

ASHANI SMITH (SHE / HER / HERS)

AEA

Stage Manager - (fully vaccinated w/ double booster)

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NATIONAL TOURS

<i>SIX</i> Boleyn Tour (2024-2026) 1st ASM	PSM: Jay Carey Dir: Lucy Moss & Jamie Armitage	Theatre Matters/Alchemation
<i>COMPANY</i> Revival Tour 2nd ASM	PSM: Jay Carey Dir: Marianne Elliott	Work Light Productions
<i>JAGGED LITTLE PILL</i> 1 st National Tour 2nd ASM	PSM: Justin Myhre Dir: Diane Paulus	RCI Theatricals

STAGE MANAGEMENT COVERS

<i>THE NOTEBOOK</i> 1st National Tour Emergency ASM Cover	PSM: Justin Myhre Dir: Michael Greif & Schele Williams	Theatre Matters/Alchemation
<i>PRETTY WOMAN</i> 1 st National Tour ASM Sub	PSM: RL Campbell Dir: Jerry Mitchell	Paula Wagner/101 Productions

REGIONAL THEATRE

* <i>CORIOLANUS</i> (PSM)	Shakespearean Original Practices	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
<i>THE PREACHER'S WIFE</i> (1st ASM)	Michael Arden/Tinashe K. Bolden	Alliance Theater
<i>THE COLOR PURPLE</i> (PSM)	Amina Robinson	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
<i>LADY DAY AT EMERSON'S BAR & GRILL</i> (PSM)	Amina Robinson	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
<i>HENRY IV, Part 2</i> (PSM)	Shakespearean Original Practices	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
<i>A CHORUS LINE</i> (ASM)	Luis Villabon	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
<i>A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM</i> (ASM)	Matt Pfeiffer	Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival
<i>JELLY'S LAST JAM</i> (ASM)	Jackie Alexander	National Black Theatre Festival

*upcoming contracts

SKILLS

NC Drivers License, US Passport, called large scale musicals & tour, strong communication and organization skills, Mac & PC, Microsoft Office, Google Drive, Vectorworks, QLab, running Broadway style deck, Experience with AEA shows, experience with outdoor theatre, works with Zoom and OBS, ability to call cues from a score, Works well with children, reads music, stage combat, comm. system, lighting design knowledge

EDUCATION & HONORS

Western Carolina University- Honors College

B.A in Stage & Screen- with a concentration in Stage Management

Recipient of 1st Charlie Blackwell Scholarship: (Mentor: Narda E. Alcorn)

Assistant to Cody Renard Richard & CRR Scholarship Program

Guest SM Speaker: UNC-Charlotte, UNCSA, Temple University, Yale University

Graduated: May 2021

Awarded: February 2021

Began: January 2022