

CAMILLE CHARARA - COSTUME DESIGNER & ARTIST

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Education

M.F.A. - New York University, Tisch School for the Arts, Department of Design for Stage & Film - Costume Design
B.F.A. - University of Michigan, School of Music, Theatre, and Dance, Theatre Design & Production – Costume Design
B.A. - University of Michigan, Penny W. Stamps School of Art & Design - Studio Arts College International - Florence, Italy.

Costume Design - Selected

*12th Night	Jessica Bogart	University Productions - Ann Arbor, MI
*Baba	Tony Caselli	Williamston Theatre - Williamston, MI
A Midsummer Night's Dream	Mark Wing-Davey	NYU Grad Acting - NYC, NY
As You Like It	Sydney Berk	Catskill Mountain Shakespeare Hunter, NY
The Walt Whitmans of Fort Greene Park	Sam Helfrich - World Premiere	AOP NYU/Tisch Opera Lab - NYC, NY
West Love '89	Sam Helfrich - World Premiere	AOP NYU/Tisch Opera Lab - NYC, NY
Major Barbara	Janet Zarish	NYU Grad Acting - NYC, NY
Lydia Stays Inside, Short Film	Yohana Desta	NYU Graduate Film - NYC, NY
Drive the Night Away, Short Film	Jessica Li	NYU Graduate Film - NYC, NY
Seeking Man, Short Film	Eduardo Almeida	NYU Graduate Film - NYC, NY
Everybody	Temar Underwood	Waterwell Education - NYC, NY
Food and Fadwa	Mike Mossalam	A Host of People - Detroit, MI
The Tempest	Barton Bund	Waterworks Theatre - Royal Oak, MI
Othello	Frannie Shepherd-Bates	Waterworks Theatre - Royal Oak, MI
I'm Not Rappaport	Vincent Cardinal	RedHouse Arts Center - Syracuse, NY
Much Ado About Nothing	Gillian Eaton	Waterworks Theatre - Royal Oak, MI
I Do! I Do!	Temar Underwood	RedHouse Arts Center - Syracuse, NY
A Midsummer Night's Dream, Opera	Mark Madama	University Production - Ann Arbor, MI
The Drowsy Chaperone	Robert Swedberg	University Production - Ann Arbor, MI
Così fan tutte	Omer Ben Seadia	University Production - Ann Arbor, MI
The Arabian Nights	Malcolm Tulip	University Production - Ann Arbor, MI

Assistant Costume Design - Selected

*Primer Sueño	Andrea Lauer	MetLiveArts - NYC, NY
*Der Rosenkavalier	Gary McCann	Santa Fe Opera - Santa Fe, NM
Hockey: The Musical	Bernadine Vida	City Theatre - Detroit, MI
Gianni Schicci	Jessica Hahn	University Production - Ann Arbor, MI
The Music Man	Jessica Hahn	University Production - Ann Arbor, MI

Work Experience - Selected

New York University

- Graduate Student Instructor, 2021-Present. Teaches an introductory 2 credit course in hand and machine sewing.
- Undergraduate Costume Shop Graduate PA, 2021-Present. Part-time stitcher and crafts person.
- Workshop Instructor - Silk Painting, 2024-Present. Teaches a workshop focusing on silk painting techniques.

University of Michigan

- Wardrobe Manager, 2018-2021. Created costume paperwork productions & taught wardrobe practicum, a 1 credit class.
- Historic Costume Collection Assistant, 2019. Identified, cataloged, and stored historic clothing and accessories in archive conditions.

Skills

Silk Painting . Batik . Watercolor . Gouache . Found Object Manipulation . Serigraphy/Silk Screen Printing . Weaving . Machine and Hand Sewing . Dyeing . Hand Embroidery . Denim Painter . Distressing . Procreate for iPad . Site Specific Installation Art . Research . Designer and Wardrobe Paperwork . Online and In-Person Sourcing/Shopping . Creating Racks/Closets for Characters . Dresser . Simple Shoe Repair . Swatching . Rental Packages . Time Management . Invoicing . Creating Draper Packets . Video Editing . Proficient in Microsoft and Google Suite . Music Literacy . Valid Michigan Driver's License and USA Passport .