

Artistic Director (2013-present)

Associate Director (2006-13)

Founding Co-Artistic Director (2000-04)**Great River Shakespeare Festival**

Founding Company member (2004-06)

**Minnesota Shakespeare Project and
Minnesota Shakespeare Festival at Grand Marais****Director:**

Park Square Theatre

*The Pirates of Penzance (original adaptation)**The Liar**The Snow Queen (original adaptation)**Johnny Baseball (Midwest Premier)*

Great River Shakespeare Festival

*Richard III**As You Like It**Romeo and Juliet**Macbeth*

Minnesota Opera

*La Fanciulla del West**Memory Boy (Project Opera - **World Premier**)*

Madison Opera

*Romeo and Juliet**The Barber of Seville**The Turn of the Screw**The Tender Land*

Pittsburgh Opera

Lucia di Lammermoor

Austin Opera

*Romeo et Juliette**Lucia di Lammermoor*

Portland Opera

Lucia di Lammermoor

Palm Beach Opera

*The Turn of the Screw**Brundibar*

Opera Theater of St. Louis

*The Barber of Seville (Opera on the Go)**The Pirates of Penzance (Opera on the Go)**The Very Last Green Thing**Brundibar*

Minnesota Opera (Resident Artist Program)

The Rape of Lucretia

Minnesota Orchestra and the Minnesota Opera

Scenes from La Boheme

Seattle Police Department

Lily Loves Charlie, OK?

Director (cont):

Guthrie/University of Minnesota BFA	<i>Cymbeline</i> <i>Henry VI Part 1 and 2</i> <i>Romeo and Juliet</i>
University of Iowa	<i>The Crucible</i>
New Breath Productions	<i>Rags</i>
Minnesota Shakespeare Project	<i>Hamlet</i>
Minnesota Shakespeare Festival at Grand Marais	<i>Hamlet</i> <i>Pericles, Prince of Tyre</i> <i>Macbeth</i>
Theater 3 (touring, Port Jefferson, NY)	<i>Hamlet</i> <i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i> <i>Romeo and Juliet</i>
St. Olaf College	<i>Ruddigore</i> <i>Great Expectations</i>
The Great River Shakespeare Festival (Apprentice Company)	<i>Cymbeline</i> <i>As You Like It</i>
Gilbert & Sullivan Very Light Opera Company	<i>The Sorcerer</i>
Institute of Vocal Artistry, Minneapolis	<i>Hansel and Gretel</i>
St. Paul Chamber Orchestra (Education programs)	<i>Bastienne and Bastienna</i>
Northfield Arts Guild	<i>Much Ado About Nothing</i> <i>Twelfth Night</i>
Lake Country School	<i>Mid-West Side Story</i> <i>(An original Moliere adaptation)</i>
Northfield Youth Choirs	<i>H.M.S. Pinafore, The Mikado</i>

Upcoming:

Great River Shakespeare Festival	<i>Shakespeare in Love</i> (regional premier)
Austin Opera	<i>Otello</i>
Madison Opera	<i>A Little Night Music</i>

Reviews, video and production photos at dougsholzcarlson.com

Fight Choreographer

PARK SQUARE THEATER	Jef Hall-Flavin David Mann Joel Sass Richard Cook Jef Hall-Flavin	<i>Macbeth</i> <i>Romeo and Juliet</i> <i>Oliver Twist</i> <i>Othello</i> <i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i>
HASBRO (BROADCAST COMMERCIAL)	Make Productions	<i>Blade Builders Lightsaber</i>
JUNGLE THEATER	Joel Sass Bain Boehlke	<i>Hitchcock Blonde</i> <i>How the Other Half Loves</i>
THE GUTHRIE THEATER	Joe Chvala Joe Dowling John Miller Stephany Jef Hall-Flavin	<i>A Christmas Carol</i> <i>Long Day's Journey Into Night</i> <i>Born Yesterday</i> <i>The Stuff of Dreams</i>
MINNESOTA OPERA	Joel Ivany Eric Simonson Eric Simonson Eric Simonson Eric Simonson David Roth (Keith Warner) Leah Hausmann Michael Erlich Thor Steingraber Christopher Mataliano Eric Simonson	<i>Dead Man Walking</i> <i>The Shining (World Premier)</i> <i>Silent Night (World Premier)</i> 2012 Pulitzer Prize for Music <i>Wuthering Heights</i> <i>Grapes of Wrath (World Premier)</i> <i>Carmen</i> <i>Otello</i> <i>Street Scene</i> <i>I Capuleti e i Montecchi</i> <i>Pagliacci</i> <i>The Handmaid's Tale</i> (American Premier)
GREAT RIVER SHAKESPEARE FESTIVAL	Also directed James Edmondson Also directed Also directed James Edmondson James Edmondson James Edmondson Paul Barnes Paul Barnes Alec Wild Alec Wild Paul Barnes Paul Barnes Also directed	<i>Richard III</i> <i>Julius Caesar</i> <i>As You Like It</i> <i>Romeo and Juliet</i> <i>Hamlet</i> <i>King Henry V</i> <i>King Lear</i> <i>The Two Gentlemen of Verona</i> <i>King Henry IV, Part 1</i> <i>Othello</i> <i>Richard III</i> <i>Romeo and Juliet</i> <i>As You Like It</i> <i>Macbeth</i>
CHILDREN'S THEATER COMPANY	David Mann Whit MacLaughlin Eric Simonson Michael John Garces	<i>Disney's Mulan</i> <i>The Hobbit</i> <i>Korczak's Children</i> <i>Snapshot Silhouette</i>
OPERA DE MONTREAL	Eric Simonson	<i>Silent Night</i>

Fight Choreographer (cont):

KANSAS CITY OPERA	Octavio Cardenas	<i>Silent Night</i>
FORT WORTH OPERA	Octavio Cardenas	<i>Silent Night</i>
OPERA PHILADELPHIA	Eric Simonson	<i>Silent Night (East Coast Premier)</i>
PALM BEACH OPERA	Kevin Newbury	<i>Romeo et Juliette</i>
PITTSBURGH OPERA	Eric Simonson	<i>The Grapes of Wrath</i>
NEW YORK CITY OPERA	Thor Steingraber	<i>I Capuleti e i Montecchi</i>
UTAH OPERA AND SYMPHONY	Eric Simonson	<i>The Grapes of Wrath</i>
TORCH THEATER	Craig Johnson	<i>Dangerous Liaisons</i>
NAUTILUS MUSIC-THEATER	Ben Krywocz	<i>Man of La Mancha</i>
THIRST THEATER	Also directed	<i>Sit Down</i>
MINNESOTA SHAKESPEARE FESTIVAL	David Mann	<i>Romeo and Juliet</i>
	David Mann	<i>Hamlet</i>
	Also directed	<i>Pericles, Prince of Tyre</i>
	Also directed	<i>Macbeth</i>
SEATTLE POLICE DEPARTMENT	Also directed	<i>Lily Loves Charlie, Okay?</i>
ROGUE THEATER	David Mann	<i>Corleone</i>

Assistant Director

THE GUTHRIE THEATER	<i>A Christmas Carol</i>	Joe Chvala
MINNESOTA OPERA	<i>The Grapes of Wrath (World Premiere)</i>	Eric Simonson
	<i>Carmen</i> (David Roth org. Keith Warner)	<i>Lucia di Lammermoor</i> (James Robinson)
	<i>Carmina Burana/Pagliacci</i> (Christopher Mataliano)	<i>The Magic Flute</i> (Michael Cavanaugh)
	<i>Don Carlos</i> (Tim Albery)	<i>The Barber of Seville</i> (Chuck Hudson)
	<i>La Boheme</i> (David Roth)	<i>Der Rosenkavalier</i> (Sandra Bernhardt)
	<i>Handmaid's Tale</i> (American Premier/Eric Simonson)	<i>Street Scene</i> (Michael Erlich)
UTAH OPERA & SYMPHONY	<i>The Grapes of Wrath</i>	Eric Simonson
PITTSBURGH OPERA	<i>The Grapes of Wrath</i>	Eric Simonson
	<i>Lucia di Lammermoor</i>	James Robinson

Stage Actor - Member of Actor's Equity Association

Minnesota (representative):

Ordinary Days (Ivey Award)	Jason	Ben Krywosz	Nautilus Music-Theater
Rosencrantz & Guild. are Dead	Guildestern	Gale Childs Daly	Great River
Henry V	Henry	James Edmondson	Shakespeare
KING LEAR	Edgar	James Edmondson	Festival
TWO GENTLEMEN OF VERONA	Speed	Paul Barnes	"

THE FANTASTICKS	El Gallo	Melissa Rain Anderson	Great River
HENRY IV, PART 1	Mortimer	Paul Barnes	Shakespeare
OTHELLO	Cassio	Alec Wild	Festival
COMEDY OF ERRORS	Dromio of Syracuse	Paul Barnes	"
LOVE'S LABOUR'S LOST	King of Navarre	Paul Barnes	"
THE TEMPEST	Trinculo	Alec Wild	"
THE TAMING OF THE SHREW	Grumio	Alec Wild	"
THE MERCHANT OF VENICE	Lancelot Gobbo	Paul Barnes	"
TWELFTH NIGHT	Feste	Alec Wild	"
ROMEO AND JULIET	Escalus/ Friar John	Paul Barnes	"
RICHARD III	Richmond/Murderer/Rivers	Alec Wild	"
THE WINTER'S TALE	Autolycus	Alec Wilde	"
MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM	Starveling	Paul Barnes	"
CHRISTMAS CAROL (5 YRS)	Young Scrooge/Marley	Gary Gisselman	Guthrie
SWEENEY TODD	Ensemble	John Miller-Stephany	Theater
GROSS INDECENCY	Narrator/et. al.	Ethan McSweeny	"
HAMLET	Laertes	Bain Boehlke	The Jungle Theater
HEAVEN	Peter Adamson	Joe Chvala	Flying Foot Forum
PEER GYNT	Peer Gynt	Robert Neu	The Minnesota Orchestra
MEFISTOFELE	Faust	Dominique Serrand	Theatre de la Jeune Lune
MAN OF LA MANCHA	Muleteer	Ben Krywosz	Nautilus Music-Theater
KORCZAK'S CHILDREN	Major Kepp	Eric Simonsen	Children's
PINOCHIO	Bertulucci	Wendy Lehr	Theater
LYLE THE CROCODILE	Lyle Double	David Ira Goldstein	Company
HAMLET	Hamlet	David Mann	Minnesota Shakespeare Project
A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM	Bottom/Lysander	David Mann	Minnesota
MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING	Benedick	David Mann	Shakespeare
ROMEO AND JULIET	Mercutio	David Mann	Festival
FOREVER PLAID	Sparky/Frankie	Michael Brindisi	Chanhassen Theaters
THE MUSIC MAN	Ensemble	Barbara Epstein	Ordway Music Theater
PASSION	Pvt. Augenti	Tim Albery	The Minnesota Opera
A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM	Bottom	Steve Babario	Stages Theater Company
MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING	Benedick	Ian Gallanar	Shakespeare in the Parks

Regional (representative):

COMEDY OF ERRORS	Dromio of Syracuse	Paul Barnes	Repertory Theatre of St. Louis
HAMLET (TOUR)	Hamlet	Gary Armagnac	Utah
THE MIKADO	Nanki-Poo	Roger Bean	Shakespeare
THE TEMPEST	Ariel	Nagel Jackson	Festival
A FUNNY THING ... FORUM	Protean	Roger Bean	"
LOVE'S LABOUR'S LOST	Mote	Kathleen Conlin	"
As You Like It	Dennis	Gary Armagnac	"
Richard III	Dorsett	D. Scott Glasser	"
SIX DEGREES OF SEPARATION	Mingler/ Understudy	David Saint	Seattle Repertory Theater
THE PIRATES OF PENZANCE	Frederick	Vince Leotta	Civic Light Opera (Seattle)
LILY LOVES CHARLIE, OK?	John	Susan Ross	Seattle Police Department
WEST SIDE STORY	Action	James Edmondson	Rogue Music Theater

ON CAMERA Actor

Commercial, Industrial and Print (representative):

BASF (principal - regional broadcast and internet)
Partners for Affordable Energy (2 spots - solo spokesman - regional broadcast)
Graco Paint Sprayers (solo spokesman - national broadcast and internet)
MyMedica (solo spokesman - 5 spots 3-4 minutes for MyMedica.com)
Marshfield Clinics (Regional broadcast - doctor) Big Box (broadcast, non-speaking)
BMW of Minnetonka (Regional broadcast - Doug) Renewal by Anderson (website)
Partners for Affordable Energy (broadcast) Aspirus Medical Centers (broadcast)
Certus Assurance Protection Plans (broadcast) Meier Foods (in-store network, host)
SMDC Heart Center, (broadcast, print and billboard) Valley Fair (broadcast)
Rottlund Homes (broadcast) Armed Forces Television (broadcast)
Alderwood Mall (broadcast and print) Frango Mints (broadcast and print)

Industrial On-Camera Narrator/Spokesperson (ear prompted):

Cosco (Sales training for hearing aides) Toro (product instructional DVD)
Amerigas (workplace safety DVD) Washington County (DVD)
Owatonna Tool Company (Pegisys e-Learning website) Frito Lay (workplace safety DVD)
Mac Tools (Navigator e-Learning website) Comprehensive Loss Management
Matco (Interceptor 5 e-Learning website) Deluxe Corporation (sales DVD)
Cornwell Tools (Tech Force Supreme e-Learning) Honeywell InnComm (instructional)

Other Industrial: Best Buy, General Mills, Creative Memories, Schwann's Foods, Target Stores, David Knox Productions, Dayton Hudson, Honeywell

Film & Television

Hamlet	Hamlet	Sterling Van Wagenen (Trip to Bountiful, etc.), Exec. Prod. Gary Armagnac, Director	KBYU-TV and MPS, Salt Lake City
Shakes, Rattle And Role	Hamlet	Sterling Van Wagenen, Gary Armagnac	KBYU and Utah Shake. Festival
A & P	Sammy	John Anglim, Prod. & Dir.	Independent

Educational Theater (representative)

Great River Shakespeare Festival

- Artistic Director 2013-present
- Education Director 2010-2015
 - Oversaw numerous education programs including Shakespeare for Young Actors, The Apprentice Actor Training Program, Technical Intern program, Road Scholars, SELCO Library programs, Cannon Valley Elder Collegium collaboration and more.
 - Helped in the creation of Shakespeare for Young Designers, Will's Power Players and Will's Creative Dramatics.
 - Developed and taught in the **Shakespeare in the Schools** program.
- Associate Producing Director 2007-2013
- Artistic Associate 2006-07
- Founding Acting Company member, fight choreographer 2004-present

- Significant involvement in Apprentice Actor Training Program including 10 years of recruiting and program development.
 - Directed Apprentice/Intern productions of *Cymbeline* (2006) and *As You Like It* (2004)

Park Square Theatre

- 10 years of **Immersion Day** teaching
- **Leap High School** - developed and taught a year long program culminating in a performance of an original theater piece using students' stories of their journeys to America.
- Created and taught **Shakespeare Unlocked** workshop using professional actors to help students understand Shakespeare's language.
- Developed and taught **Build a Moment** programs for *Pirates of Penzance*, *Hamlet* and *Macbeth*.
- Teacher in the Ambassadors program since its inception
- Fight choreography for *Macbeth*, *Romeo and Juliet*, *A Midsummer Night's Dream*, *The Odyssey* and *Othello*.
 - Each of these productions included a significant number of school oriented performances and Build a Moment workshops.

Minnesota Shakespeare Project

- Co-founder and Co-artistic Director 2000-04
- This Equity company was dedicated to touring productions of Shakespeare's plays in schools, colleges and regional arts centers. Duties included directing, acting, grant writing, tour booking and coordination, community relations, promotion and production.
- Developed workshops for our residency programming
- Productions: *Hamlet*, *A Midsummer Night's Dream*, *Much Ado About Nothing*, *Romeo and Juliet*.

Guthrie Theater

- More than 10 years as a teaching artists including developing programming and teaching in the **Art of Business Institute** and summer camp programs.

Minnesota Shakespeare Festival at Grand Marais

- Co-founder and Co-artistic Director 2001-04
- Productions:
 - Director: *Hamlet*, *Macbeth*, *Pericles*
 - Actor: *Much Ado About Nothing*, *Romeo and Juliet*, *A Midsummer Night's Dream*

Opera Theatre of St. Louis

- Director and Adaptor, *The Pirates of Penzance* and *The Barber of Seville*, Opera on the Go productions performed by post-graduate young professional singers for young audiences.
- Developed workshops for residency program.
- Director, *Brundibar* and *The Very Last Green Thing*, full productions for young audiences performed by young performers.

Palm Beach Opera

- Director, *The Turn of the Screw* a full production for the Resident Artist Company (post-graduate young professional singers)
- Director, *Brundibar*, a full production for young audiences performed by young performers

Minnesota Opera

- Director, *Memory Boy*, a world premiere Project Opera production using young performers for a public audience.
- Director, *The Rape of Lucretia*, a studio production for the Resident Artist Company (post-graduate young professional singers)
- Acting Instructor for the Resident Artist Company

Stages Theater

- One season as a resident teaching artist

Theater 3, Port Jefferson, New York

- Director of a series of professional touring Shakespeare productions modeled on the success of the Minnesota Shakespeare Project designed to play in high schools: *Hamlet* (2003), *Romeo and Juliet* (2004), *A Midsummer Night's Dream* (2005)

New Breath Theater, Minneapolis

- Director *Rags* (Student and professional actors working side by side)

Minnesota Orchestra

- Director, Scenes from *La Boheme* an education concert with the Minnesota Orchestra and singers from the Minnesota Opera.

St. Paul Chamber Orchestra

- Director *Bastienne and Bastienna* an educational program with high school aged performers from Minnesota Opera's KIDS program performing for a young audience.

Seattle Police Department

- Director, fight choreographer and performer, *Lily Loves Charlie, OK?* - a pioneering domestic violence education play designed to perform in offices, conferences and community centers including a command performance for the Governor of Washington.

Institute of Vocal Artistry, Minneapolis

- Director of a touring production of *Hansel and Gretel*

Lake Country School, Minneapolis

- Director/ adaptor of 4 one-acts by Moliere for 7th and 8th graders

Northfield Youth Choirs

- Director, *H.M.S. Pinafore* and *The Mikado* for 7th to 12th graders

Seattle Children's Theater

- Performer, *The Secret of N-Power* a nutrition education play performed in schools for kindergarten to third grade students

Classroom Teaching (representative)

St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minnesota

- Adjunct, Acting for non-majors, interim 2016
- Adjunct, Winter and Spring 2011
 - Advanced Topics: Playing Shakespeare
 - Acting for Non-majors
 - Acting for the Lyric Stage
- Advanced Acting for the Lyric Stage 2006, 2008
- Featured presenter Shakespeare Symposium 2004, 2005, 2006
- Numerous master classes and visits as a guest presenter
- Director of *Great Expectations* and *Ruddigore*

University of Washington, Seattle

- Introduction to Acting, 1993

Workshops

Numerous conference workshops including the **American College Theater Festival** (Regions 3 and 5), **Communication & Theater Association of Minnesota**, and the **Guthrie Theater Minnesota Statewide Theater Experience**.

Former teacher on the **Minnesota State Arts Board Roster of Artists** and **Young Audiences of Minnesota**.

Education

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, SCHOOL OF DRAMA

MASTER OF FINE ARTS - Professional Actor Training Program (1994)

ST. OLAF COLLEGE

B.A. SUMMA CUM LAUDE with distinction in Theater (1990)

Society of American Fight Directors

"Recommended Actor/Combatant" Trained under David Boushey.