

SHELBY R. SEELEY

Ferally-Feminine Theatre Director

*World Premiere | ^ Upcoming

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DIRECTING

Witch^	Jen Silverman	Flint Repertory Theatre
The Birds*	Nicole Samsel	Flint Repertory Theatre
Tragedy Sound^	Karen Saari	Theatre NOVA
Athena	Gracie Gardner	Theatre NOVA
In Search of the Mothman*	Ames Palmer	Theatre NOVA
Death of a Driver	Will Snider	Theatre NOVA
Bernhardt/Hamlet	Theresa Rebeck	Open Book Theatre
Miss Nelson is Missing!	Joan Cushing	Fargo-Moorhead Community Theatre
Lovebird Jamboree	Sarah Elisabeth Brown	Planet Ant Theatre
Pizza Slut	Sarah Elisabeth Brown	Boxfest Detroit

STAGED READINGS & WORKSHOPS

Tragedy Sound	Karen Saari	Flint Repertory Theatre
Funny, Like HAHA	Katherine Gwynn	Flint Repertory Theatre
Laughing, Flexing, Dying	Shannon TL Kearns	Flint Repertory Theatre
Loretta's Crematorium Hour	P. S. Drake	Samuel French 48th Short Play Festival
IMPOSTER!	Jessica Moss	Renaissance City Repertory Theatre

ASSISTANT DIRECTING

Death of a Salesman	dir. Michael Lluberes	Flint Repertory Theatre
Wrong River*	dir. Jeremiah Davison	Flint Repertory Theatre
Happy Days	dir. Kathryn Walsh	Flint Repertory Theatre

RELATED EXPERIENCE

Producing Artistic Director & Literary Manager , Theatre NOVA	March 2023-Present
- Maintain our mission of cultivating new plays and playwrights and bringing bold new work to our audiences through mainstage productions, Michigan Playwrights Festival, developmental and educational opportunities. Secured significant grant funding (\$90,000+), built marketing/audience engagement strategies, led literary initiatives.	
Playwright's Assistant , Flint Repertory Theatre	February 2023
Producer , NYC Fresh Fruit Festival (<i>Awarded "Outstanding Production of 2022"</i>)	May 2022
Director of Theatre , Patrick Henry Middle School	2017-2023
Professional Actress , University of Michigan's CRLT Players & PEAR, Michigan Shakespeare Festival Interstate Touring Company, <i>The Call of the Void</i> podcast	2018-Present

EDUCATION

Eastern Michigan University- BS Theatre Arts (Terry Heck-Seibert, Jennifer Graham-Felts, Phil Simmons)
Yale University Summer Certificate- A Practical Approach to Directing (Patrick Diamond, Evan Youlinis)
Kennedy Center Directing Intensive (Raymond Caldwell, Nicole Watson)
Banff Centre for Arts and Creativity Directing Intensive (Weyni Mengesha)