

# Eliana J. Mabe (she/her)

Playwright | Director | Actor

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## EDUCATION

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**Rhodes College**, Memphis, TN, May 13, 2023

**Bachelor of Arts:** Media Studies Major – Concentration in Film Studies, Double Minor Theatre & Religious Studies

**Exploration:** 48 additional completed credits in STEM courses, focus on Biochemistry

**Awards & Recognition:** Cambridge Scholarship, Mark Lee Stephens Memorial Scholarship for Theatre, Rhodes Grant, Dean's List, Honor Roll, Theta Alpha Kappa Religious Honor Society, Iota Iota Iota Gender and Sexuality Studies Honor Society, Omega Delta Kappa Leadership Honor Society, Gamma Sigma Epsilon Chemistry Honor Society, Mortar Board Honor Society, Dramatists Guild of America

## THEATRE CREDITS

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<i>Once Upon a Mattress</i>	McCoy Theatre, TN	Queen Aggravain	March 24-April 2, 2023
<i>You'll Grow Into It*</i>	McCoy Theatre, TN	Playwright/Co-Director	February 24-26, 2023
<i>My Pal Quarnax*</i>	McCoy Theatre, TN	Quarnax	December 3, 2022
<i>Wire in the Garden*</i>	McCoy Theatre, TN	Assistant Director	November 4-13, 2022
<i>The Edge of the World*</i>	'62 Center, MA	Co-Writer/Co-Director	August 13, 2022
<i>Lizzie Workshop</i>	Williamstown, MA	Alice	August 7, 2022
<i>Numbers Game*</i>	TheatreWorks, TN	Playwright	June 25, 2022
<i>The Little Prince</i>	Evergreen Theater, TN	Asst. Director	May 7-9, 2022
<i>Bright Spots*</i>	Rhodes Theatre Guild, TN	Playwright	April 24, 2022
<i>The Eternal Sleepover*</i>	Rhodes Theatre Guild, TN	Co-Writer/Co-Director	November 19-20, 2021
<i>Allegiance*</i>	McCoy Theatre, TN	Asst. Director/Co-Writer	October 30, 2020
<i>The Moyo Dilemma*</i>	Horizon Theater, GA	Playwright	June 13, 2020
<i>Show-and-Tell*</i>	Horizon Theater, GA	Playwright	June 9, 2020
<i>Firebringer</i>	Rhodes Theatre Guild, TN	Assistant. Director	Spring 2020
<i>Hissifit*</i>	McCoy Theatre, TN	Scott Rodent	November 14-24, 2019
<i>Solitude Together*</i>	McCoy Theatre, TN	Playwright	November 11, 2019

\*Denotes world premiere

## ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

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**Rhodes Theatre Guild (RTG)**, *Artistic Director, Vice President, & Secretary*, Memphis, TN, August 2019-May 2023

- Proposed and produced innovative creative works for a complete theatrical season at the McCoy Theatre.
- Participated in, organized, and executed student-run productions, informed students and faculty on upcoming events, and supported other officers in achieving their artistic goals.
- Managed marketing and digital strategies for social media @**rhodestheatreguild** and wrote press releases.
- Initiated new fundraising strategies and maintained an under-budget season with a positive profit margin.

**SunFish Children's Theatre**, *Teaching Artist and Social Media Manager*, Memphis, TN, January 2022-Present

- Taught elementary school children about the art of improvisation and pantomime.
- Launched @sunfishchildrenstheatre Instagram, managed content, and built online audience from scratch.

**Rhodes College Alumni Relations**, *Digital Content Intern*, Memphis, TN, April 2022-May 2023

- Created social media content for the @rhodesbeyond Instagram, which represents the alumni office and targets communication and interaction with the national and international Rhodes community.
- Fundraised for the Rhodes Annual Fund and expanded networking skills by fostering relations with alumni.
- Studied engagement analytics and provided weekly reports for discussion with superior.

**Rhodes Media Studies Student Advisory Council**, *Social Media Coordinator*, Memphis, TN, Feb 2022-May 2023

- Initiated the @rhodesmediastudies Instagram page and developed content to create Media Studies awareness.
- Served as a student voice in administrative meetings about structuring the new major.

**Rhodes College Theatre Department**, *Technical Production Assistant*, Memphis, TN, February 2020-December 2020

- Designed and built theatrical sets with a team for college productions.
- Teaching Assistant for the production shop's technical director.

#### INTERNSHIPS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND THEATRE NOTABLES

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**Williamstown Theatre Festival Professional Training Program**, *Intensive Fellow*, Williamstown, MA, Summer 2022

- Trained in a seven-week paid educational menteeship on holistic theatre practices, hands-on experiential learning, professional workshops, shadowing various festival departments, and funded personal creative projects.
- *The Edge of the World* (Devised Ensemble Piece, Co-Director and Co-Writer, August 2022), Excerpts from *Lizzie* (Alice, August 2022)

**Rhodes Institute for Regional Studies**, *Student Researcher and Playwright*, Memphis, TN, Summer 2021

- Commissioned and fully funded to write a full-length play *Pinchguts* based on research about the Memphis yellow fever outbreak of 1878.

**New Southern Young Playwrights Festival**, *Playwright*, Horizon Theater, June 2020

- Accepted for original 10-minute play *Show-and-Tell*.
- Commissioned by Horizon Theater to write *The Moyo Dilemma*.

#### OTHER SKILLS AND INTERESTS

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**Social Media:** Instagram, Facebook, Twitter, Linktree, Social Sprout

**Graphic Design and Software:** Adobe Premiere Pro, Canva, Wix, Microsoft 365

**Networking:** Pardot, Raiser's Edge, Trello

**Languages:** Spanish - professional proficiency

**Interests:** Boba tea enthusiast, advocate for safety in solo traveling