

# Edie L. Norlin

## Theater Resume

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### EDUCATION

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**THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, Columbus, OH**  
*30 graduate hours in Secondary Administration*

**THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA, Norman, OK**  
*Master's in Education, in Historical, Philosophical and Social Foundations in Education, Dec. 1988*  
*Bachelor of Arts, in Communication and English, May 1984*

### PLAYWRIGHT

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Auditions Can Be Murder, Dude (2019)  
A Reader's Theater for the Declining Actor (2019)  
Narration to The First Thanksgiving Historical Reenactment (2012)  
The Wonderful Wizard of College, commissioned by Call to College, Newark City Schools, OH (2010)  
The Story of Jesus' Birth: An Advent Story (2010)  
Marry Me, Sidney (1984)

### STAGE DIRECTOR

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<b>Production</b>	<b>Theater</b>
BAREFOOT IN THE PARK	Weathervane Playhouse, Inc. Newark, OH
AUDITIONS CAN BE MURDER, DUDE	Black Box Theater, The Ohio State University Newark, OH
THE HEIRESS	BBT
ANTIGONE	BBT
OEDIPUS REX	BBT
A Zoom Reader's Theater of JULIUS CAESAR	BBT
A Zoom Reader's Theater of MACBETH	BBT
FIVE MILE LAKE (cancelled due to COVID)	BBT
DADDY LONG LEGS, THE MUSICAL	BBT
AN ACT OF IMAGINATION	Licking County Players Newark, OH
THE AUTHENTIC LIFE OF BILLY THE KID	BBT
CROSSING DELANCEY	BBT
MISS HOLMES	LCP
GOODBYE CHARLIE	BBT
THE DIARY OF ANNE FRANK (Youth Production)	WYART, Weathervane Playhouse Newark, OH
LOVE LETTERS	BBT
DOUBT: A PARABLE	BBT

THE KING'S HORSES	BBT
DRACULA (Deane script)	BBT
1776	OSU Newark & LCP
GOD OF CARNAGE	BBT
ANGEL STREET	BBT
BUS STOP	LCP
RABBIT HOLE	BBT
THE GLASS MENAGERIE	BBT
DEATH BY DESIGN	LCP
RAVENSCROFT	BBT
VANITIES	BBT
SYLVIA	LCP
DIAL M FOR MURDER	LCP
THE COMPLETE WORKS OF WM SHAKESPEARE (ABRIDGED)	LCP
THE FIRST THANKSGIVING: AN HISTORICAL REENACTMENT (2012-2015)	Berkeley Plantation Charles City, VA
CHILDREN'S SCIENCE SHOWS: INVENTION, CHEMISTRY & ELECTRICITY	PNC STEM Grant, Midland Theater & The Works Museum, Newark, OH
THE WONDERFUL WIZARD OF COLLEGE (2011-2015)	A Call to College/Newark City Schools Newark, OH
Rodgers & Hammerstein's CINDERELLA	LCP
THE KITCHEN WITCHES	LCP
LEADING LADIES	LCP
MOUSETRAP	LCP
THE REAL INSPECTOR HOUND	BBT
HOME IS WHERE YOUR CLOTHES ARE	LCP
THE MURDER ROOM	LCP/Granville Dinner Theater, Granville, OH
REHEARSAL FOR MURDER	LCP
LOST IN YONKERS	LCP
MARRY ME, SIDNEY	Little Axe High School, Pink, OK

## **STAGE ACTOR**

<b>Role &amp; Production</b>	<b>Theater</b>
Claire A READER'S THEATER FOR THE DECLINING ACTOR	BBT
Melissa LOVE LETTERS	BBT
Thelma 'NIGHT MOTHER	BBT
Louise Paradine POSTMORTEM	LCP
Adrienne Bancroft STAR WITNESS	LCP
La Marquise de Merteuil LES LIAISONS DANGEREUSES	LCP
Julia Marlowe AN EVENING WITH JULIA MARLOWE (One woman show) 3 performances	River Excursion Cruise Based out of New Orleans, LA
Julia Marlowe AN EVENING WITH JULIA MARLOWE (1 woman show)	The Ariel Theater Gallopolis, OH

Diana ANOTHER ANTIGONE	BBT
Nell END GAME	BBT
Katrin I REMEMBER MAMA	LCP
Elizabeth CATCH ME IF YOU CAN	LCP
Sophia DIMETOS	BBT
Lucinda INTO THE WOODS	LCP
Jessie Mae THE TRIP TO BOUNTIFUL	LCP
Chris Gorman RUMORS	LCP
Anna Leonowens THE KING AND I	LCP
Roz MOON OVER BUFFALO	LCP
Elsa Schaefer THE SOUND OF MUSIC	LCP
Gilda Glitter MURDER MYSTERY DINNER THEATER	LCP
Blanche Cooke NIGHT WATCH	LCP
Billie Dawn BORN YESTERDAY	BBT
Cecily THE IMPORTANCE OF BEING EARNEST	BBT
The Lady Eurydice, Eurydice	BBT
Amy Lee LAUNDRY AND BOURBON	BBT
Fanny Wilson JOHN GABRIEL BORKMAN	LCP
Kathy VANITIES	BBT
Mistress Page THE MERRY WIVES OF WINDSOR	Rosebriar Shakespeare Company Columbus, OH
Puck A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM	The Ohio State University Amphitheater Newark, OH
Belinda/Flavia NOISES OFF	Weathervane Playhouse Newark, OH
Elvira BLITHE SPIRIT	LCP
Lucinda INTO THE WOODS	Weathervane Playhouse Newark, OH
Mrs. Bellotti Hot 1 Baltimore	BBT
Norma Café Crown	Gallery Players Columbus, OH
Various Roles THE DINING ROOM	LCP
Lady Capulet & Musical Director ROMEO AND JULIET	Rosebriar Shakespeare Company Columbus, OH

Queen Elizabeth RICHARD III	Rosebriar Shakespeare Company Columbus, OH
Hermia A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM	Rosebriar Shakespeare Company Columbus, OH
Marjorie EXTREMITIES	Theater Project, Inc, Columbus, OH
Shelby STEEL MAGNOLIAS	K.B. Productions Manitowoc, WI
Elvira BLITHE SPIRIT	The Masquers, Inc. Manitowoc, WI
Essie YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU	The Masquers, Inc. Manitowoc, WI
Tansy THE NERD	The Masquers, Inc. Manitowoc, WI
Lucy DRACULA (Kelly script)	Theater Norman Norman, OK
Chorus H.M.S. PINAFORE	University of Oklahoma Norman, OK
Chorus CAVALLERIA RUSTICANA & PAGLIACCI	University of Oklahoma Norman, OK
Stanley's Daughter PIRATES OF PENZANCE	University of Oklahoma Norman, OK
Chorus TRIAL BY JURY	First Presbyterian Church Norman, OK
Principal Dancer & Asst. Choreographer BRIGADOON	Norman High School Norman, OK
Princess THE KING AND I	Lyric Theater Oklahoma City, OK

## **ARTS ADMINISTRATION EXPERIENCE**

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### **THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY AT NEWARK, Newark, OH**

*Artistic & Managing Director of Black Box Theater and Theater Senior Lecturer, August 2013-Present*

- Oversee scheduling, maintenance, and repairs of theater
- Supervise technical staff
- Select university season
- Produce and direct all productions
- Supervise cast/crew of productions
- Box office manager
- Teach technical theater and acting practicums
- Properties master
- House manager, stage manager, etc. as needed
- Guest speaker on theater for campus and local communities
- Performed other administrative tasks as needed

### **Licking County Players, Inc., Newark, OH**

*Served as Board Member, President, Vice President and Publicity Chairperson 1999-2011*

- Fulfilled board responsibilities
- Served as organizational spokesperson
- Designed season materials
- Bylined all press releases and publicity materials
- Oversee theater management
- Publicity Chairperson (1999-2003)
- Served as Vice President from July-Sept. 2000, 2007
- Served as President from Sept. 2000-2003, 2008-2011

**Weathervane Playhouse, Newark, OH***Served as Board Member and Publicity Chairperson, 1993-1996*

- Fulfilled board responsibilities
- Served as organizational spokesperson
- Designed season brochures
- Bylined all press releases and publicity materials
- Hired Artistic Director
- Trained Theater Manager

**The Masquers, Inc., Manitowoc, WI***Served as Board Member 1989-92*

- Fulfilled board responsibilities

**CENTRAL OHIO THEATER ASSOCIATION COMPLETION EXPERIENCE**

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**As Director:**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Production</b>	<b>Theater</b>	<b>Awards</b>
State 2012	THE COMPLETE WORKS OF WM SHAKESPEARE (ABRIDGED)	LCP	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place Actor Awards
Regionals 2012	THE COMPLETE WORKS OF WM SHAKESPEARE (ABRIDGED)	LCP	Actor Awards
State 2009	THE KITCHEN WITCHES	LCP	Actor Awards
Regionals 2009	THE KITCHEN WITCHES	LCP	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place Actor Awards Ensemble Award
Regionals 2001	LOST IN YONKERS	LCP	-

**As Actor:**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Production &amp; Role</b>	<b>Theater</b>	<b>Awards</b>
Regionals 2003	THE TRIP TO BOUNTIFUL Jessie Mae	LCP	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place Excellence in Acting
Regionals 2002	THE KING AND I Anna Leonowens	LCP	-

**FILM ACTING EXPERIENCE**

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<b>Role &amp; Production</b>	<b>Theater</b>
Jean THE PLAYERS	Independent Local Film Newark, OH
Sam's Mother PASSAGES TO FREEDOM: AN OHIO UNDERGROUND RAILROAD STORY	Ohio University & Ohio Humanities Council Various Rural locations, OH
Mother MILK CARTON	Student Film Project Denison University Granville, OH

## **TELEVISION EXPERIENCE**

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<b>Role &amp; Production</b>	<b>Company</b>
Various Roles STUDENT VIDEO PROJECTS	University of Oklahoma Norman, OK
Host, Staff Writer & Co-Producer “TIGER DEN” High School Magazine	Norman High School Norman, OK

## **THEATER EDUCATION EXPERIENCE**

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*Performing Arts Mentor for High School Students* for Licking County Educational Services Center, Newark, OH (2011, 2012, 2014, 2017, 2018)

*Performing Arts and Gifted Assessment Judge* for Licking County Educational Service Center, Newark, OH (2011 to present)

*Co-playwright & Director of The Wonderful Wizard of College* based on A Call to College 4<sup>th</sup> grade curriculum on money management, performed for seven elementary schools, Newark, OH, 2011-present

*Director of Invention, Chemistry and Electricity scripts* in collaboration with The Midland Theater and The Work Science & Industry Museum based on 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade science curriculum, performed multiple times at The Midland Theater, Newark, OH, 2012

*Director of The Historical Reenactment of the First American Thanksgiving*, Berkeley Plantation, Charles City, VA, 2012, 2013, 2014

*Fine Arts Judge* for various local arts related competitions, 1998-present

## **THEATER WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS & PRESENTATIONS**

*Guest Speaker on Theater* for The Ohio State University at Newark Annual Emeritus Dinner, Newark, OH, 2014-present

*Theater Day Workshop for Middle School Students* for Licking County Educational Service Center, Newark, OH (2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015)

*Introduction to the Theatrical Arts & Crafts for High School Students* for Weathervane Playhouse, Newark, OH (2014)

*Stage Combat Workshop (hand-to-hand)* presented to various audiences over the years

*Theater Talk (history of LCP, How to Produce a Stage Show and various other theater related topics)* presented to various audiences over the years, 1998-present

## **ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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Active Playwright

Stage Combat Training/Hand-to-Hand Unarmed – Instructor Wayne G. Weber A.E.A.

Classical Ballet & some Tap

Flute, Piano, Alto Voice

## REFERENCES

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**Susan Pingleton Sansanowicz**

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(Equity actor directed by Edie)

**Janet Schultz**

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(Retired A Call to College Director, Newark City Schools, Edie co-authored and directed commissioned play, The Wonderful Wizard of College based on 4<sup>th</sup> grade financial literacy curriculum)

**Dave Lee**

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(Fellow actor, Co-directed with and directed by Edie)

**Tim Smith**

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**Ellie Unger**

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Other references available upon request.