

Kristen Benner

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Theatrical Productions

<i>Socrates</i>	Production Stage Manager	Purchase College, NY	Dir: Dean Irby
<i>Senior Acting Showcase '24</i>	Production Manager	Purchase College, NY	Dir: Dean Irby
<i>Senior Acting Showcase '23</i>	Production Stage Manager	Purchase College, NY	PM: Leah Dollinger
<i>The Winter's Tale</i>	ASM Apprentice & Changeover Crew	Great River Shakespeare Festival, MN	Dir: Doug Scholz-Carlson PSM: Madison Tarchala
<i>Serious Money</i>	Stage Manager	Purchase College, NY	Dir: Steven Sapp
<i>Pirandello Party</i>	Stage Manager	Purchase College, NY	Dir: David Bassuk
<i>As You Like It</i>	Assistant Stage Manager	Shakespeare in Delaware Park, NY	PSM: K Gorny
<i>Henry IV Pt. 1</i>	Assistant Stage Manager	Purchase College, NY	PSM: Shelby Marquardt
<i>Babette's Feast</i>	Assistant Stage Manager	Purchase College, NY	PSM: Arcadio Lozano
<i>Purgatorio Wonderland</i>	Assistant Stage Manager	Purchase College, NY	PSM: Kai Leibenstein
<i>Disenchanted</i>	Stage Manager	MusicalFare Theatre, NY	Dir: Michael Wachowiak

Dance & Event Experience

<i>The Blues with Bobby Rush</i>	Assistant Stage Manager	Jazz at Lincoln Center, NY	PSM: Lori Wekselblatt
<i>HILMA Workshop</i>	Production Stage Manager	Wilma Theatre Company at Purchase, NY	Dir: Morgan Green
<i>World University Games Opening Ceremony</i>	Deck Manager	Empire Productions Lake Placid, NY	Showcaller: Simon Chau SM: Kari Thompson
<i>The Nutcracker</i>	Assistant Stage Manager	Greenwich Ballet Academy, CT	PSM: Lori Wekselblatt
<i>Epilogue Dance Show</i>	Stage Manager	Purchase College, NY	PSM: Stephanie Rhodes

Related Skills

Programs: Proficient in Microsoft Office · Google Workspace · Slack | Working knowledge in CAD · Vectorworks · QLab · Zoom & host functions

Other: Proficient in music reading | Working knowledge with carpentry tools · small scale budgets | Training in many styles of dance | Resident Assistant for three years at SUNY Purchase · Office Assistant to Production Manager for one year at SUNY Purchase | Driver's License, (Class D) New York

Education

SUNY Purchase College, BFA in Theatre Design Technology, concentration in Stage Management.

Recipient of the 2024 President's Award for Achievement in Theatre Arts, and the 2023 William Land Minzter Award.

References

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