

Faerieday Head

Recent Costume Graduate, passionate about designing, making and wearing historical costume with five years experience in costume making and wardrobe on small theatre productions.

Costume Work Experience

Bristol Costume Services, The Bottle Yard Studios, Bristol - May 2025

Costume Workroom & Costume Store Work Experience

- Accessory production, sewing and finishing garments.
- Selecting, styling and photographing costumes for social media content

Edinburgh College Performing Arts, Granton: College Pantomime November - December 2023 & December 2024

- Take accurate measurements of actors
- Source appropriate costumes from storage
- Design and make the dress for the love interest
- Dressing backstage throughout rehearsals and production.
- Quick changes
- Laundry daily and after the show.

10 Minute Call Theatre Productions, Frome: Wyrd Sisters

Costume Design and production for local rep theatre group, September 2023

- Designed and made 15 costumes inspired by Tudor styles.
- Researched and agreed designs with producer and director.
- Sourced costume materials and managed the budget for materials.
- Measurements/Fitting/Alterations for each actor.
- Designed new patterns to meet requirements.

Wiltshire College & University Centre, Performing Arts Centre -Trowbridge - Raising Helliker

Costume Designer and Maker, March - May 2023

- Designed and made costumes for an original musical, Raising Helliker based on the life story of early trade unionist, Thomas Helliker.
- Worked with the theater team to develop designs to meet the directors vision for the show.
- Sourced materials, created patterns and designed textile prints.

Merlin Theatre, Frome: Wizard of Oz / Our House

Wardrobe management and dresser for youth productions, Summer 2022 & Summer 2023.

- Managing costume hire, inventory, fitting, alterations.
- Costume production.
- Dressing, quick fixes, laundry.



**Wiltshire College Performing Arts Centre, Trowbridge: Speakeasy
Costume Designer and Maker, October 2022**

Created ten 1930s costumes, including dresses and coats for a themed production.

- Researched, designed and made women's costumes to fit the historical era.
- Sourced fabrics and materials on a small budget.
- Measurement, fittings & alterations for costumes.

**Bath Theatrical Hire - Frome, Somerset Theatrical Hire Warehouse.
Work Experience Placement, January 2020**

- Managed returns of garments
- Selected and packaged garments for hire
- Alterations and repairs including sewing on buttons to military jackets.
- Laundering and pressing garments

Skills

- Costume design & illustration
- Pattern drafting/cutting
- Dressmaking
- Tailoring
- Machine sewing (domestic & industrial)
- Embroidery machines and overlockers
- Millinery, hats and bonnets
- Alterations and repair
- Laundry, pressing and maintenance
- Dressing
- Creative styling
- Costume fittings & alterations
- Material purchasing
- Hand sewing and finishing
- Historical research

Education

HND Costume for Stage and Screen

Edinburgh College

September 2023 - July 2025

Performing Arts Studio Scotland

**AUL Level 3 Extended Diploma
Art and Design (Fashion)**

Wiltshire College - Trowbridge

September 2021 - July 2023

GCSEs

Frome College

September 2017 - July 2020

English Language (7), English

Literature (5) History (8), Art (7)

Music (5), Maths (5), Chemistry (6)

Physics (6), Biology (6), Computer

Science (6)

