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## Vocal Coaching/Instructional Work

### Capilano University – School of Performing Arts

Sept 2005 – Jan 2022

- *Private Musical Theatre Instructor (PMTI) – Singing & Performance*
- *Instructor – Musical Theatre (MUTH), Acting for Stage & Screen (ASAS)*
- *Special Skills Instructor (ASAS) – Voice Over*

#### PMTI Instructor, Musical Theatre:

- ⇒ Weekly private singing instruction in developing vocal proficiency in classical and contemporary Musical Theatre repertoire as well as Operetta, Pop/Rock and Jazz
- ⇒ Instruct students in voice production, vocal health, hygiene, technique vocal anatomy and physical alignment
- ⇒ Assist students in developing a working audition portfolio
- ⇒ Accompany students on the piano
- ⇒ Prepare students for masterclass performances, live performances and mock auditions

#### Instructor – Musical Theatre and Acting for Stage & Screen Programs:

- ⇒ Classroom instruction in solo and ensemble vocal skills and musicianship
- ⇒ Prepare students for masterclass work, live and in-studio performances and mock auditions
- ⇒ Live and in-studio, on-the-mic training; sound-check for live and recorded sound
- ⇒ Select and produce Pop/Rock songs for students to record at professional recording facility
- ⇒ Prepare and direct ASAS students for final Graduation Showcase
- ⇒ Direct shows for black-box and Mainstage productions

#### Special Skills Instructor - Voice Over:

- ⇒ Instruct students in post-production voice over for film/TV, (Walla/ADR), Animation and Commercial Voice Over
- ⇒ Assist students in developing animated characters, scripts for audition and demo purposes
- ⇒ Assist student in developing and practicing skills for live auditions, and mp3 voice over submissions
- ⇒ Assist students in developing and practicing non-verbal efforts and breath efforts
- ⇒ Students tour a post-production audio facility and obtain hands-on experience by participating in a mock voice over session

### Purely Vocal Casting: Voice Artist, Vocal Coach, Director

2000 – present

- ⇒ Professional singing instruction and performance development in Musical Theatre, Rock/Pop, Jazz, Operetta
- ⇒ Vocal performance preparation for Theatre and Film/TV auditions
- ⇒ Voice over audition prep and mp3 recording
- ⇒ On-set vocal performance coaching
- ⇒ ADR off-camera voice over casting and in-studio direction and supervision
- ⇒ Walla Loop Group

## Direction & Musical Direction

25 <sup>th</sup> Annual Putnam Spelling Bee	MD/Pianist	Stratford Hall IB World School	2023
The Rocky Horror Picture Show	MD/Pianist	Studio 58, Langara College	2022
Almost an Evening	Director	Arbutus Studio, CapU	2021
10,000 Cigarettes	Director	Arbutus Studio, CapU	2021
Thirty Minutes to Charlie	Director	Arbutus Studio, CapU	2021
7 Stories	Director	Blue Shore Financial Centre, CapU	2020
It's A Wonderful Life: A Live Radio Play	Director	Arbutus Studio, CapU	2018
9 to 5: The Musical	Director	Blue Shore Financial Centre, CapU	2019
A Series of Unfortunate Events	Vocal Coach	NETFLIX	2018
Noelle	MD/Vocal Coach	Disney+	2017-2018
Dark of the Moon	Director	Arbutus Studio, CapU	2017
City of Angels	Co-Director	The PIT Collective/Jennifer Copping	2017
Ad Hominem	Director	Short Film/Paul Almeida	2017
The Chocolate Affair	Director	A Living Room: A Series	2016
The Dining Room	Director	Arbutus Studio, CapU	2016
30 Minutes to Charlie	Director	A Living Room: A Series	2016
Cabaret	Ass. Director	Blue Shore Financial Centre, CapU	2016
Underground Interlude	Ass. Director	Dance Video/Julie Tomaino	2015
That Man	Ass. Director	Dance Video/Julie Tomaino	2015
The Music of Michael John LaChiusa	Director	Gotta Getta Gimmick Cabaret	2016
Period Piece	Director	Music Video/Lena Dabrusin	2014
Evil Dead, The Musical	MD/Pianist	DSR Productions	2014
Once on this Island, Jr.	MD/Pianist	URP Productions	2013
What About Luv?	MD/Pianist	Waterfront Theatre/DSR Productions	2012
A Bride for Christmas	MD/Vocal Coach	Hallmark	2011
Evil Dead, The Musical	MD/Pianist	Norman Rothstein Theatre/DSR Productions	2009

## Musical Theatre Performance

Cabaret	Fräulein Kost	RainCity Theatre	2022
Fiddler on the Roof	Yente	Royal City Theatre	2016
Les Misérables	Hair buyer/Ensemble	Arts Club Theatre	2015
Waiting for the Parade	Janet	Chemainus Theatre	2014
Victor Victoria	Victoria Grant	Metro Theatre	2012
Fiddler on the Roof	Fruma Sara	Chemainus Theatre	2011
Les Miserables	Hair buyer/Ensemble	Arts Club Theatre	2009
High School Musical	Ms. Darbus	URP Productions	2007
Dancing in the Coal Dust	Bette	Showcase Theatre	2006
Cabaret	Fräulein Kost	Showcase Theatre	2006
The Bird & the Waterfall	Rose	Show n' Tale Productions	2006
Tommy	Acid Queen/Gypsy	URP Productions	2005
Tapestry	Woman 1	URP Productions	2004
Leader of the Pack	Ellie	URP Productions	2002
The Wizard of Oz	Wicked Witch	Gateway Theatre	2001
Anne of Green Gables	Miss Stacey	Gateway Theatre	2000
Tony and Tina's Wedding	Tina/Donna/Celeste	Hoarse Raven Theatre	1996

## Live Vocal Performance

Vancouver 2010 Olympic & Paralympic Winter Games	English Announcer	2010
North Shore News Awards	Announcer	2009
Grey Cup Gala, Vancouver Trade & Convention Centre	Performer	2009
Olam - Klezmer Fusion Band	Lead Vocalist	1998-2003
Du Maurier International Jazz Festival	Olam, Lead Vocalist	1999

Ashkenaz Festival, Toronto Ontario	Olam, Lead Vocalist	1998
15 <sup>th</sup> Field Royal Canadian Artillery Big Band	Lead Vocalist	i 1995-1997
Nightclub Performer - Yokohama City Japan	Lead Vocalist	1994
Variety Club Telethon	Background Singer	1992-1997
Vancouver Philharmonic Orchestra	Guest Soloist	1993
Fraser Valley Symphony Orchestra	Guest Soloist	1993
The Girls from Ipanema	Lead Vocalist	1988-1990
The Dangerous Farm Animals - Soca/Latin/Reggae Band	Lead Vocalist	1986

## Voice Over

### Cartoons

Bibi & Tina (ongoing)	Edwina & Esmerelda
L.O.R.D	Lady Nox
Tayo, The Little Bus	Various
Strange Magic	Various
Escape form Planet Earth	Baabian Citizen
Tuntun - Korean Audio Books	Mother/Various
My Little Pony 2	Cherry Jubilee
My Little Pony	Cherry Jubilee
Geronimo Stilton	Dr. Ratfinger
Martha Speaks	TV Reporter
Barbie in a Mermaid's Tale	Queen Calissa
Mey Sen Standard - Japanese Audio Books	Mother Bear/Various
Galaxy Angel S	Various
Being Ian	Ocean Breeze
Starship Operators	Various
Human Crossing	Various
The Jabberwocky	Various
Science and Puppets	Time Machine
Star Ocean	Various
Galaxy Angel AA	Various
Infinite Ryvius	Reiko
Boys Over Flowers	Ms. Urara
X-Men Revolution	Various
Project Arms	Wasp
Earth Maiden Arjuna	Operator Blonde
Inuyasha	Goddess
Mobile Suit Gundam	Lieutenant Matilda
Brain Powered	Midori
Gadget & The Gadgetini's	Various
Sitting Ducks	Mother Alligator
Vision of Escaflowne	Sora
Ranma 1/2	Kodachi Kuno

### Video Games

Madden LS2	Various	EA Games
FIFA 18, 19, 20	Various	EA Games
Shank 1 & 2	Eleana/Various	Klei Entertainment
Swarm (Game Trailer)	Various	Hothead Games
Deathspank: Thongs of Virtue	Various	Hothead Games
Deathspank 2	Various	Hothead Games
Skate	Businesswoman	EA Games
Need for Speed: Most Wanted	Female Cop	EA Games

Kessen

Various

EA Games

## Narration, Audio Book & Commercial

The Jesus Podcast	Pray.com
Vestiaire Collective	VO – Online Campaign
Wolf Trap	VO – Performing Arts Campaign
HOTB: Jesus, Audiobook	Pray.com
HOTB: David, Audiobook	Pray.com
HOTB: Deborah, Audiobook	Pray.com
Maricopa Shift	PSA, Arizona TV
UNFCCC	Be the Change Group Inc.
UNFCC Initiative on Climate Change	Be the Change Group Inc.
Johnny Bear: The Mey Sen Standard	Grape City Inc.
Grapeseed English Audio Book Standard	Grape City Inc.
Work Safe BC	Sound Kitchen
Canadian Tourism Campaign	GGRP
5 Plus – Cancer Campaign	Lemongrass Films
The Kamaishi Miracle	NHK Japan
Premier’s Awards	Infinity Films
Shifting Gears	Men’s TV
Global Force	Reverie Arts
John Ware Documentary	A. Wise Music Production

## A.D.R. & WALLA Loop Group

Bones of Crows	CBC
Fables	BRON Digital
Julie & The Phantoms	NETFLIX
Trickster	CBC
The Terror, Infamy	AMC
Snowpiercer (Season 1)	NETFLIX
Virgin River (Season 1 & 2)	Hallmark
Death of a Cheerleader	Reunion Pacific Entertainment
Malibu Rescue	NETFLIX
FIFA 20	EA Games
FIFA 19	EA Games
Madden LS2	EA Games
Somewhere Between	Thunderbird Entertainment/ABC
Pupstar: Better 2 Together	Airbud/Keystone Entertainment
Search & Destroy	Annapurna Television
FIFA 18	EA Games
Indian Horse	Devonshire Productions/Independent Feature
Pupstar II	Airbud/Keystone Entertainment
ICE	Entertainment Partners/NETFLIX
Dirk Gently’s Holistic Detective Agency	NETFLIX
Travelers (Season 1-3)	Peacock Alley Ent/NETFLIX
The Shack	Summit Entertainment
Pupstar	Airbud/Keystone Entertainment
MOTIVE (Season 2-4)	Lark Productions/CTV
Strange Empire	Annuit Coeptis Entertainment/CBC
Some Assembly Required (Season 2/3)	Thunderbird Entertainment/YTV
Cedar Cove	Unity Pictures Group/Hallmark
Arctic Air	Omnifilm Entertainment/CTV

Dashing Through the Snow  
 High Moon  
 Baby Sellers  
 Empty Cradle  
 Hats Off to Christmas  
 Let it Snow  
 Memory Book  
 Mr. Miracle  
 My Mother's Future Husband  
 Recipe for Love  
 Skiptrace  
 Monkey Up  
 The Legend of Barney Thomson  
 Strange Magic  
 Russell Mania  
 Vendetta  
 Lockdown  
 Jingle All the Way  
 In the Name of the King  
 Reasonable Doubt

Hallmark MOW  
 SyFy Mini-series  
 Lifetime Mini-series  
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 TopRun Ventures/Feature Film  
 Airbud/Keystone Entertainment  
 Trinity Works Entertainment/Feature Film (BAFTA)  
 Disney/Lucas Film Animated Feature Film  
 Airbud/Keystone Entertainment  
 WWE Feature to DVD  
 WWE Feature to DVD  
 Hallmark MOW  
 Feature Film  
 Feature Film

## Dubbing: Foreign Film

HPI  
 ASA  
 AMBER ROOM  
 FACTOR 8  
 KILL YOUR DARLING  
 GONGER  
 VOLCANO  
 RABBIT WITHOUT EARS  
 SEA OF DEATH  
 CRASHPOINT BERLIN  
 CARGO  
 THE FRONTIER  
 LOCH NESS  
 THE CHARLEMAGNE CODE  
 ENVISAT  
 GOOD JOB (JAPANESE SITCOM)  
 CITY EXPLORER  
 QUIZ ME! SCIENCE  
 HAPPY REUNION  
 MASQUE  
 BRAVE HEARTS  
 BALZAC  
 RATS  
 SPICE OF LIFE  
 SISKA  
 LADY COP  
 ADVENTURE 1900  
 SAMBA FOR SINGLES  
 MUSIC HALL – BERLIN  
 BUNSHIRO & FUKU  
 NOBEL  
 STALIN

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## Education & Training

Intimacy Directors International, The Banff Centre

- 3-day intensive
- Siobhan Richardson, Instructor

November 2018

Directing Intensive, The Atlantic Theatre School, NYC	May – August 2016
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9-week directing intensive in Practical Aesthetics</li> <li>• Karen Kohlhaas, Instructor</li> </ul>	
“Transformative Approaches to Vocal Performance & Instruction”, NYC	2013 - 2015
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jennifer Hamady, Instructor</li> </ul>	
Viewpoints Actor Training - The Banff Centre (Alberta)	July 2012
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3-day intensive</li> <li>• Michael Greyeyes, Instructor</li> </ul>	
Sports Broadcasting – BCIT (Vancouver BC)	Sept – Nov 2011
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Shane Foxman (CBC) &amp; Perry Solkowski (CTV), Instructors</li> </ul>	
Cabaret Performance Workshop (Vancouver BC)	2011
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Robert McQueen, Instructor</li> </ul>	
Voice and Body Workshop (Vancouver BC)	2009
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• David Smukler, Instructor</li> </ul>	
Auditioning for Musical Theatre (Vancouver BC)	July 2008
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Miriam Fond, Instructor (NYC)</li> </ul>	
Basic Tap	2007
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Shelley Stewart Hunt, Instructor</li> </ul>	
The Voice Intensive – The Banff Centre (Alberta)	2006
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3-day intensive</li> <li>• Richard Armstrong, Instructor</li> </ul>	
“You Can Do It”, Broadway Workshop (Toronto)	2004
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Randolph Academy for the Performing Arts</li> </ul>	
Private Singing Study (Vancouver, BC)	2003 – 2006
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sandra Head, Instructor</li> </ul>	
Acting for Film & TV – Shoreline Studios (Vancouver, BC)	2002
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Iris Quinn &amp; Brenda Crichlow, Instructors</li> </ul>	
Acting for Film & TV (Vancouver, BC)	2001
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mark Brandon High, Instructor</li> </ul>	
Various Dance & Movement Classes	2000 – present
Cartoon & Commercial Voice-Over Workshop (Vancouver BC)	2000
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cathy Weseluck of Chatterbox Productions, Instructor</li> </ul>	
B. Mus., Vocal Performance (UBC School of Music)	1993
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Voice Major</li> </ul>	
Seth Riggs Vocal Method Workshop (Vancouver)	1993
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bill Vincent of Voices &amp; Co., Instructor</li> </ul>	
B. Mus., Transfer Program (Capilano College, School of Music)	1988 – 90
Piano (Grade VI, Royal Conservatory of Music)	1975 – present

## Awards & Nominations

Ovation Award Winner - Outstanding Community Production, Large Theatre

- "Fiddler on the Roof", RCMT (2016)

Editors Choice Award, Dance Magazine (2014)

- "THAT MAN" (A Dance Video) - Julie Tomaino (Choreographer/Director)
- Sylvia M. Zaradic (Co-Director)

Berlin Music Video Awards (BMVA) Nominee (2013)

- Best Video "Period Piece" - Sylvia M. Zaradic (Director), Lena D. (Performer/Composer)

Berlin Music Video Awards (BMVA) Winner (2013)

- Best Song "Period Piece" - Sylvia M. Zaradic (Director), Lena D. (Performer/Composer)

Ovation Award Nominee

- Best Lead Performance, Female - "Victor Victoria" (2012)

Ovation Award Nominee

- Best Musical Direction - "Evil Dead: The Musical" (2009)

Jessie Award Nominee

- Outstanding Ensemble Performance - "Les Miserables" (2009)

West Coast Music Award Nominee (2004)

- Best World Album - "Foreign Dreams", Olam

## Additional Teaching Work

<b>Vanleena Dance Academy</b> (West Vancouver, BC) Singing & Performance Instruction, Pre-professional Program in Musical Theatre	2008 – 2009
<b>Showcase Theatre - Adventures in Theatre</b> (Campbell River, BC) Singing & Performance Instruction - Musical Theatre	2008
<b>St. Georges School</b> (Vancouver, BC) Singing & Performance Instruction - Musical Theatre Summer Camps	2004 - 2006
<b>Dena Wosk School of Performing Arts</b> (Vancouver, BC) Singing & Performance Instruction - Musical Theatre Summer Camp	August 2004
<b>Anna Wyman School of Dance Arts</b> (West Vancouver, BC) Singing & Performance Instruction - Musical Theatre	2002 - 2003
<b>Judy &amp; David of YTV</b> (Vancouver, BC) Singing & Performance prep for live TV broadcast	August 2002
<b>Dancewest</b> (Surrey, BC) Singing & Performance Instruction - Musical Theatre	1996 - 2004
<b>Vancouver Film School</b> Voice-Over Acting Instructor	1999 - 2000
<b>Stage One Center for the Performing Arts</b> (Coquitlam, BC) Singing & Performance Instruction - Musical Theatre/Operetta	1999 - 2001
<b>Ailanthus Achievement Centre</b> (Vancouver, BC) Singing & Performance Instruction	1998 - 1999
<b>BC Conservatory of Music</b> (Burnaby, BC)	1992 – 1994

Singing & Performance Instruction

## References

Available upon request