

Sarah Muehlbauer
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Skills

I specialize in collaborative project leadership, providing strategic direction for diverse groups working toward a shared goal. I have excellent virtual event, writing, video, and other technical skills, and significant experience with live production of public performances and workshops, with a focus on inclusion and social justice. I also have years of experience with movement instruction, and a strong interest in helping people connect with their environment and community.

Experience

DECEMBER 2019 - PRESENT

Program & Virtual Event Coordinator, CODAworx – *Madison, WI*

- Research and coordinate event technologies to facilitate a 3-day international art and technology conference, which moved from in-person to virtual in 2020
- Orchestrate and run forthcoming monthly virtual event series “CODA Horizons (November 2020 - ongoing)
- Run tech for presentations over Zoom integration, working with moderators, speakers, panelists, and audiences
- Select and populate virtual event platform, Whova, with agenda, descriptions, instructions, speaker profiles, sponsor profiles, photos, videos and miscellaneous content
- Organize/ facilitate orientation to new technologies for staff, speakers, and attendees [including Whova virtual event platform, Zoom video conferencing, High Fidelity online audiospace for virtual gatherings, AirDeck presentation software, and 2nd Life 3D virtual spaces]
- Manage technical integration between platforms working with partner companies and tech specialists
- Collaborate on detailed instructions for technology use across participants, software and platforms
- Organize team labor for virtual event production and management
- Communicate with each category of attendee; maintain lists with contacts and necessary info
- Set up and manage attendee registration
- Drive collection of materials for website and program, oversee production of both
- Work with staff to develop strategies and tactics to sell registrations
- Act as liaison with jurors and partners for company’s annual awards program
- Solicit new, and maintain existing partnerships; monitor for fulfillment of responsibilities
- Assist members in publishing projects and submitting entries to awards
- Grant writing

JUNE 2014 - PRESENT

Collaborative Lead, Artist, Writer, Producer, Lion or Fox – *Philadelphia, PA*

- Unify creative work across diverse skill sets and team members to produce public performance and workshops with a social justice lens
- Manage budgets, timelines, and expectations to maximize contributions and impact
- Basic web design, image and video editing, blogging, and grant-writing
- Perform high-level technical skills across media to appeal to a wide range of audiences
- Contribute textile skills through costume design and tensile fabric sculpture design and fabrication
- Provide writing and dramaturgy for festivals, independent performance companies and publications
- Develop accessible curriculum to maximize the physical and social impact of creative movement available for chronic illness and disability populations
- Choreograph and instruct high-level technical movement in aerial arts to facilitate artistic growth
- Teach therapeutic strength and flexibility classes

JANUARY 2011 - JULY 2012 / JANUARY 2018- OCTOBER 2019

Special Projects Assistant + Production Fabric Dyer, SMS Auto Fabrics - *Philadelphia, PA*

- Color-matching by eye, mixing and dyeing small to large volumes of industrially woven textiles for vintage interior auto restoration (Jan 2011-July 2012 FT)
- Assisting transition to an online catalog for tens of thousands of textiles available for production. Scanning, organizing, photo editing, and entering data into the SMS website (Jan 2018-Oct 2019, PT)

Education

Masters in Fine Art, Tyler School of Art, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA - 2010

Bachelors in Fine Art, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI - 2008

200 Hr Yoga Teaching Certification, YogaWorks (Los Angeles) Hosted at Dhyana Yoga, Philadelphia, PA - 2010

Awards & Residencies

Leeway X Icebox Residency, Philadelphia, PA (2019)

Leeway Art and Change Award, Philadelphia PA (2018)

Artist in Residence at:

Philadelphia School of Circus Arts, Philadelphia, PA (2018, 2019)

Grumblethorpe Historic Property, Philadelphia, PA (2018, 2019)

Funicular Station, Philadelphia, PA (2015)

Third Space, Blue Hill, ME (2016)

Peñasco Theater, Peñasco, NM (2014)

Dramaturg in Residence - Contemporary Circus Arts Festival of Toronto, Toronto, ON CA (2016, 2015)

Cultural Journalist in Residence - En Piste, Montreal, QC CA (2014)

Internship, Circa Contemporary Circus - Lyon, FR/ Brisbane, AU (2013)

VSA Arts Emerging Young Artist Award Grand Prize (National), Washington, D.C. (2008)

Productions

Ripple/Quake - Icebox Project Space, Philadelphia, PA 2019

Infinity Labyrinth - Philadelphia School of Circus Arts, Philadelphia, PA, and Harbourfront Theatre, Toronto, ON 2018

Things That Survived The Winter - Madison Circus Space, Madison, WI 2016

A House for Birds - Beacon Food Forest, Seattle, PA, and Peñasco Theatre, Peñasco, NM 2014

Wind At My Back - Philadelphia Fringe Festival, The Hatchatory, Philadelphia, PA, 2012

Specter Animalia - Stella Elkins Tyler Gallery, Temple University, Philadelphia PA 2010