

MIA IRWIN

Scenic Designer

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Scenic Design

Designer	<i>Twelfth Night (Taub)</i>	Dir. Robert Grant	Northern Stage (2023)
	<i>Double Trouble</i>	Dir. Richard Amelius	Bristol Valley Theatre (2023)
	<i>Into the Woods</i>	Dir. Rick Lombardo	Penn State Centre Stage (2023)
	<i>Metamorphoses</i>	Dir. Sam Osheroff	Penn State Centre Stage (2022)
	<i>Nostalgia Night</i>	Dir. John Simpkins	Penn State Centre Stage (2022)
	<i>The Wild Party (Lippa)</i>	Dir. Alison Morooney	Penn State Centre Stage (2021)
	<i>Dry Land</i>	Dir. Jeanmarie Higgins, Ph. D	Penn State University (2021)
	<i>Eurydice</i>	Dir. Andrea Moon, Ph. D	Univ. of Northern Colorado (2019)
Associate Designer	<i>Into The Woods</i>	Des. J. David Blatt	Little Theatre of the Rockies (2019)
	<i>The Drowsy Chaperone</i>	Des. J David Blatt	Univ. of Northern Colorado (2018)
Assistant Designer	<i>Capital Campaign Event</i>	Des. Dan Robinson	Penn State University (2022)

Employment

Studio Assistant	Milagros Ponce de León, Scenic Designer	2021-Present
Scenic Artist	The Rev Theatre Company at Merry-Go-Round Playhouse	2022 Summer Season
Scenic Artist	Graduate Assistantship at The Pennsylvania State University	2020-2023
Scenic Artist	Acomb Ostendorf & Associates, LLC	June-August 2021
Scenic Artist	University of Northern Colorado School of Theatre Arts and Dance	2017-2020
Scenic Artist	The Little Theatre of the Rockies	2017, 2019 Summer Seasons
Scenic Artist Intern	Fingerlakes Musical Theatre Festival at Merry-Go-Round Playhouse	2018 Summer Season
Stage Hand/Technician	Campus Commons Performance Hall	2019-2020
Stage Hand/Technician	Union Colony Civic Center	2016-2018

Honors and Awards

USITT Scene Design Award Sponsored by Rose Brand	2023
USITT Design Expo, First Place in Scenic Design for <i>Metamorphoses</i>	2023
Penn State College of Arts and Architecture Creative Achievement Award	2023
Penn State Graduate Exhibition, Second Place in Design for <i>Metamorphoses</i>	2023
Dean's List, University of Northern Colorado	2016-2020
Kennedy Center ACTF Certificate of Merit for Charge Artist on <i>The Hot L Baltimore</i>	2018
International Thespian Festival Excellence in Technical Theatre Scholarship	2016

Education

Master of Fine Arts in Theatre, The Pennsylvania State University	Graduated: May 2023
<i>Emphasis in Scene Design</i>	GPA: 4.00
Bachelor of Arts in Theatre Arts, University of Northern Colorado	Graduated: May 2020
<i>Emphasis in Design and Technology, Concentration in Scenic Design</i>	GPA: 3.96
<i>Minor in Art and Design</i>	

Related Skills

Scale Model Building	Vectorworks 2017-2023	Scene Painting Techniques	Drop Construction
3D Printing (Ender, Cura)	Adobe Photoshop 2023	Acrylic Painting	Subtractive Carving
3D CAD Modeling	Adobe InDesign 2023	Watercolor Painting	Additive Sculpting
Procreate	Adobe AfterEffects 2023	Figure Drawing	Public Speaking

References

Michael Schweikardt	Richard Amelius	Milagros Ponce de León
Asst. Professor of Scene Design	Executive Artistic Director	Assoc. Professor of Scenic Design
San Francisco State University	Bristol Valley Theatre	The Pennsylvania State University
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