

Zandi Carlson

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WORK EXPERIENCE

BAINBRIDGE PERFORMING ARTS, Director of Education, Bainbridge Island, WA 2014-2016
Theatre School Instructor, Bainbridge Island, WA 2011-2014

- Oversaw Theatre School course descriptions, schedule and registration. Each quarter has roughly 90 students, ages 3 1/2 and up.
- Strategized a 5-year plan, with measurable and attainable goals to increase enrollment and programming, community outreach and involvement and develop teaching artists.
- Increased teaching artists communication by updating contracts, teaching artists expectations, and implemented teaching artist feedback system with annual evaluations.

SEATTLE CHILDREN'S THEATRE, Drama School Faculty, Seattle, WA July 2011-2014

- Treasure Trunk, Creative Drama Class (Pre-K to K, and K-1st) 2012-2013
- Arts Splash-Creative Drama (Ages 4-8), Drama Quest (Grades 1-2), Acting 1 (Grade 6-10), 2012
- Improv Spring Break Camp, Lead Teaching Instructor, (Grade 4-6) Spring Break Camps, 2012
- Outreach: Story Drama and Creative Drama classes (Ages 3-7) 2012
- Outreach: Revolutionary War at Rosa Parks Elementary (Grade 5) 2012
- Assistant on: Creative Drama (Ages 3 ½ to 8) and Physical Comedy (Ages 8-10) Medina, WA 2011

SEATTLE SHAKESPEARE COMPANY, Drama Teacher, Seattle, WA 2011-2015

- *Love's Labour's Lost*, Short Shakes, (Ages 11-17), Director 2013
- All the World's a Tent: Shakespeare Circus (Ages 9-17) with Teatro Zinzanni, 2012
- *A Midsummer Night's Dream*, Short Shakes, (Ages 11-17), Director, 2011
- *The Comedy of Errors*, Camp Bill Production Intensive, Director, 2011
3 week camp, where students design the sets and costumes in addition to performing (Age 12-17).
- Northshore Junior High Residency "Intro to a Midsummer Night's Dream", Bothell, WA 2011 and 2012
- Garrison Middle School Residency, Walla Walla, WA 2011

YOUTH THEATRE NORTHWEST, Teaching Artist, Mercer Island, WA 2012-2014

- *The Dilemma of Humpty Dumpty* (Grades 1-3) *Jungle Book* (Grades 4-10)
- Magical Adventures (Ages 3-5)

TAPROOT THEATRE, Drama Teacher, Seattle, WA 2007-2011

- Acting Studio Summer Camps, 2010, 2011
Co-wrote/directed *Forest Friends* for the "Kids Summer Showcase" (Ages 6-8).
"Teen Summer Showcase" (Ages 12-16) and "Youth Summer Showcase" (Ages 8-17).
Culminating in a performances; *Alice in Wonderland* and *The Wizard of Oz* respectively.
- St. Catherine School Residency, (Grade 7-8), S2010
- "Sing, Sing, Sing" three sections, (Youth, Teen and Adult). Acting Studio 2009

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Acting, Oklahoma City University, Magna Cum Laude.
Teaching Artist Apprenticeship, Seattle Children's Theatre,
Acting Studio Internship, Taproot Theatre Company

Acting or Directing Resume, and References available upon request.

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