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ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR

THE BOY AT THE BACK OF THE CLASS
by Onjali Q. Raúf, adapted by Nick Ahad
dir. Monique Touko

UK Tour, Children's
Theatre Partnership

(27 Feb – 8 June 2024)

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

THE BOY AT THE BACK OF THE CLASS
by Onjali Q. Raúf, adapted by Nick Ahad
dir. Monique Touko

Rose Theatre, Kingston

(3 Feb – 22 Feb 2024)

SHOOTING HEDDA GABLER by Nina Segal
dir. Jeff James

Rose Theatre, Kingston

(29 Sept – 21 Oct 2023)

DNA by Dennis Kelly
dir. Giles Croft

Lakeside Arts Theatre,
Nottingham

(14 – 18 May 2019)

DIRECTOR

HOUSES OF SAND – R&D
by Emma-Louise Howell

New Perspectives

(13 Nov – 1 Dec 2023)

CHOOSE YOUR FIGHTER
by Katrina Bennett

Camden People's Theatre

(9 – 13 May 2023)

CHOOSE YOUR FIGHTER – Work In Progress
by Katrina Bennett

SHOUT Festival 2022

Birmingham Conservatoire

(8 November 2022)

Shoot Festival 2022

Shopfront Theatre

(23 April 2022)

National Student Drama Festival

Curve Theatre

(15 April 2022)

R&D

Derby Theatre

(25 – 29 July 2022)

SOMEONE'S F***ING WITH THEIR GUN – R&D
by Katrina Bennett,

Curve Theatre

(4 – 5 November 2021)

A GIRL IS A HALF-FORMED THING
by Eimear McBride, adapted by Annie Ryan
National Student Drama Festival

Curve Theatre

(17 – 18 April 2019)

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Nottingham New Theatre

(31 Oct – 3 Nov 2018)

SALOME
by Oscar Wilde

Nottingham New Theatre

(2 – 5 May 2018)

OBSERVER DIRECTOR

BLUES FOR AN ALABAMA SKY by Pearl Cleage
dir. Lynette Linton

National Theatre, London

(20 Sept – 5 Nov 2022)

CORIOLANUS by William Shakespeare
dir. Robert Hastie

Crucible Theatre,
Sheffield

(6 – 28 March 2020)

MACBETH by William Shakespeare
dir. Christopher Haydon

Royal Exchange Theatre,
Manchester

(13 Sept – 19 Oct 2019)

DRAMATURG

SAVING DRAGONS by Ella Godfrey
dir. Ariella Como & Susie MacDonald

TBC

(Upcoming)

CRITICAL CARE by Stacey Moon-Tracy – R&D
dir. Orla O'Connor

New Perspectives &
Nonsuch, Nottingham

(29 Aug – 12 Sept 2023)

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

PROPER Practitioner Training Three-day course on working with Children, Young People and Communities.	Warts and All Theatre (2021)
Springboard – Young Vic Genesis Directors Program Annual project of practical workshops, facilitated by Jennifer Tang.	Young Vic (2020)
First Class degree in BA English. Dissertation on the performance of homosexuality in productions at the RSC.	University of Nottingham (2016-2019)
Directing Workshop with Robert Icke 3-day course run by the Almeida Theatre's Associate Director Robert Icke.	Almeida Theatre (2018)
RSC Big Director's Weekend Directing workshops led by Alex Thorpe and Kimberley Sykes, and Q&A sessions with Rob Swain and Erica Whyman.	Royal Shakespeare Company (2018)
Young Actor's Summer School Week 1 Exploring Shakespeare, Week 2 Contemporary Text.	Royal Academy of Dramatic Art (2014)

OTHER PROJECTS

ACCESSING NEW TECHNOLOGIES with Sacha Wares and Rachel Bagshaw	Participant	Young Vic, London	(1 Nov – 17 Dec 2021)
AI by GPT-3, Chinonyerem Odimba and Nina Segal, dir. Jennifer Tang, <i>R&D</i>	Participant	Young Vic, London	(23 – 25 August 2021)

In 2022 my company Votive Theatre was selected for the mentorship programme **Barrel Organ & Company**.

In 2023 I was one of 24 artists awarded the **Jerwood New Work Fund**.

In 2023 I was awarded the Rose Theatre's **Peter Hall Emerging Artist Fellowship**.

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

2023 - 2024	Creative Associate (Peter Hall Emerging Artist Fellow) at the Rose Theatre Providing creative and admin support to the Producing Team and Artistic Director.
2021 - 2023	Literary Assistant at the Bush Theatre Responsibilities included providing directorial and dramaturgical notes on Bush Theatre productions during rehearsals and previews. Contributing to the commissioning and development of new talent through reading scripts, and cultivating relationships with writers. Leading on all literary department administration including managing the budget and invoicing, and leading on casting and contracting for all R&D periods.
2022 - Present	Script Reader George Devine Award 2022 & 2023, Royal Shakespeare Company - 37 Plays project.
2022 - 2023	New Associate at New Perspectives I was an Associate Artist of East Midlands theatre company New Perspectives.
2021 - Present	Artistic Director at Votive Theatre I am one half of Votive Theatre, with writer Katrina Bennett. We make work exploring ideas of bodily autonomy and the queer experience, utilising technology to bridge the gap between performer and audience to create intimacy.
2021 - Present	Workshop Facilitator For Bush Theatre, Fuel Theatre, New Perspectives, and In Good Company.
2021 - 2022	Youth Theatre Workshop Assistant – Bridge House Young Company Warwick Independent Schools Foundation

REFERENCES

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