

ISABELLA LEONE

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EDUCATION

- 2013- 2017 **Bachelor of Fine Arts specialization in Theatre and Development**
Concordia University, Montreal, QC
- graduated with distinction
- Heather and Ellen Walker Humanitarian Award, 2015 (\$1000)

WORKSHOPS AND INTENSIVES

- 2023 **Comfort in Discomfort**, Stéphane Crête, Studio 303, Montréal QC
MIG Welding, Hugo Nam, Atelier La Coulée, Montréal QC
- 2022 **Dance Dramaturgy**, Angélique Wilkie + Katiya Montignac Studio 303, Montréal QC
Mechanisms of the Musical, Clinton Stringer + Justin F. Kennedy, Studio 303, Montréal QC
DIY Electronics for Artists, Anne-F Jacques, Ada X, Montréal QC
- 2019 **On Wet'suwet'en**, Reading to Decolonize, Montréal QC
North Star Wilderness Program, Coyote Programs, Kahnawake, QC
Video Mapping, Nelly-Eve Rajotte, Ada X, Montréal QC
- 2018 **Lighting Design**, Paul Chambers, Studio 303, Montréal QC
Butoh Dance, Paul Ighby, Studio 303, Montréal QC
- 2016 **Theater Mitu Artist Intensive**, Theater Mitu, New York City, NY
Bread and Puppet Theater Apprenticeship, Glover, VT

PERFORMANCES AND GROUP SHOWS

- 2020 **sun sets**, Constellations, Théâtre aux Écuries, Montréal QC *cancelled due to COVID*
- 2019 **sun sets**
- Festival SOIR, Atelier 10, Montréal, QC
- OFFTA, Wilder Espace danse, Montréal, QC
- 2018 **Deep Blue Sea (Masses)**
- Le Mile End s'articule: OLÉ! articule, Montréal QC
- Kaylyx Collective: In Bloom, Eastern Bloc, Montréal QC
- 2017 **L'Économie des mains**, Café Concret, La Vitrola, Montréal QC
{Permutations}
- RIPA, Eastern Bloc, Montréal QC
- Risque d'Échec, Art Matters Festival, Mainline Gallery, Montréal QC
- 2016 **Utility Kid** Material Conductors, VAV Gallery, Montréal QC
It's a Party Tactile Museum, Eastern Bloc, Montréal QC
Our Lady 1.0 Café Concret, Bar le Ritz, Montréal QC
Of Haily Dabits and Oversized Heads, Concordia's The Playground, Montréal QC
- 2015 **Cheers!** Laboratoire Phenomena, Casa del Popolo, Montréal QC

SCENOGRAPHY

2024 **Set and puppet builder**

Ten Sentences: On the Life of Robert Walser, dir. Mark Sussman

Jalopy Theatre, Brooklyn NY

Casteliers Festival, Montréal QC

scenographic consultant and props builder

Leaky Immediations, choreographer Lara Oundjian

La Chapelle scènes contemporaines, Montréal, QC

2019 **costume designer**

Racine(s), Théâtre Citoyen, directors Julien Blais & Anne-Marie St-Louis,

Studio Espace Libre, Montréal QC

2018 **set and lighting designer**

Le meilleur des mondes, Créactifs, dir. Anne-Marie Saint-Louis

Salle Rivard, Montréal QC

2017 **costume and lighting designer**

(É)close, Créactifs, dir. Anne-Marie Saint-Louis

Salle Rivard, Montréal QC

GRANTS

2020 ***sun sets***, Conseil des Arts et des Lettres du Québec (\$15,000)

2019 ***sun sets***, Explore and Create, Canada Council for the Arts (\$21,270)

sun sets, Project Grant, Conseil des arts de Montréal (\$5,000)

2018 ***Deep Blue Sea***, Jeunes Volontaires (\$17,600)

2016 ***Bread and Puppet Theater***, Concordia Sustainability Action Fund Grant(\$7,000)

Bread and Puppet Theater, Concordia FASA Large Projects Grant (\$1,500)

Haily Dabits and Oversized Heads, Concordia FASA Small Projects Grant (\$400)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE (selected)

2023-2024 **Construction Labourer**, Ice Hotel, Vacances Valcartier, Saint-Gabriel-de-Valcartier, QC

2020- 2023 **Silviculture Tree Planter**

- Greepeaks Ltd. Midway B.C.
- GEA, Holberg B.C.
- A+G Reforestation, Princeton B.C.
- Celtic Reforestation, Prince George B.C.

2021 **Construction Labourer**, Bonhomme's Ice Palace, M. Lepire Sculpture, Québec City, QC

2016- 2018 **Research Assistant**, Ursula Neuerburg-Denzer, Concordia University, Montréal QC

2015- 2017 **Props Builder**, Concordia Theatre Department Properties Shop, Montréal QC

2016 **Production Assistant Intern**, Words & [] Durational Conference, Montréal QC

Producer, *Faust 3*, Bread and Puppet Theater, Montréal QC

Stagehand Intern, Big Dance Theater, New York City, NY

2015 **Company Management Intern**, Jacob's Pillow Dance Festival, Becket MA

2014- 2015 **The Water Shed Project Intern**, Porte Parole, Montréal QC

RESIDENCIES

- 2020 ***sun sets***, Technical Residency, Théâtre aux Écuries, Montréal QC
- 2018 ***sun sets***
- Écotone - Espace d'expérimentation, Baobab — Création multidisciplinaire, Montréal QC
 - Carrefour culturel de Notre-Dame-des-Prairies, Notre-Dame-des-Prairies QC
 - La Serre's Vous Êtes Ici, Théâtre aux Écuries, Montréal QC
- Deep Blue Sea***
- Visite Collective, Montréal, QC

MEMBERSHIPS AND AFFILIATIONS

- 2023 Volunteer performer, Bread and Puppet Theater, Glover VT
- 2017-2018 Board Member + Fine Arts Student Association representative
Sustainability Action Fund, Concordia University, Montréal QC
- 2017-2018 Member, Ada X, Montréal, QC
- 2014-2015 Member, Whalebone collective, Montréal QC

BIBLIOGRAPHY

- 2019 ***sun sets***, Interview La OFF.Radio,
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