

Samantha Umstead

Costume, Make-Up and Wig Designer

833 West Buena Ave. Apt. 907 Chicago, IL 60613

(614) 327-7519

samum86@aol.com

COSTUME DESIGN

<i>The Overwhelming</i> 2009*	Des. Whitney McBride	Next Theatre
<i>Memory of Water</i> (Jeff Citation) 2009	Dir. Frances Limoncelli	Chemically Imbalanced Theatre
<i>Still Life With Iris</i> 2008	Dir. by John Jenkins	Merle Reskin Theatre
<i>The Lion in Winter</i> 2008*	Des. Nan Zabriskie	Writer's Theatre
<i>The Chairs</i> 2008	Dir. Kiera Fromm	Atheneum Theatre
<i>Black Nativity</i> 2007*	Des. Christine Pascual	Goodman Theatre
<i>Hamlet</i> 2007	Dir. Lisa Portes	Merle Reskin Theatre
<i>Life's a Dream</i> 2007*	Des. Christine Conley	Merle Reskin Theatre
<i>Welcome Yule!</i> 2006-2007*	Des. Nan Zabriskie	Chicago Symphony Orchestra
<i>Sideways Stories</i> 2006*	Des. Coral Gable	Merle Reskin Theatre
<i>Bye Bye Birdie</i> 2006	Dir. Ed Eblin	Axis Night Club
<i>The Trial</i> 2005*	Des. Meghann Plummer	Merle Reskin Theatre

*Denotes Assistant

MAKE-UP & WIGS

<i>Flow My Tears, the Policeman Said</i> 2009	Des. Rossella Nitti	Merle Reskin Theatre
<i>Bud, Not Buddy</i> 2009	Des. Ari Fulton	Merle Reskin Theatre
<i>The Robber Bridegroom</i> 2009	Des. Bill Maurey	Bailiwick Repertory Theatre
<i>The Giver</i> 2008	Des. Richie Fine	Merle Reskin Theatre
<i>Very Old Man With Enormous Wings</i> 2008	Des. Katie Cordtz	Merle Reskin Theatre

EMPLOYMENT

Internship with Tom Watson and Associates, Wig Master for the Metropolitan Opera in New York 2008
Assistant to Nan Zabriskie and Rick Jarvie for Wigs and Hair Chicago 2008
Make-Up Artist for *Time Out Chicago* 2008
Make-Up Shop Assistant to Professor Nan Zabriskie and TTS productions 2006-2009

SKILLS

Ventilating, Head and Chin Wraps, Wig and Facial Hair Dressing, Make-Up Application (stage and street), Alginate and Plaster Mold Making, Clay Sculpting, Prosthetic Creation (latex, foam, wax, silicone), Costume Patterning, Draping, Fabric Dyeing, Stitching, Mask Making, Millinery, Leather Construction, Microsoft Word, Excel, Power Point, Adobe Photoshop

SCHOLARSHIPS/AWARDS

Julia K. & Adolph Olansky Endowed Scholarship 2008-2009
Michael Merritt Student Scholarship Award 2008-2009
Saint's Scholarship Award 2008-2009

EDUCATION

The Theatre School at DePaul University, anticipated BFA in Costume Design, Minor in Art History 2009
Elegante School of Beauty for Illinois Cosmetology License 2010

REFERENCES

Nan Zabriskie
Make-Up and Costume Designer
Chicago
nzabrisk@depaul.edu
(847) 828-1831

Nan Cibula-Jenkins
Costume Designer
Chicago
njenkins@depaul.edu
(773) 329-3520

Jared J. Janas
Wig and Make-Up Designer
New York
jjjanas@hotmail.com
(201) 349-4444