

DANIELLA TOSCANO

Costume Designer

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COSTUME DESIGN - THEATER / OPERA / DANCE

PRODUCTION	DIRECTOR	THEATER/COMPANY	YEAR
Little Women: The Musical	Emily Shackelford	Music Theater Heritage	2025
The Heart Sellers	Vi Tran	Unicorn Theatre	2024
Sweeney Todd	Tim Scott	Music Theater Heritage	2024
Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?	Ile Haggins	Kansas City Melting Pot Theater	2024
Poor Clare	Andi Meyer	Unicorn Theatre	2024
The Amen Corner	Melonnie Walker	Kansas City Melting Pot Theater	2023
Skeleton Crew	Ile Haggins	Kansas City Actors Theatre	2023
Native Gardens	Vanessa Severo	Unicorn Theatre	2023
Stew	Ile Haggins	Kansas City Melting Pot Theater	2023
Grown Up	Mary Rose Branick	MITU580 NYC	2023
The Secret Garden	Jessalyn Kincaid	Music Theater Heritage	2023
Fefu and Her Friends	Juliana Kleist-Mendez	Riverside Theatre	2023
El Huracan	Daniel Jaquez	Cygnnet Theater	2023
The Piano Lesson	Melonnie Walker	Kansas City Melting Pot Theatre	2022
The Who's Tommy	Devanand Janki	Flint Repertory Theatre	2022
The Three Feathers	Olga Perez Flora	Opera Steamboat	2022
Wunderlich	Noah Israel	UCSD LAB Works	2022
Everybody	Daniel Jaquez	UCSD Theater	2022
Elephant	Neil Truglio	Benchmark Theatre	2021
Grown Up	Mary Rose Branick	The Bartyard	2021
Heap	Colette Robert	UCSD Theater	2021
The Gathering	Juliana Kleist-Mendez	Wetsuit Collective	2020
An Object, Screaming	Paulina Colmenares	UCSD Dance	2020
Elektra	Juliana Kleist-Mendez	UCSD Theater	2019
The Gradient	Steph Del Grosso	UCSD Theater	2019
She Loves Me	Joe Hynes	Super Summer Theater	2018
Don Giovanni	David Ward	UNLV Opera Theater	2018
Hamlet	Bonita Bunt	UNLV Opera Theater	2017
A Midsummer Night's Dream	Dr. Linda Lister	UNLV Opera Theater	2017
Orfeo ed Euridice	Dr. Linda Lister	UNLV Opera Theater	2016
Les malheurs d'Orphée	Dr. Linda Lister	UNLV Opera Theater	2016
A Bomb-itty of Errors	Christopher V. Edwards	Nevada Conservatory Theater	2016
La Boheme	Dr. Linda Lister	UNLV Opera Theater	2016
A Christmas Carol	Brian Vaughn	Nevada Conservatory Theater	2015
Le Nozze di Figaro	Dr. Linda Lister	UNLV Opera Theater	2015
L'enfant et les sortilèges	Dr. Linda Lister	UNLV Opera Theater	2014
Little Red Riding Hood	Dr. Linda Lister	UNLV Opera Theater	2014
Ariadne auf Naxos	Dr. Linda Lister	UNLV Opera Theater	2014
Suor Angelica	Dr. Linda Lister	UNLV Opera Theater	2013
Sancta Susanna	Dr. Linda Lister	UNLV Opera Theater	2013
Elixir of Love	Dr. Linda Lister	UNLV Opera Theater	2013
Joseph...Technicolor Dreamcoat	Terrence Williams	Super Summer Theater	2012
Carmen	Dr. Linda Lister	UNLV Opera Theater	2012

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ASSISTANT/ASSOCIATE COSTUME DESIGN

PRODUCTION	DESIGNER	THEATER/COMPANY	YEAR
Pelleas et Melisande	Netia Jones	The Santa Fe Opera	2023
Rigoletto	Ann Piano	Opera Orlando	2022
Barber of Seville	Ann Piano	Opera Steamboat	2021
Pick Me Last	Carmen Amon	La Jolla Playhouse	2021
Frida	Ann Piano	Opera Steamboat	2019
As You Like It	David Reynoso	The Old Globe	2019
The Misanthrope	Dorottya Vincze	UCSD Theater	2019
A Beautiful Day in November...	Christopher Flagstad	UCSD Theater	2018
42 nd Street	Anna Winter	College Light Opera Company	2013
The Fairy Queen	Isabella Ivy	UNLV Opera Theater	2012
Madama Butterfly	Dr. Courtney Crouse	UNLV Opera Theater	2010

SHOPPER @ THE SANTA FE OPERA

PRODUCTION	DESIGNER	YEAR
The Elixir of Love	Ashley Martin-Davis	2024
Der Rosenkavalier	Gary McCann	2024
The Righteous	Devario D. Simmons	2024
Don Giovanni	Yannis Thavoris	2024
La Traviata	Christopher Oram	2024
Carmen	Julia Hansen	2022
The Barber of Seville	Andrew D. Edwards	2022
Falstaff	Sir David McVicar	2022
Tristan und Isole	Carlos J. Soto	2022
M. Butterfly (World Premiere)	James Schuette	2022
A Midsummer Night's Dream	Netia Jones	2021
Eugene Onegin	Gary McCann	2021
Lord of the Cries	Chrisi Karvonides-Dushenko	2021
The Marriage of Figaro	Laurent Pelly	2021

COSTUME SHOP EXPERIENCE

TITLE	COMPANY	YEARS
Costume Shop Assistant	Opera Colorado	2021
Industrial Stitcher	Gist Specialties	2017 - 2018
Costume Shop Assistant	Nevada Conservatory Theater	2012 - 2018
Draper	Smiley Face Killers Movie, LLC	2017
Costume Shop Assistant	College Light Opera Company	2013

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WARDROBE EXPERIENCE

TITLE	COMPANY	YEARS
Wardrobe - Dresser	The Old Globe	2019
Lead Stylist	Blackmagic Design	2016 - 2018
Wardrobe Lead	Best Agency	2015 - 2016
Hair and Makeup Artist	Opera Las Vegas	2015
Wardrobe Assistant	Rose.Rabbit.Lie @ The Cosmopolitan	2015
Wardrobe - Dresser	Nevada Conservatory Theater	2011

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

POSITION	INSTITUTION	YEARS
Assistant Teaching Professor of Costume Design	University of Missouri, Kansas City	2023 - Present
- Intro to Costume Design	Undergraduate	Fall 2024
- Digital Media for Costume Design	Graduate	Spring 2024
- Fabric Dyeing and Painting	Graduate	Spring 2024
- Stage Makeup	Undergraduate	Spring 2024
- Introduction to Technical Theater: Costume	Undergraduate	Fall 2023
- MFA Costume Design Studio	Graduate	Fall 2023
Graduate Teaching Assistant: Intro to Design	University of California, San Diego	2019 - 2022
Graduate Teaching Assistant: Costume Practicum	University of California, San Diego	2019 - 2020
Graduate Teaching Assistant: Intro to Theater	University of California, San Diego	2018 - 2019
Interim Costume Shop Supervisor	College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas	2017

SKILLS

10+ years technical experience including: stitching (industrial & domestic), industrial overlock machines, hand sewing, draping, cutting, wig and hairstyling, makeup for stage, millinery, crafting, distressing, dyeing, alterations

Adobe Creative Suite software: Photoshop, Illustrator, After Effects, Premiere Pro, Lightroom, Character Animator

EDUCATION

Masters of Fine Arts in Costume Design - University of California, San Diego - 2022

Bachelors of Art in Studio Art - University of Nevada, Las Vegas - 2012