

## Emily M. Shaffer

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### Directing

<i>Oliver!</i>	Assistant Director	Bob Jones	Riverstage Community Theatre
<i>Boxed In</i>	Director		BUPlayers
<i>The Astronots</i>	Assistant Director	David A. Miller	BUPlayers
<i>You Make Your Own Family</i>	Director		BUPlayers
<i>and for your last breath?</i>	Director		BUPlayers
<i>A Year with Frog and Toad</i>	Assistant to the Director	Dr. Carrie Winship	BUPlayers

### Playwriting

<i>COUNT BACK FROM TEN</i>	One-Act	June 2024
<i>MINDS OF PLANTS</i>	One-Act	Dec. 2023
<i>The Zarp Saga: Battle of Trust</i>	Full Length	July 2023
<i>death of the queen...</i>	Ten Minute	Oct. 2022
<i>Empty Water Bottles</i>	Ten Minute	Oct. 2022
<i>HOTPOCKET</i>	Ten Minute	Sept. 2022
<i>You Make Your Own Family</i>	Full Length	Dec. 2020

### Acting

<i>Romeo and Juliet</i>	Apothecary and Citizen	Carter Reichard	Reclaimed Performing Arts Company	October 2024
<i>Much Ado About Nothing</i>	Verges	Andrew Shaffer	Gaspire Theatre Company	August 2024

<i>The Wanting Forest</i>	Fern, The Trees, Deckhands, Pirate Dreamer, Leaves Dreamer, Home Pages	David A. Miller	BUPlayers, <i>Plays in Bloom New Play Development Residency</i>	May 2024
<i>Of Love &amp; Lox</i>	Stage Directions	Lance Mekeel	Kennedy Center American College Theatre Festival Region 2 Conference	January 2024
<i>Shrek: The Musical</i>	Mama Bear	Denise Clark	Community Theatre League	June 2023
<i>The Appliance Department</i>	Stage Directions	Dr. Carrie Winship	BUPlayers, <i>Plays in Bloom New Play Development Residency</i>	May 2023
<i>The Astronots</i>	Carter Walker, Various Utopians	David A. Miller	BUPlayers, <i>Plays in Bloom New Play Development Residency.</i>	May 2022
<i>The Great Princess Pilgrimage of Erwin Hall's 23<sup>rd</sup> Birthday Party</i>	Erwin Hall	Olivia Hershey	BUPlayers, <i>Plays in Bloom New Play Development Residency</i>	May 2022
<i>A Woman Like Me</i>	Nanda	Avery Roberts	BUPlayers, <i>Directing Class Projects</i>	November 2021

### **Dramaturgy, Stage Management, & Design**

<i>Anti-Hero: Revenge of the Sw*fties</i>	Dramaturg	David A. Miller	BUPlayers
<i>The Velveteen Rabbit</i>	Dramaturg & Assistant Stage Manager	Amy Rene Byrne	Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble
<i>A Divine Kerfuffle</i>	Dramaturg	Dr. Carrie Winship	BUPlayers
<i>A Year of Laughter and Tears</i>	Sound Designer	Crystal Hosler	Berwick Blackbox Theatre
<i>Dark Clouds</i>	Sound Designer	Russell Shelton	BUPlayers
<i>Dark Clouds</i>	Dramaturg	Dr. Carrie Winship	BUPlayers

## **Education**

Integrated Theatre Arts, Bachelor's Degree, Commonwealth University of Pennsylvania-Bloomsburg.

Anticipated Graduation: May 2025.

- Advanced Directing, Fall 2023
- Dramaturgy, Spring 2023
- New Play Development, Spring 2022

Admissions Ambassador, Commonwealth University – Bloomsburg Admissions, May 2022 – Present

*BloomU Democrats*, Secretary, May 2024 – Present.

National Society of Leadership and Success, Member, May 2024 – Present.

*Alpha Psi Omega*, President, September 2023 – May 2025.

Kennedy Center American College Theatre Festival Region 2, Student Advisory Board Member, October 2024 – Present.

Assistant Stage Management & Dramaturgical Internship at Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble, June – July 2024.

Kennedy Center American College Theatre Festival Region 2, Actor and Theatre Journalist, January 2024.

Puppetry Workshop taught by the company of *Ajijaak on Turtle Island*, March 2023.

Plays in Bloom Residency, Actor and Dramaturg, May 2022 and 2023.