JOANNA IWANICKA SET DESIGNER

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Professional experience

Set Design

No Matter How Hard We Try		Trap Door	Chicago	current
Dry Land		Rivendell Theatre Ensemble	Chicago	current
Rolling		Jackalope Theatre	Chicago	2016
Yasmina's Necklace		16th Street Theatre	Berwyn	2016
Sparky!		Lifeline Theatre	Chicago	2016
No Beast So Fierce		Oracle	Chicago	2015
Merchild		16th Street Theatre	Berwyn	2015
Don Chipotle		terraNOVA Col.& Playground Thtr	Chicago	2015
Last Train to Nibroc		Haven Theatre	Chicago	2015
The Sweeter Option		Strawdog Theatre Company	Chicago	2015
Love, Loss and What I Wore		First Folio Theatre	Oak Brook	2015
The Art of Disappearing		16th Street Theatre	Berwyn	2015
Cudowna Lampa Aladyna	Co-SD	Bałtycki Teatr Dramatyczny	Koszalin	2014
Drowsy Chaperone		Homewood-Flossmoor HS	Flossmoor	2014
Romulus		Oracle	Chicago	2014
Anyway Cabaret		TUTA	Chicago	2014
Regarding The Just	SD coordinator	Trap Door Theatre	Chicago	2014
Monstrous Regiment		Lifeline Theatre	Chicago	2014
The President		Oracle	Chicago	2014
Pinkolandia		16th Street Theatre	Berwyn	2014
Empire. Pilot*		FOX	Chicago	2014
Seminar		Haven Theatre	Chicago	2014
The True Story of the 3 Little Pigs!		Lifeline Theatre	Chicago	2014
Great Expectations		Strawdog Theatre Company	Chicago	2013,2014
The Balcony		Trap Door Theatre	Chicago	2013
The Electric Baby		Rivendell Theatre Ensemble	Chicago	2013
The Core of the Pudel		Trap Door Theatre	Chicago	2013
Tour Guides		Guild Literary Complex	Chicago	2013
Improbable Frequency		Strawdog Theatre Company	Chicago	2013
American Wee-Pie	ASD	Rivendell Theatre Ensemble	Chicago	2013
Duck for President		Lifeline Theatre	Chicago	2012
WRENS		Rivendell Theatre Ensemble	Chicago	2012
Gil Pogromca Smoków		Teatr Arlekin	Łódź	2012
Naked Mole Rat Gets Dressed		Lifeline Theatre	Chicago	2012
Zastrozzi, the Master of Discipline		Division Theatre Company	Chicago	2012
The Houdini Box	ASD	Chicago Children's Theatre	Chicago	2012
W 3D		Teatr K3	Białystok	2011
Nagi Król		Białostocki Teatr Lalek	Białystok	2010
Kieszonkowe Przygody		Akademia Teatralna	Białystok	2010
Republika. Znak.		Akademia Teatralna	Białystok	2010
Miasto Pana Aureliusza		Akademia Teatralna	Białystok	2009
Hedda Gabler		Vintage Theatre Collective	Chicago	2009
Don't Dress for Dinner		Metropolis Performing Arts Centre	Arlington Heights	2007
The True Story of the 3 Little Pigs!		Lifeline Theatre	Chicago	2007
The Wood Demon		The Library Theatre	Chicago	2007
African Co. Presents: Richard III		Congo Square Theatre	Chicago	2006

Tango	Chopin Theatre	Chicago	2006
Haroun and the Sea of Stories	Williamstown Theatre Festival	Williamstown	2004

*Denotes IATSE 476 contract

Puppet Design

The One and Only Ivan	Lifeline Theatre	Chicago	2015
Hansel & Gretel	The Emerald City Theatre	Chicago	2014
Avenue Q singing boxes	Mercury Theatre	Chicago	2014
The True Story of the 3 Little Pigs!	Lifeline Theatre	Chicago	2014
Szary Chłopiec	Teatr Lalek Arlekin	Łódź	2013
Barnum	The Mercury Theater	Chicago	2013
Harold and the Purple Crayon	Chicago Children's Theatre	Chicago	2012
Gil Pogromca Smoków	Teatr Arlekin	Łódź	2012
Watership Down**	Lifeline Theatre	Chicago	2011
W 3D	Teatr K3	Białystok	2011
Nagi Król	The Białystok Puppet Theatre	Białystok	2010
Kieszonkowe Przygody	Akademia Teatralna	Białystok	2010
The Blue Shadow	Lifeline Theatre	Chicago	2010
The Last of the Dragons	Lifeline Theatre	Chicago	2010
Dooby Dooby Moo	Lifeline Theatre	Chicago	2009
Miasto Pana Aureliusza	Akademia Teatralna	Białystok	2009
The True Story of the 3 Little Pigs!	Lifeline Theatre	Chicago	2007

** Non-Equity Jeff Award nomination for Artistic Specialty

Education

The Academy of Fine Arts. Poznań. Poland	2007-2009
Master of Arts in Set Design (with Honors)	
University of Illinois. Urbana-Champaign. USA	2000-2004
Bachelor of Fine Arts in Theater (set design major, with Honors)	

Professional Internships- Set Design and Puppetry

Set Design and Puppetry

The Addams Family. A New Musical	Broadway in Chicago	Chicago	2009
Build Shop Internship	Redmoon Theater	Chicago	2009
Za ósmą górą	Akademia Teatralna	Białystok	2008
Scene Design Internship	Denver Center Theatre Company	Denver	2004-2005
Scene Design Assistant	Williamstown Theatre Festival	Williamstown	2003,2004

Academic Experience – Set Design

Sweeney Todd, the Demon Barber…	KCPA, University of Illinois	Urbana	2003
Fefu and Her Friends	Armory Free Theatre	Champaign	2003
4 by Beckett	KCPA, University of Illinois	Urbana	2002
Desdemona: A Play About…	Armory Free Theatre	Champaign	2002
Vinegar Tom	Armory Free Theatre	Champaign	2002

The Yellow Boat	Armory Free Theatre	Champaign	2001

Professional Affiliations

IATSE 476 – Studio Mechanic; IATSE 829 – Scenic Artist

Awards and Recognitions

The Michael Philippi Prize for Best Exhibit: Professional Designer	Chicago	2014
Non-Equity Jeff Award Nomination for Artistic Specialty	Watership Down	2011