

ALYSSA RIVERA

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DIRECTING *denotes assistant director

<i>I should really go to work...</i>	Self - Writer/Editor/Animator	Short Film
<i>Put Your House in Order</i>	Ike Holter	Helen Wayne Rauh Theater
<i>Amber Alert</i>	Jesus E. Feliciano-Batista	Philip Chosky Theater
Latine Student Cabaret	Devised by company	Purnell Center for the Arts
<i>Cinzano*</i>	Ludmila Petrushevskaya (Dir. Scout Davis)	Helen Wayne Rauh Theater

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Artistic and Community Engagement Intern

City Theatre Company | Jan - May 2023

- Delivered coverage and analysis on submitted season scripts to streamline Artistic Director's schedule.
- Utilized Google Sheets and Microsoft SharePoint to organize, track, and record 6th-12th grade play submissions and reader coverage for Young Playwright's Festival.
- Designed and produced 10-page research packet for actor engagement and lobby display for *Native Gardens*.

Content Creation Intern

Houston Public Library | Jun - Aug 2021

- Researched, wrote, and edited 2 educational scripts to promote library resources and programming.
- Organized schedules in collaboration with fellow interns, and assembled filming equipment for projects.
- Assisted with the re-organization of library materials, assembled take-and-make activities for teens, and efficiently prepared storytime materials for children.
- Pulled expired holds, shelved returned and new items, and searched for lost items on the shelves.

Virtual Summer Tutor Intern

Houston Independent School District | Jun - July 2020

- Assessed Pre-K to 5th-grade students to evaluate strengths and gaps in knowledge due to COVID-19.
- Developed 5 weekly lesson plans in collaboration with teachers to supplement student's learning in Language Arts, Social Studies, and Math.
- Cultivated relationships with students to personalize instruction and aid in reaching benchmarks.
- Managed classroom activities, re-directed problematic behavior, and supported students in completing classwork/homework.

EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University, Bachelor of Fine Arts | John Wells Directing

Directing: Justin Lucero, Kim Weild, Will Davis, Ivan Talijančić, Gab Cody, Paul Peers

Film & TV: Andy Wolk, Mindy Eshelman, Katie Scheines

Dramaturgy: TJ Young, Cat Rodriguez, Wendy Arons, Kristi Good

SKILLS SUMMARY

Artistic: Script Coverage | Story Development | Viewpoints | Storyboarding | Casting | Screenwriting | Basic Animation | Digital Photography + Videography | Pen/Pencil/Ink Illustration

Software: Microsoft Office | Google Suite | Canva | Adobe Premiere Pro, Photoshop, Animate, Lightroom

Languages: Spanish - Spoken, Reading and Written

Other Relevant Skills: Educational Fundraising | Lesson Planning | Tutoring | Actor/Audience Engagement