things</i>	(Group Devised)
2024	Dante/Virgil	<i>Afterparty</i>	(Self Devised)
2023	Valeria	<i>Coriolano</i>	(Group Devised)
<u>Kabaret</u>			
2024	Ensemble	<i>The Goodbye Manifesto</i>	(Group Devised)
2024	Ensemble	<i>Kabaret Volere</i>	(Group Devised)
2023	Ensemble	<i>Attenda Prego</i>	(Group Devised)
2023	Ensemble	<i>Spud (Spit and Mud)</i>	(Group Devised)
<u>Additional Experience</u>			
2024	Dancer	Ad'A - Butoh	(Mitsuru Sasaki)
2024	Dancer	Ad'A - European Dance	(Konstantin Tsakalidis)

Workshops Taught

- 2023 Almaty, Kazakhstan
Taught Physical Theatre Workshop on Effort and Suspension for the Kazakhstan English Language Theatre (KELT) company at KIMEP University,
- 2023 Holladay, UT
Beginner Shakespeare workshop taught at Intermountain Christian School for students preparing for the Utah Shakespeare Competition.

Research Performances

- 2023 Prague, Czech Republic
Prague Quadrennial Performance and Design Space symposium. Devised several pieces based on cultural elements shared by Kazakh nationals, designed and performed for global audiences

Service Performances

- 2023 Honolulu, Hawaii
Devised and performed a show for the U.H. Manoa JoyMobile, a performance for Kapuna (respected elders) at Kuala Heeia Ecumenical Youth Project

Awards and Distinctions

- 2024 Eliza Dalzell Annual Scholarship
- 2023 Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Recipient
- 2023 Summer Research Fellows, CCU Office of Undergraduate Research
- 2022-2023 Edwards College Research Fellow, Center for Inclusive Excellence
- 2022 CCU Intercultural Language Study Abroad Scholarship
- 2022 CCU Global Perspective in Humanities Study Abroad Scholarship
- 2022 CCU Global Citizenship Diversity Abroad Award
- 2022 Recipient of Robin Edwards-Russell Theatre Endowed Scholarship

Education

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|-------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
| 2021 - 2025 | Coastal Carolina University | BFA Physical Theatre |
| 2023 - 2024 | Accademia dell'Arte | Physical Theatre OYP |
| Jan. 2024 | Atelier Teatro Fisico - Superdrama | (Jon Kellam) |
| Mar. 2024 | AIDM Torino - Superdrama | (Jon Kellam) |
| 2019 | Salt Lake School for Performing Arts | Diploma |

Skills

Juggling, Unicycle, Slack-line/Tightrope, Research/Writing, Trained Barista, Mask-making, Puppetry, Devising, Beginner Italian