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EDUCATION

Prince George Community College Theatre and Entertainment Technology Dean List 2011 & 2012	Dec. 2012
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HONORS AND AWARDS

Distinguished Adjunct Theatre Arts, Chadwick A. Boseman College of Fine Arts. (May 12, 2026).	2026
Distinguished Adjunct Theatre Arts, Chadwick A. Boseman College of Fine Arts. (May 13, 2025).	2025
COVID Compliance Officer Safety Training Theater Production & Live Performance (May)	2021
COVID Compliance Officer Safety Training Patron and Guest Safety (October)	2021
2013 Honors Convocation Outstanding Student of the Communication & Theatre Department	2013

TEACHING ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Courses Taught – Howard University	
Adjunct Professor – Stage Management	
Fall 2022 Stage Management – THTA-156-01	Aug. 2022 – Dec. 2022
Spring 2023 Stage Management – THTT-207-01	Jan. 2023 – May 2023
Fall 2023 Stage Management – THTT-207-01	Aug. 2023 – Dec. 2023
Fall 2023 Stage Management II – THTT-208-01	Aug. 2023 – Dec. 2023
Spring 2024 Stage Management -THTT-207-01	Jan. 2024 – May 2024
Fall 2024 Stage Management I – THTT-207-01	Aug. 2024 – Dec. 2024
Fall 2024 Stage Management II – THTT-208-01	Aug. 2024 – Dec. 2024
Spring 2025 Stage Management I – THTT-207-01	Jan. 2025 – May 2025
Spring 2025 Stage Management II – THTT-208-01	Jan. 2025 – May 2025
Spring 2025 Stagecraft I – SM – THTT-101-04	Jan. 2025 – May 2025
Fall 2025 Stage Management I – THTT-207-01	Aug. 2025 – Dec. 2025
Fall 2025 Stage Management II – THTT-208-01	Aug. 2025 – Dec. 2025
Spring 2026 Stage Management I – THTT-207-01	Jan. 2026 – May 2026

Mentor – Howard University**Stage Manager Advisor**

Fall 2023 Semester

Aug. 2023 – Dec. 2023

Fall 2024 Semester

Aug. 2024 – Dec. 2024

Spring 2025 Semester

Jan. 2025 – May 2025

Fall 2025 Semester

Aug. 2025 – Dec. 2026

Spring 2026 Semester

Jan. 2026 – May 2026

STAGE MANAGEMENT EXPERIENCE

Stirring the Waters Across America	NEWorks Productions	Eric Ruffin	2020
The Mountaintop	Nextstop Theatre	Kevin McAllister	2020
Topdog Underdog [HHR]	WSC Avant Bard	DeMone Seraphin	2019
Three Cheers to Grace (YPT)	Dance Loft on 14 th	Eric Ruffin	2019
Remount SIVMWB (YPT)	Anacostia Art Center	Farah Lawal Harris	2019
SIV: Mothering While Black (YPT)	Anacostia Playhouse	Farah Lawal Harris	2018
#PoolParty (World Premiere)	Ally Theatre	Angelisa Gillyard	2018
Judy Moody & Stink (W Premiere)	Adventure Theatre	Mitchell Hebert	2018
YPT 2018 New Play Festival	THEARC/Black box	Daniel Mori	2018
YPT 2018 New Play Festival	THEARC/Black box	Avery Collins	2018
YPT 2018 New Play Festival	THEARC/Black box	Angelisa Gillyard	2018
Pop-Up Books	Anacostia Playhouse	Thembi Duncan	2018
The Rimers of Eldritch	Duke Ellington School	Tom W. Jones II	2018
The Gospel at Colonus – Remount	WSC Avant Bard	Sandy Holloway	2018
All The Things You Are	In Series	Brian Shaw	2018
Disgraced	NextStop Theatre	Thembi Duncan	2017
King Lear	WSC Avant Bard	W. Tom Prewitt	2017
The Gospel at Colonus [HHR]	WSC Avant Bard	Jennifer Nelson	2017
Little Thing Big Thing [HHR]	Solas Nua	Rex Daugherty	2016
Yellowman {HHR}	Anacostia Playhouse	Thembi Duncan	2016
For Colored Girls	Theater Alliance	Deidra Starnes	2016
Words Become Flesh	Theater Alliance	Psalmayene 24	2016
Cry, the Beloved Country!	Millennium Stage	Nolan Williams Jr.	2016
Black Nativity {4-Time HH Winner}	Theater Alliance	Eric Ruffin	2015
Trish Tinkler Gets Saved	Unexpected Stage	Christopher Goodrich	2015
Leto Legend {HHR}	The Hub Theatre	Helen Pafumi	2015
Dontrell, Who Kissed the Sea {HHR}	Theater Alliance	Timothy Douglas	2015
The Secret Garden (Musical)	NextStop Theatre	Evan Hoffmann	2015
The Nutcracker – National Ballet	Catholic University	Pamela Moore	2014
How We Got On {HHR}	Forum Theatre	Paige Hernandez-Funn	2014
Gidion's Knot {HHR}	Forum Theatre	Cristina Alicea	2014
Gidion's Knot {HHR}	Next Stop Theatre	Cristina Alicea	2014
Failure: A Love Story {HHN}	The Hub Theatre	Matthew Bassett	2014
The Flick {Elliot Norton Award}	Company One	Shawn LaCount	2014
Speech & Debate	Montgomery College	Sasha Olinick	2013
Pitmen Painters	1st Stage	Stevie Zimmerman	2013
How We Got On {ENN}	Company One	Summer L. Williams	2013

Optimism! Or Voltaire's {HHN}	Spooky Action	Michael Chamberlin	2013
/CLOSE/R (Solo Dance)	Atlas PAC	Helanius J. Wilkins	2013
Italian American Reconciliation [HHR]	1st Stage	Michael Chamberlin	2013
Altar Boyz (Musical) [HHN]	1st Stage	Steven Royal	2012
Suite Surrender [HHN]	1st Stage	Rex Daugherty	2012
Day of Atonement	African Continuum	Shirley Basfield Dunlap	2012
Side Man [HHN]	1st Stage	Michael Dove	2012
Almost Maine	1st Stage	Michael Chamberlin	2012
Legend of Buster Neal	African Continuum	Tre Garrett	2011
Blues for an Alabama Sky	African Continuum	Walter Dallas	2011
Egg & Spoon (Euro Festival)	Studio Theater	Patrick Lynch	2010
Lyngo's Egg & Spoon (NY Tour)	New Victory Theater	Patrick Lynch	2010
Lyngo's Egg & Spoon	Imagination Stage	Patrick Lynch	2010
Yours, Isabel – Wattage Festival	Capital Fringe	Rex Daugherty	2010
Hoodoo -Wattage Festival 2010	Capital Fringe	Scott McKenzie	2010

PRODUCTION MANAGER EXPERIENCE

Riot: The Beat of Freddie Gray+	YPT	Farah Lawal Harris	2024
Silence is Violence: Wish Me Well	YPT/PGCC	Thembi Duncan	2024
Dresses That Twirl+	YPT	Farah Lawal Harris	2024
Remount SIV: New Normal	YPT/PGCC	Brigitte Winter	2023
Silence is Violence: New Normal	YPT/PGCC	Sandra Holloway	2023
Suddenly Last Summer (Summer)	WSC Avant Bard	Christopher Henley	2022
Mama Bushwick is Dead+	YPT	Farah Lawal Harris	2022
Ada and the Engine	WSC Avant Bard	Megan Behm	2022
Matayanda+^	YPT	Farah Lawal Harris	2021
The House+^	YPT	Farah Lawal Harris	2021
SIV: The Future of the Field+^	YPT/(Web Series)	Farah Lawal Harris	2021
Silence is Violence	YPT	Farah Lawal Harris	2020
Three Cheers to Grace	YPT/Dance Loft 14th	Eric Ruffin	2019
No Hood Story+	Kennedy Page2Stage	Eric Ruffin	2019
Remount SIVMWB	Anacostia Art Center	Farah Lawal Harris	2019
SIV: Mothering While Black	Anacostia Playhouse	Farah Lawal Harris	2018
King Lear	WSC Avant Bard	Tom Prewitt	2017
Day of Atonement	African Continuum	Shirley Basfield Dunlap	2012
Blues for an Alabama Sky	African Continuum	Walter Dallas	2011
+ - Stage Reading			
^ - Streamyard/YouTube Productions			

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

Silence is Violence	Young Playwrights' Theater – PM	Eric Ruffin	2020
King Lear	WSC Avant Bard – PM	Tom Prewitt	2017
Aladdin and the Wonderful Lamp Adventure Theatre – Fill-in SM		Roberta Gasbarre	2017
ATLAS Intersections Festival 2016	ATLAS PAC – VM	Ro Burnett Jr.	2016
The Last Days of Judas Iscariot	Forum Theatre-ASM/Fill-in SM	John Vreeke	2014
Capital Fringe Festival – Julianne Brienza			

Capital Fringe Festival	Capital Fringe- VM	Lee Cromwell	2018
Wattage Festival	Capital Fringe –ASM	Matthew Wilson	2010
Capital Fringe Festival	Capital Fringe- PA/VM	Scott McKenzie	2010/2011
Capital Fringe Festival	Capital Fringe- VM	Cory Ryan Frank/Ryliegh Vieira	12&17
Lungs	Studio Theatre-ASM	Aaron Posner	2011
Blues for an Alabama Sky	African Continuum- PM	Walter Dallas	2011

FILM EXPERIENCE

The Séance	Production Manager	AIM Studio 11/09
Lifeline	Production Manager	Various locations 10/09
Girls @ War	Concerned Mother	Soul Factory 08/08
Love Shouldn't Hurt	Crazy Best Friend	Soul Factory 06/08
Conscious Imprisonment	Production Assistant	Various locations 02/08–05/08
		Soul Factory 08/07
The Boyfriend Girlfriend Thang	Big Booty Puppet	
Parents Are People Too	Angry Cell Phone	Soul Factory 10/05
	Woman/Mother	
Girls Experience	Voice Over – Single Parent	Soul Factory 07/05
When They Met	Angry Drunk	Soul Factory 05/05
	Woman/Mother	

PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED LECTURES

Stage Manager Consultant – Black Monologues – University of Virginia, Department of Drama 2021

The Theatre Program at Hampshire College – Welcomes, Guest Artist, Keta Newborn for a 3 – Day Workshop (Stage Manager) 2015

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

Stage Scenery Construction	David Stock	PG Community College
Theatrical Rigging	David Stock	PG Community College
Technical Theatre	David Stock	PG Community College
Intro to Theatre	Dr. Gerald George	PG Community College
Light Design	Robin Harris	THEARC Theater
Production/Stage Manager	Robin Harris	THEARC Theater
Stage Lighting – Inter.	Joseph Walker	UDC Auditorium
Stage Lighting 101	Darrell Hudson	Soul Factory

LANGUAGES

English: Native Language

OTHER

Certification: First Aid/CPR/AED
Valid Driver's license
Passport
US Citizenship
Vaccinated w/Booster

REFERENCES

Theresa M. Davis, Producing Artistic Director
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University of Virginia
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Eric A. Ruffin, Artistic Director
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