

Playwrighting Resume

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SELECTED FULL LENGTH PLAYS

Husband? What Husband? The Radio Show

A farcical comedy about clandestine husbands, slamming doors and buried treasure.

2023 Production, Amplitude Theatre, Ottawa, ON
 2021 Recorded Reading, Theatre Wakefield, QC

Jack's Speech

An elderly Christian asks his troubled youth neighbour Kate, to help write a speech, offering her hope, faith, and truths about herself.

Workshop, 9th Hour Theatre Company, Ottawa, ON

Miracle on 34th Street: The Radio Show *

An adaptation of the novel by Valentine Davies. A timeless family Christmas classic.

2023 Production, Theatre CBS, Conception Bay South, NF

2012 Production, Plosive Productions, Ottawa, ON

Portrait of Murder (murder mystery dinner theatre production)

Stolen art, jealousy, and deception. All the elements for a perfect picture of murder.

2002 Production, Vintage Stock Theatre, Cumberland, ON

SELECTED SHORT PLAYS

Hold the Phone

A ten-minute play about a blind date highjacked by over-zealous and interfering friends.

2023 Production, Department of Dramatic Arts, Brock University, St Catharines, ON

The Rooftop Guy

A one-act comedy about the antics of federal government workers, vying for coveted office furniture.

Virtual Production, ITR Theatre Company, Osgoode, ON

2010 Fringe Festival Production, Tale Wagging Theatre, Ottawa Fringe Festival, ON

2008 Production, East End Theatre, Cumberland, ON

Crackers

A one-act comedy about two parrots, one of whom can read the paper lining his cage and has his favourite TV show.

2015 Fringe Festival Production, Tale Wagging Theatre, Ottawa Fringe Festival, ON

2012 Production, Tale Wagging Theatre, Ottawa, ON

Bugface and the Princess

A one-act comedy about nefarious bugs, human exterminators, and a plot to overthrow the bug kingdom.

Orleans Young Players Theatre School, Ottawa, ON

OTHER WRITING EXPERIENCE

Over a span of thirteen years, more than two hundred and fifty humour columns for a variety of newspapers and magazines, including: The Weekly Journal, The Orleans Star, The Kanata Kourier-Standard, Monitor Magazine, Christian News Ottawa and ChristianCurrent (Ontario Edition)

^{*} Adaptation - Written in collaboration with Teri Loretto-Valentik and Nicole Milne

SELECTED OTHER THEATRE EXPERIENCE

Acting:

2018	Director, Stage Kiss	Phoenix Players, Ottawa, ON
2015	Colonel Ralston, Rexy	Phoenix Players, Ottawa, ON
2012	Papa, I Remember Mama	Phoenix Players, Ottawa, ON

2011 Priest, Joseph, Eyes Upon the Cross 9th Hour Theatre Company, Ottawa, ON

Directing:

2021	The Rooftop Guy (virtual production)	ITR Theatre Company, Osgoode, ON
2008	A Fowl Business	Vintage Stock Theatre, Cumberland, ON

Producing:

2012 & 2015	Crackers	Tale Wagging Theatre, Ottawa, ON
2010	The Rooftop Guy	Tale Wagging Theatre, Ottawa, ON

Co- Producing*

2023 Husband? What Husband? The Radio Show Amplitude Theatre, Ottawa, ON

Founder/Artistic Director:

2010 – 2017 Tale Wagging Theatre

EDUCATION

2013 & 2014	The Acting Company	Playwriting: Page to Stage (Laurie Fyffe)
2014	Ottawa Little Theatre	Field Guide to Playwriting (Dan Needles)
2013	Ottawa School of Speech and Drama	Playwriting Workshop (Pierre Brault)
2006	Theatre Ontario Summer Course	Playwriting Master Class (Allan Stratton)
2005	Theatre Ontario Summer Course	Playwriting: An Actor's Approach (Allan Stratton)

MEMBERSHIPS AND ASSOCIATIONS

Playwrights Guild of Canada

Word Guild

PAL Ottawa

Arts Network Ottawa

Chair, Algonquin College Professional Writing Advisory Committee

AWARDS

Jack's Speech Shortlisted for Fire Exit Theatre's Scripts on Fire New Play Competition.

^{*} With Teri Loretto