

# Jason Vance Campbell

## *Curriculum Vitae*

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### **Education**

**Master of Fine Arts in Theatre Pedagogy with a Concentration in Dramatic Literature and Dramaturgy**  
Virginia Commonwealth University (VCU) 2009

Thesis: *Responding to the Plague Years: AIDS Theatre in the 1980s*

**Bachelor of Fine Arts in Theatre Education**

VCU, Richmond, Virginia

2007

**Virginia Teaching License: Secondary**

Theatre, English and Speech

2005-2014

**Professional Training Certificate in Musical Theatre**

The American Musical and Dramatic Academy (AMDA), New York, New York

2003

### **Teaching Experience: Elementary, Middle and High**

**Appomattox Regional Governor's School for the Arts and Technology, Petersburg, VA.** 2010- 2014

#### **Theatre Arts Instructor (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grades)**

Teach classes in Acting (freshmen and juniors); Musical Theatre Performance (Juniors and Seniors); Theatre History and Show Choir. Also direct the school's mainstage musical every year. Work with area theatres to create professional experiences for my students. All students in the department are gifted and talented and must audition to be admitted into the school.

**School of the Performing Arts in the Richmond Community, Richmond, VA.**

2007-2015

**Rising Stars (7-8 year olds)**

Created curriculum of theatre, music and dance especially suited to each group of students. Taught all aspects of theatre performance as well as theatre structure including, warm-ups, theatre games, and stage directions, culminating in an original show for parents and friends.

**Mini-SPARC (5-6 year olds)**

Created curriculum of theatre, music and dance especially suited to each group of students. Taught all aspects of theatre performance as well as theatre structure including, warm-ups, theatre games, and stage directions, culminating in an original show for parents and friends.

**SPARCLERS (5-11 year olds)**

Served as camp director for four different three-week summer camp sessions. Oversaw a team of teaching assistants and managed the camp budget. Worked with a co-teacher to create the curriculum for each session including an original show involving music, theatre and dance.

**Theatre Enrichment (6-11 year olds)**

Introduced elementary students to theatrical performance through short scenes, songs and choreography. Emphasis placed on warm-ups, theatre games and focus activities.

**College Level Teaching Experience As Instructor of Record**

Virginia Commonwealth University

2007-2009

**History of Dramatic Literature/ Modern Drama**

Both classes serve as a survey of plays from Ancient Greeks through modern day. Each course is directly linked with a required class in theatre history and serves to supplement readings from that class. The class is writing intensive and special attention is paid to creating a research-based persuasive essay in MLA Style. Chose required reading for each course as well as created syllabus and daily lesson plans.

**Graduate/Undergraduate Seminar: AIDS and Theatre**

This survey of theatrical literature as responses to the AIDS epidemic reviewed various plays from the early 1980s to today. Attention was paid to the political and social aspects of these AIDS plays in relation to the historical context of the disease. Created class syllabus as well as course schedule and daily lesson plans.

### **Speech for Business and the Professions**

An introduction to effective uses of extemporaneous speech for aspiring business and professional students using *The Art of Public Speaking* by Stephen E. Lucas. Taught informative, persuasive, and impromptu speech techniques while focusing on tips for successful interview practice. Created course syllabus and daily lesson plans.

### **Effective Public Speaking**

A general education introduction to effective uses of extemporaneous speech using *The Art of Public Speaking*, by Stephen E. Lucas. Taught informative, persuasive and impromptu speech techniques. Created course syllabus and daily lesson plans.

## **Directing**

*The Chalk Garden*, The Theater Company at Fort Lee, VA 2014

*Carrie: The Musical*, Appomattox Regional Governor's School, Petersburg, VA 2013

*The 25th Annual Putnam County Spellin Bee*, Appomattox Regional Governor's School, Petersburg, VA 2013

*The Pride*, Richmond Triangle Players, Richmond, VA 2013

*Stupid Kids*, Richmond Triangle Players, Richmond, VA 2012

*HAIR*, Appomattox Regional Governor's School, Petersburg, VA 2012

*To Whom It May Concern*, St. Mary's Episcopal Church (part of Acts of Faith Festival), Richmond, VA 2012

*Xanadu*, Appomattox Regional Governor's School, Petersburg, VA 2011

*The Drowsy Chaperone*, Appomattox Regional Governor's School, Petersburg, VA 2010

*Beirut*- VCU, Richmond, VA 2009

*Daniel on a Thursday*- VCU, Richmond, VA 2008

*Women In Heat* – VCU, Richmond, VA 2007

*The Stonewater Rapture* – VCU, Richmond, VA 2006

*Birth* – Firehouse Theatre, Richmond, VA 2006

## **Performance**

### **THEME PARK:**

Rudolph and Friends	Yukon Cornelius	Busch Gardens, FL
Haunted Homecoming	Singer/Swing	King's Dominion, VA
The Secrets of Castle O'Sullivan	Aaron	Busch Gardens, VA

### **REGIONAL THEATRE:**

Life Could Be A Dream	Wally	Swift Creek Mill Playhouse, VA
Hello Dolly	Barnaby	Jewish Family Theatre, VA
The Bridal Dance	Isaac	Firehouse Theatre Project, VA
This Beautiful City	Ensemble	Richmond Triangle Players, VA
Joseph and the Amazing Dreamcoat	Levi	Swift Creek Mill Playhouse, VA
Mame	Ensemble	Barksdale Theatre, VA
To Whom It May Concern	Mike	St. Mark's Players, VA

### **CHILDREN'S TOURING THEATRE:**

The Wizard of Oz	The Wizard	American Family Theatre, PA
The Snow Queen	Aristotle	Sail Productions, NJ
The Legend of Sleepy Hollow	Ichabod Crane	Sail Productions, NJ

### **SUMMER STOCK:**

Do Black Patent Leather Shoes...	Felix Lindor	Fort Salem Theatre, NY
The Butler Did It	Chandler Marlowe	Fort Salem Theatre, NY
Brigadoon	Dogette/Aggie	Fort Salem Theatre, NY
Winnie The Pooh	Winnie The Pooh	Fort Salem Theatre, NY

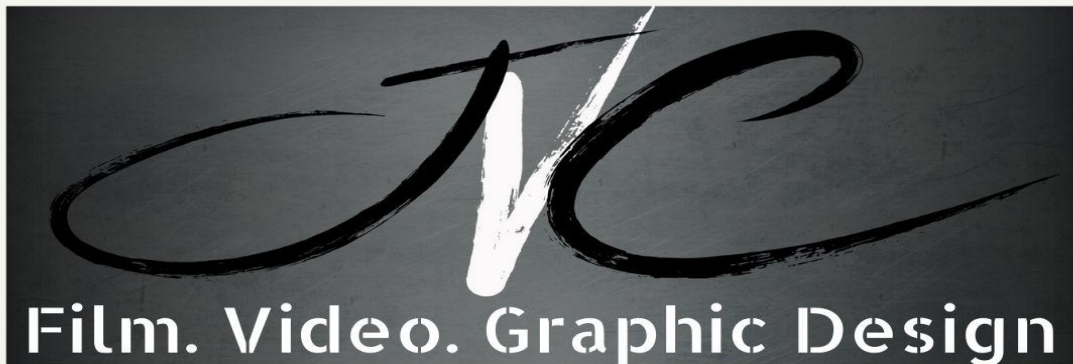
### **WORKSHOPS:**

Company of Angels	Robert	Richmond Triangle Players, VA
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## **Reference**

Cindy Warren, Department Head/Technicaldirector-ARGS  
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Taylor Bernard, Theater Teacher at Chesterfield County Public Schools  
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Provided design services to clients such as local charities and artists to develop websites, print and web marketing materials such as brochures, posters, and logos using Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator and InDesign.

## EDUCATION

### **Virginia Commonwealth University**

2009

Master of Fine Arts in Theatre Pedagogy

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2007

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Theatre Education

## SKILLS

- Graphic Design
- Illustration
- Photography
- Motion Graphics
- Videography
- Layouting

## EXPERIENCE

### **2019-PRESENT**

- Created complex graphics and professional designs for a variety of businesses, organizations, professionals and individuals, including custom graphic and logo design.
- Tasked to make graphics for offline layouts.
- Organization of files
- Developed user-interface architecture and navigation for websites improving usability and resulted in increased traffic.

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## **EXPERIENCE AFTER STROKE**

### **Amazon - Ashland, VA**

STOCKER | 04/2020 - 07/2020

- Maintained neat, safe and orderly workspace to prevent accidents and injuries.
- Followed proper stock rotation procedures to minimize obsolescence and remove out of date items from sales floor.
- Received incoming product deliveries and relocated to storage shelves, coolers or bins.

### **Gulfport Senior Center - Gulfport, FL**

DRIVER | 05/2018 - 11/2020

- Delivered goods and services to customers on time and in excellent condition.
- Utilized GPS to optimize routes and continuously meet estimated delivery times.
- Monitored traffic conditions and applied defensive strategies to avoid accidents