

# Sarafina Vecchio

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## PRODUCTIONS

+Kiss Me, Kate	Porter and Spewack	Elgin Community College	Feb 2020
*Mary Poppins	Stiles, Drewe, Fellowes	Drury Lane Oakbrook	Nov 2019
	Marcia Milgrom Dodge, Director		
*The Californian Incident	Goeser	The Shakespeare Project	Sept 2019
	Peter Garino, Director		
+Young Frankenstein	Brooks and Meehan	Elgin Community College	Feb 2019
Macbeth	Shakespeare	ShakesPlay/Janus	Jul 2014
Romeo and Juliet	Shakespeare	ShakesPlay/Janus	Jul 2013
Romeo and Juliet (Jr)	Shakespeare	ShakesPlay/Janus	July 2012
Rebeck Short Play Fest	Rebeck	Janus Theatre	June 2010
**Measure for Measure	Shakespeare	Janus Theatre	Aug 2008
	Terence Domschke, Director		
Brecht Review	Brecht and Weill	Janus Theatre	May 2008
Laundry and Bourbon	McLure	Janus Theatre	Jul 2006
Lunacy in Love 2	Sketch/Various	Janus Theatre	Feb 2005
True West	Shepard	Janus Theatre	Oct 2003

+ *Director and Co-Choreographer*

\* *Assistant Director*

\*\* *Choreographer*

## CLASSES AND WORKSHOPS

Fundamentals of Acting	Instructor	Paramount School of the Arts	2020-Present
Improvisation	Instructor	Paramount School of the Arts	2021-Present
Shakespeare NOW	Instructor	Stratford Festival	Feb 2020
Beginning Monologue	Instructor	Acting Studio Chicago	2020-Present
ShakesPlay!	instructor/Creator	Acting Studio Chicago	2020-Present
Shurtleff Core Program	Instructor	Acting Studio Chicago	2014-Present
Teen Acting	Instructor	Acting Studio Chicago	2015-Present
Movement with Shurtleff	Creator/Facilitator	Acting Studio Chicago	2019-Present
Approaching Shakespeare	Creator/Facilitator	ShakesPlay	2012-Present
Monologue/32 Bars	Co-Instructor	Elgin Community College	Nov 2018
Musical Theatre	Instructor	DreamMaker's Studio	Jan 2018
Teen Monologue	Instructor	Acting Studio Chicago	Jan 2017
Kids' Acting	Instructor	Acting Studio Chicago	2015-2016
Much Ado About Nothing	Instructor	OPRF High School	March 2016
A Midsummer Night's Dream	Instructor	Marlowe Middle School	2013-2015
Auditioning for Musicals	Instructor	Hamilton Wings	Feb 2013
Improv	Instructor	Gail Borden Library	March 2013
Acting Intensive	Instructor	ECC Kids' College	2008-2018
Monologue	Instructor	Larkin High School	Jan-Mar 2013
Improv	Instructor	ECC Kids' College	2008-2012
Playwriting	Instructor	ECC Kids' College	2010
Modeling	Instructor	ECC Kids' College	2010

## **EDUCATION**

### **The University of Warwick- Coventry, England**

Degree: Post Graduate Award, Teaching Shakespeare

Instructors: Education Department of the Royal Shakespeare Company

### **Roosevelt University- Chicago, IL**

Degree: Bachelor's of Science, General Studies, Theatre Concentration

Instructors: Belinda Bremner, Dawn Arnold, June Compton, Carin Silkaitis, Dan Stetzel

1999 Finalist, Kennedy Center for the Arts 10 Minute Playwriting Competition

### **Richmond University- London, England**

Area of Study: Classical Acting

Instructors: Greg DePolnay, Heather Van Straaten

### **Eastern Illinois University- Charleston, IL**

Area of Study: Theatre Education

1994 Recipient, Excellence in Fine Arts award

## **SPECIAL SKILLS**

Actor and Singer (separate resume), Playwright (Finalist, Kennedy Center of the Arts 10 Minute Play Competition, 1999), Acting and Audition Coach, Runway, Print and Live Events Model, Event Facilitator, Emcee, On Set Coach

## **HOBBIES AND INTERESTS**

Special needs education and awareness, Animation, Playwriting, Fitness, International travel, Animal welfare, Environmental education and action, Free diving

CV, Theatre, Film/Commercial, and VO Performance Resumes available upon request