

# KAT YEN THEATER DIRECTOR

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## SELECT DIRECTING CREDITS

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Heart Strings	by Lee Cataluna	Atlantic Theater Company/Atlantic for Kids
happy life	by Kathy Ng	Hearth Theater Company/Walker Space
Ethically Ambiguous	by Alisya Reza	Dartmouth College
Marisol	by José Rivera	University of Rochester
The Juniors	by Noah Diaz	Colgate University
The Summoning	by Charlotte Ahlin	Alchemical Theatre Laboratory
Mr. Burns, a Post-Electric Play	by Anne Washburn	Yale School of Drama
This is Not Art, It's Just Asian	by Kat Yen	Yale Cabaret
Othello	by William Shakespeare	Yale School of Drama
Shoot Her Shooter	by Margaret Douglas	Yale School of Drama
Fade	by Tanya Saracho	Yale Cabaret
The Two Sisters; or the Devil Beats His Wife	by Christopher Puglisi	Yale School of Drama & The Wild Project
I Am This for You	by Emily Gardner Xu Hall	Ars Nova Theatre
The Other Kids Ran Away	by Maiken Wiese	The New Ohio Theatre
Fall of a Sparrow	by José Rivera	Alvin Ailey Theater/Planet Connections
Everyday Afroplay	by Daaimah Mubashshir	JACK & Bushwick Starr
Charlotte	by José Rivera	Poetic Theater Productions/Taproot Festival
SMUDGE	by Mahogany L. Browne	Poetic Theater Productions/The Wild Project
References to Salvador Dali Make Me Hot	by José Rivera	Harvard Visiting Director's Project/American Repertory Theater
am i? am i?	by Ming Peiffer	The Flea Theater
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Spookfish Theatre Production Credits		
All Credits as Director, Set Designer, & Producer		
Usual Girls (Workshop Production)	by Ming Peiffer	Spookfish Theatre/Ensemble Studio Theater/Bloodworks
Usual Girls (Workshop Froduction)	by Ming Penner	Signature Theatre/Columbia University MFA
Aokigahara/Dontlookforme	by Ming Peiffer	Spookfish Theatre/Yangtze Repertory Theatre
Destination: Oasis	by Ming Peiffer	Spookfish Theatre/Columbia University Schapiro Theatre
	by Ming Peiffer	Spookfish Theatre/Columbia Oniversity Schapito Theatre Spookfish Theatre/The Wild Project
i wrote on ur wall and now i regret it		
The ABC's Guide to Getting Famous	by Ming Peiffer	Spookfish Theatre/Horse Trade Theater Group/The Kraine Theater
Advance Guard	hy Ming Doiffor	N.Y. Fringe Festival/The C.O.W. Theater & Red Room Theater
	by Ming Peiffer	Spookfish Theatre/Horse Trade Theater Group
Pornography for the People	by Ming Peiffer	Spookfish Theatre/Horse Trade Theater Group/The Kraine Theater
Dolan Alical	hy Ming Daiffan	Spookfish Theatre/Theater for the New City
Relax Alice!	by Ming Peiffer	Spookfish Theatre/June Havoc Theatre
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Wabi Sabi! Not Wasabi	by Ming Peiffer	Spookfish Theatre/Theater for the New City
ASSOCIATE & ASSISTANT DIRECTING CRED	ITS	
Redwood (world premiere musical)	by Tina Landau, Kate Diaz,	La Jolla Playhouse (upcoming in February 2024)
Assistant Director to Tina Landau	& Idina Menzel	
The Hunter S. Thompson Musical	by Joe Iconis &	La Jolla Playhouse
Associate Director to Christopher Ashley	Gregory S. Moss	
The Comeuppance	by Branden Jacobs-Jenkins	Signature Theater
Associate Director to Eric Ting	by Dranden Jacobs Jenkins	Signature Theater
Father Comes Home from the Wars Parts 1, 2 & 3	by Suzan-Lori Parks	Yale Repertory Theater/American Conservatory Theater
Assistant Director to Liz Diamond	by Suzun-Lon Lunks	The repertory fileden/fillenean conservatory fileden
Somebody's Daughter	by Chisa Hutchinson	Second Stage Uptown
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#### DIRECTING PROGRAMS

La Jolla Playhouse – Inaugural Directing Fellow (2023-2025) Second Stage Theatre – Van Lier Directing Fellow (2016-2017) New Georges – Director's Jam (2016-2017) The Flea Theater – Resident Director under Artistic Director Jim Simpson (2013-2015)

### TEACHING

Marymount Manhattan College – Adjunct Professor (Spring 2022) LAByrinth Theater Company – Directing Instructor for Summer Intensive (2019-2022) Stellar Adler Studio of Acting – Guest Lecturer, Visiting Artist for Actor Warrior Intensive (Summer 2015-2022)

#### **EDUCATION**

Yale School of Drama – M.F.A. in Directing (Class of 2020); *Mary Jean Parson Scholarship*; *Cullman Scholarship in Directing* Colgate University – B.A. in Theater, *cum laude* (Class of 2009) The Bronx High School of Science (Class of 2005) Special Skills: Mandarin Chinese, plays piano and violin