

Tahirah Khadija Agbamuche

Themed Experience & Costume Designer

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Education

Carnegie Mellon University
Pittsburgh, PA
Performance & Soft Technology
(Costume Design, Movement & Technology)
August 2016-May 2020
2019 Dean's List

Skills

- ★ Sewing (Machine & Hand)
- ★ Costume, Fashion & Character Design
- ★ Guest Experience & Story Design
- ★ Adobe Illustrator, Premier Pro, Character Animator
- ★ Team Project Management
- ★ Aerial, Ballroom & Traditional Dance

Design

Disney Imagineering, Anaheim, CA — *Imaginations Design Competition, Semi-Finalists, Team Head/Visual Development*

August 2019-January 2020

Disney's D23 Expo, Anaheim, CA — *Mousequerade, Worlds of Adventure 1st place Winner*

April 2019-August 2019

Sweeney Todd, Pittsburgh, PA — *Costume Designer*

April 2018-October 2018

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA — *Assistant Costume Designer*

January 2018-February 2018

Colorado Shakespeare Festival, Boulder, CO — *Assistant Costume Design Intern*

May 2017-August 2017

Costuming & Fashion

Heinz History Center, Pittsburgh, PA — *Ruth Carter Costume Exhibit Install Team*

The month of August 2018

NFL (Pittsburgh Steelers), Pittsburgh, PA — *Wardrobe Assistant/Stylist*

September 2018-October 2018

Pittsburgh Fashion Week, Pittsburgh, PA — *Stylist*

August 2018-Present

Pittsburgh Ballet Theatre, Pittsburgh, PA — *Costume Shop Stitcher*

October - Present

Carnegie Mellon University IDEATe, Pittsburgh, PA — *Soft Technologies Assistant (E-Textiles)*

August 2019-Present

Arts Education

Florida Children's Theatre, Fort Lauderdale, FL — *Storybook Adventures Art and Performance Instructor*

May 2019-August 2019

Awards

- ★ Frank-Ratchye Fund for Arts @ the Frontier Grant Recipient, Fall 2019
- ★ Boettcher Award Recipient
- ★ Carbonell Award Finalist
- ★ Arts for the Future Recipient
- ★ Florida Park Service Certificate of Recognition

References

Shirley Saldamarco: Special Faculty at Entertainment Technology Center - shirley@andrew.cmu.edu

John Dessler: Professor at Entertainment Technology Center - jdessler@andrew.cmu.edu