

KRISTINA RHODES

Costume Trainee

DETAILS

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LOCATION

London/Kent

SKILLS

- Good Communication
- Teamwork
- Proactiveness
- Machine/Hand-sewing
- Alterations & Repairs
- Embroidery
- Period Research
- Painting
- Carpentry
- Admin Skills
- Microsoft Excel & Word
- Adobe Photoshop
- Mental-health Awareness

LINKS

[Costume Portfolio](#)

COSTUME EXPERIENCE

Costume Assistant - Tower Theatre (Stoke Newington) Dec 2023 - Current

- Assisting costume designer with taking actor's measurements, fittings, sourcing & buying costumes, constructing garments and making alterations.

Costume Designer - Figment Productions Sep 2023

- Dressed 9 actors for a 2-day filmed shoot. Researched period clothing to dress characters appropriately. Created mood boards for each character to present to clients. Sourced all costumes and organised pick-up/drop-off of all costumes from the hire house. Continuity-checked on set.

Costume Department Assistant - Guildford School of Acting (GSA) May 2023

- Assisted costume supervisor and designer during fittings, created costumes from scratch and made alterations to rented garments.

Costume Assistant - 'Birthright' Dir. Jade O'Belle (GiF) Productions Apr 2022

- Assisted costume designer with dyeing fabrics, hand-sewing complex pieces, and embroidering jewels onto garments. Dressed models on set.

Costume Prop Maker - Binker & Moses - Album TikTok campaign Dec 2021

- Designed and created muppet-style puppets to mimic musical artists for their TikTok campaign.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Recording Engineer/Assistant Engineer - RAK Studios, Roundhouse, Octagon Studios, That Sound Studio, Hermitage Works Studios Jan 2022 - Current

- Experienced in working long hours at recording studios (12+ hours). Arrived early, set up sessions for engineers, and problem-solved technical issues.

Embroidery Machinist - Yves Delorme Mar 2022 - Dec 2022

- Machine-embroidered all personalised monogrammed items, liaising with clients about specific custom orders.

Mastering Engineer/Label Assistant - Gearbox Records Aug 2021 - Jan 2023

- Worked as part of record label team; producing mock-ups for merch on Adobe Photoshop and creating Excel spreadsheets to calculate royalties.

EDUCATION & QUALIFICATIONS

BSc, Tonmeister (Music and Sound Recording) - University of Surrey 2019 - 2023

'Start a Career in Costume for HETV' Course - The Call Sheet 2024

Full UK driver's licence - Car owner with experience driving a van.

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References available on request