## **David Quang Pham**

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## **EDUCATION**

Playwrights Foundation, San FranciscoLiterary Fellowship2021 – 2022Working Title Playwrights, AtlantaNew Play & Dramaturgy Apprenticeship2020 – 2021Michigan State UniversityBS Astrophysics, Theatre Minor2014 – 2018

## PLAYS / MUSICALS – FULL LENGTH

Ellipses – A universal musical starring the Galaxy family and their dog Gravity as they face the Big Bang.

100 Minutes Lecture Performance – Theatre About Science Conference, Portugal, Nov 10, 2023 Partnership with Orfeon Académico de Coimbra

> Facilitator Workshop – BroadwayCon, NYC, Jul 26, 2023 Facilitator Adam Gwon

Concert – SigSpace x Musical Theatre Factory, Signature Theatre, NYC, Mar 19, 2023

Industry Reading – Milky Way Theatre Company, Theatre 71, NYC, Jan 27, 2023 Producer Jamiel T Burkhart, Director Jay Michaels, Dramaturg Si Boudoin Music Director Simon Broucke, Stage Manager Dominika Zawada

Presentation – DigiFest, Durban University of Technology, South Africa, Sep 21, 2022

Concert Reading – Colorado New Musical Festival, Boulder, CO, Jul 21, 2022 Producers P-Jay Adams & Kelly Bidstrup Graham, Director Emma Day

Lab – Theater Resources Unlimited Writer-Director Lab, Dec 11, 2021 Director Miriam Eusebio

Presentation – DigiFest, Durban University of Technology, South Africa, Oct 19, 2021 Co-Presenter Daniela Cobb

Concert Reading – Working Title Playwrights, Atlanta, GA, Jul 15, 2021
Director Aliyah Curry, Dramaturg Jordan Ealey, Stage Manager Lexi McKay

3 Workshops – Theater Resources Unlimited Musical, Jun 13, Oct 17, 2021, Feb 27, 2022

Reading – Socially Isolated Script Readings, Virtual, Oct 3, 2020

4 Table Reads – Working Title Playwrights, Atlanta, Oct 5, Dec 7, 2020, Feb 1, May 3, 2021

## **Accolades**

Syracuse University New Works, New Voices, 2024 – Semifinalist CreateTheater-SUNY Cortland Music Theatre Partnership, 2023 – Semifinalist Musical Theatre Educators' Alliance New Works Catalog, 2023 – Feature O'Neill Theater Center's National Music Theater Conference, 2022 – Semifinalist Serbest Film Festival for Music Videos, 2022 – Quarterfinalist

*Tour* – A subatomic opera about educators – Quark, Lepton, Boson, Atom – in the academic Accelerator.

120 Minutes Reading – Socially Isolated Script Readings, Virtual, Aug 8, 2020

Concert – Musical Theatre Factory x Cabaret on the Couch, Virtual, Jul 24, 2020

Table Read – CreateTheater, Virtual, Jul 16, 2020

Reading – Socially Isolated Script Readings, Virtual, Jul 11, 2020

Table Read – The 24 Hour Plays & Dramatists Guild, Virtual, Apr 24, 2020

#### Accolades

Downtown Urban Arts Festival, New York, New York, 2019 – Finalist

**Turnover:** – A plant-based musical about a pair of queer children who uproot their families' social orders. A **New Leaf** 

70 Minutes

Production – Queer Theatre Kalamazoo, Jolliffe Theatre, Kalamazoo, MI, May 10-19, 2024 Producer Connar Klock, Director Milan Levy, Music Director Lori Hatfield

Concert Reading – Theatre on the Verge, Abington Art Center, Philadelphia, Mar 17, 2024 Producer Amanda Gulla & David Quang Pham, Director Aliyah Curry, Dramaturg Bryson Lima, Music Director Matthew Melchior Stage Manager Maya Nguyen-Haberneski

Concert Reading - Undiscovered Countries, City Reliquary, Brooklyn, NY, Sep 9, 2023

4 Table Reads – Working Title Playwrights, Atlanta, Jul 3, Oct 2, Nov 6, 2023, Jan 8, 2024

### Accolades

Theatre on the Verge's New Musicals Festival, 2024

8 Awards

Best Book

Best Director (Aliyah Curry)

Best Dramaturg (Bryson Lima)

Best Conductor (Matthew Melchior)

Best Chemistry (Kimi Handa Brown as Parsley and Gina Prince as Pyrus)

19 Nominations

Nom: Best Musical

Nom: Best Performance in Leading Comedic Role (Kimi Handa Brown)

Nom: Best Orchestrations

Nom: Best Duet ("Photosynthesis")

Nom: Best Trio/Quartet ("Dirt on You")

Musical Theatre Educators' Alliance New Works Catalog, 2023 – Feature

## PLAYS / MUSICALS - SHORT / ONE ACT

The Bookworms – An entomological play about bugs who form a book club in an abandoned library.

40 Minutes Table Reads – Harlem Writers United, monthly May 2023-Present

*Life After* (Music by Marie Incontrera, Lyrics by Stephanie L Carlin, Book by David Quang Pham)

20 Minutes Concert Reading – Lincoln Center's Bruno Walter Auditorium, NYC, Nov 18, 2023

**Parallel University** (Music by Marie Incontrera and David Quang Pham, Story by David Quang Pham)

20 Minutes Concert Reading – NYPL's Across a Crowded Room Program, Virtual, Sep 18, 2021

#### Where the Sun Don't Shine

10 minutes Reading – Kitchen Theatre Company, Virtual, Apr 15, 2020

## PLAYS / MUSICALS – IN-PROGRESS (\*Complete Draft)

Carbon Tax – A play about environmental advocates for the carbon tax who face prison time for tax evasion.

Saturday Table Reads – RDXL House's Development Drive, Brooklyn/Virt., May 2024

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*Chemicals in the Water\** – A musical romantic black comedy about a couple chemicals who form a toxic relationship after their train derails.

*The Control Freaks* – A play about a streamer who starts a support group for gamers who lost a relative.

*Honor Roll\** – A musical about Nellee who must spend their summer as a food worker in SAR Dine cafeteria after starting the most disastrous food fight in Rowing Blue High School's history.

**Phony** – A hi-tech musical about Burner and Flip who unleash Tech Giants when opening the Doom Scroll.

The Poster Child – A fantasy play about a kid with cleft lip who befriends poster children of the past.

The Seasoned Veteran – A musical about how Monsoon and Drought Season lose their winter child.

Why Now? – A geometrical musical about the skyscrapers' inhabitants in Z City, the city that sleeps.

## **SCREENPLAYS**

*Buyer's Remorse: A Couch with Personality* – A dark comedy about a recluse named Zan who buys a haunted sofa to befriend some ghosts. However, the spirits warn Zan about what has been bugging them.

Director Caitlin Mayernik, Producer Eva Jacob, Director of Photography Cory Maffucci Currently (as of April 2024): Shooting

#### **HONORS / RECOGNITIONS**

Best Book Award	Theatre on the Verge's New Music Fest	. 2024
Artist Profile in American Theatre Magazine	Theatre Communications Group	2024
New Work New Voices Semi-Finalist (Ellipses)	Syracuse University	2024
Commission: Music for "A New World" Event	Harriet Tubman Effect Institute	2022
National Music Theater Semi-Finalist (Ellipses)	Eugene O'Neill Theater Center	2022
Literary Fellowship	Playwrights Foundation	2021 - 2022
New Play & Dramaturgy Apprenticeship	Working Title Playwrights	2020 - 2021
Finalist (Tour)	Downtown Urban Arts Festival	2019
Honor Society Membership	ΣΠΣ (National Physics Honor Society)	2018 - Present

## AFFILATIONS – MEDIA / MUSIC / THEATRE

American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers	Composer	2019 – Present
The Comedy Project, Grand Rapids	Comedy Writer	2018 - 2020
CreateTheater's Experts Theater Company	Founding Member	2020 - Present
The Dramatists Guild of America	Member	2019 – Present
Great Performances	Event Staff	2022 - Present
Harlem Writers United	Teaching Artist/Mem.	2020 - Present
The Kennedy Center's BIPOC Critics Lab	Cultural Critic	2022 - 2023
Kindred Hospice, Grand Rapids	Music Therapy Vol.	2020 - 2022
Literary Managers and Dramaturgs of the Americas (LMDA)	Phoenix Moderator	2020 - Present

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Marching Band Casting		Trombonist	2024-Present
Musical Theatre Factory's People of C	Color Roundtable	Member	2020 - Present
Musicians United for Social Equity (M	USE)	Member	2021 - Present
OPERA America		Member	2021-Present
OpenSpot Theatre, East Lansing-Detro	pit	Volunteer	2014 - 2018
National Asian Artists Project		Chorus Member	2024-Present
Playwrights Foundation, San Francisc	o	Literary Fellow	2021 - 2022
Queer Big Apple Corps Marching and	Symphonic Band	Trombonist	2023 - Present
RDXL House		Senior Producer	2023 - Present
Theater Resources Unlimited		Member	2020 - Present
We Forgot the Title		Screenwriter/Compose	r 2023 – Present
Working Title Playwrights, Atlanta		Apprentice/Member	2020 - Present
AFFILATIONS – STEM			
The American Astronomical Society		Member	2018 – 2020
The American Physical Society		Member	2018 - 2020
Optica		Member	2018 - 2020
Sigma Pi Sigma (The National Physics	Honor Society)	Member	2018 – Present
Society of Physics Students, Michigan	State University	Vice President	2016 - 2018
DRAMATURGY (FORUM MODER	RATIONS)		
Earthly Dramaturgy Panelist Kristin Idaszak, Co-Moderator	Deannie Vallone	LMDA	April 2022
LMDA Canada and Digital Dramaturg Panelists: Joanna Garfinkel, Emma Tib Co-Moderator Liana Irvine		LMDA	Dec 2021
Homecoming: Back to the Future Panelists: Jordan Alexandria Ealey, Na Percival Hornak, Jisun Kim	te Ferguson,	LMDA	Sep 2021
DRAMATURGY (NEW PLAY)			
Physics From My Father by Jessica Ammirati	AMDA Studios Read & New Play Dramatur	New York, NY gy	2023
Allies by Michael McGoldrick Dir. Andrea Andresakis	Paterson Performing Arts Council	Paterson, NJ	2022
Millennials are Killing Musicals by Nico Juber, Dir. Ciara Renée	Open Jar Studios	New York, NY	2022
Birth Control by Nico Juber	TRUSpeak	Virtual	2021
Atoms by Joseph Beck	TRU	Virtual	2021

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DRAMATURGY (PRODUCTION)			
Constellations by Nick Payne Dir. Carrie McNulty (Sci. Consultant)	Grand Rapids Community College	Grand Rapids, MI	2019 – 2020
Freshman Showcase Dir. Dionne O'Dell	Michigan State University	East Lansing, MI	2014
CONFERENCES / RESIDENCIES			
Theatre About Science Panelists: Abby Bender, Dimitar Uzuno	LMDA Conference	Virtual	2024
Ellipses – A Musical 13.8 Billion Years in the Making	Theatre About Science International Conf.	University of Coimbra Coimbra, Portugal	2023
Playwriting Workshop Instructor David Henry Hwang, Martyr	BroadwayCon na Majok	New York, NY	2023
Ellipses: The Earthly Musical	DigiFest	Durban University Durban, South Africa	2022
Role: Volunteer Coordinator Brenda Muñoz	LMDA Conference	Philadelphia, PA	2022
Ellipses: The Cosmology Mythology Musical, Co-Presenter Daniela Cobb	DigiFest	Durban University Durban, South Africa	2021
Ellipses	Biz Conference New Musicals Inc.	Virtual	2021
Role: Volunteer Coordinator Brenda Muñoz	LMDA Conference	Virtual	2021
Constellations Team: Laurel Green, Pauliina Hulkko Elizagrace Madrone, Stefanie Schmitt, Hanna Slattne, Dimitar Uzunov	International Dramaturgy Lab	Virtual	2020 – 2021
Tour	Biz Conference New Musicals Inc.	Virtual	2020
Role: Volunteer Coordinator Brenda Muñoz	LMDA Conference	Virtual	2020
Test The Waters: Playwriting Michigan Co-Panelists: Rachel Keown Burke, Micealaya Moses, Emilio Rodriguez	Association for Theatre in Higher Education	e Detroit	2020 (Cancelled due to COVID)
PROFESSIONAL APPEARANCES			
Take a Chance on Yourself Interviewer Alexis Hauk, Winter 2024	American Thea Issue	ntre Magazine	2024
David Quang Pham talks about Theate Interviewer Emileena Pedigo	r in NYC The Show Goe Another Way F		2023
Science Musical Writer and Dramaturg Interviewer Emileena Pedigo	The Show Goe Another Way F	s On Productions Podcast	2022

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Creating Something Out of Nothing Interviewer Ceili Widmann	Michigan State Univer College of Arts & Lett		2021
Season in Review July/August 2021 Issue	The Dramatists Guild The Dramatists Magaz		2021
The Art of Adaptation Interviewers: Nate Davis, Jason Dernay	Michigan State Univer College of Arts & Lett	•	2021
The Environmental Issue March/April 2021 Issue	The Dramatists Guild The Dramatists Magaz		2021
Science Story: Starting Over Team: Gastor Almonte, Jitesh Jaggi, Devon Ko	Story Collider odzis		2021
Theatre Capstone Interview: Science Theatre Student-Interviewer Abigail Bender	Beloit College, Beloit,	Wisconsin	2020
Cabaret on the Couch: Musical Theatre Factor Hosts: Rachel Leighson	ry Cabaret on the Couch		2020
SciArt Career Day Co-Speaker: NASA Technologist Molly Janasi	Academy at Palumbo, k	Philadelphia	2020
How music is being used to treat autism Journalist: Ashley Zlatopolsky	The Guardian		2017
<u>PUBLICATIONS</u>			
Theatre About Science	LMDA Review		2024
Jason Michael Webb Returneth to the Park Interview: JMW, Editor: Emily White	The Public Theater		2023
The Emotional Core of Musical Worldbuilding Interview: Carrie Rodriguez, Editor: David Go			2022
PRODUCTION			
Turnover: A New Leaf Concert Reading Role: Co-Producer with Amanda Gulla	Theatre on the Verge Abington Art Center, J	Jenkintown, PA	2023 – 2024
Ellipses Concert Reading Role: Self-Producer Budget: \$3057.50   Fundraised & Granted: \$20	Working Title Playwri 20	ghts	2021
Monthly Sing For Your Supper Concerts Role: Associate Producer	Reach For It		2020 – 2021
Writer-Producer Speed Dates Role: Trailing Producer	Theater Resources Uni	limited	2020 – 2022
ADVOCACY			
Institute of Equity Activism Instructors: Cicely Garrett, Terra Gay, Dr. Dietra Hawkins, Adria Kitchens	Out of Hand Theatre, A	Atlanta	2021

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Won't You Be My Neighbor? Facilitator André Stith	Love City Arts		2020
<b>TEACHING</b>			
Harlem Learning Series: Musical Masterclass	Harlem Writers United	l	2021
TROMBONE			
Two Dimensions Concert	Queer Big Apple Corp Peter Norton Symphon		2024
Project: CH	Marching Band Casting The Manhattan Center	•	2024
Dreamgirls Sitzprobe MD Seth Rudetsky	Musicians United for S Bruno Walter Aud., Li		2024
Holiday Spirits Concert	Queer Big Apple Corp Peter Norton Symphon		2023
NYC Village Halloween Parade	Queer Big Apple Corp Greenwich Village	S	2023
NYC Children's Halloween Parade	Queer Big Apple Corp Washington Market Pa		2023
Sunset on the Hudson Concert	Queer Big Apple Corp Pier 45 at Hudson Rive		2023
Fahrenheit 11/9 Opener	Traverse City Film Fest Lee & The Left-Hand		2018
Hair Dir. Deric McNish, MD Dave Wendelberger	Michigan State Univer Wharton Center for Pe	•	2015
On the Town Dir. Roy Black, MD Brian Ambrose	Rogers Theatre Club Dan Heintzelman Fine	Arts Center	2012
The Wiz Dir. Christine White, MD Brian Ambrose	Rogers Theatre Club Dan Heintzelman Fine	Arts Center	2011
STAGE MANAGEMENT			
I Used to Love Her Concert Reading Writer Janelle Lawrence, Dir. Jean Carlo Aróst	The Dramatists Guild lagui	Foundation	2024
<i>BĀS</i> Production Writers-Producers: Janelle Lawrence, Sugar Vo	JACK, Brooklyn endil		2023
ADJUDICATION			
National Showcase of New Plays Directors: Nan Barnett, Anne G. Morgan	National New Play Ne	twork	2021 – 2023
New Harmony Project Conferences Head: Phaedra Michelle Scott ADs: Lori Wolter Hudson, Jenni Werner	New Harmony Project		2021 – 2023

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Bite-Sized Broadway Artistic Director Christopher Michaels	Indieworks Theatre Com	npany, NYC	2023
Hamilton Arts Festival Director Carolyn M. Brown	Paterson Performing Art Council, New Jersey	s Development	2021 – 2022
AAPI Writing Contest Founder Kyiana Williams	entertwine, Los Angeles		2021
The Graham Martin Unexpected Play Festival Artistic Director Matt Torney	Theatrical Outfit, Atlanta	a	2020
ACTING / SINGING			
Spring Concert	National Asian Artists P. Hotel Edison	roject Chorus	2024
Valentine's Concert	National Asian Artists P. Hotel Edison	roject Chorus	2024
Musical Improv Level 2	Magnet Theatre		2023
Musical Improv Level 1	Magnet Theatre		2023
Infinite Festival	Undiscovered Countries	, City Reliquary	2022
Theatre Now National Writers Showcase by Janelle Lawrence and JB Tang	Theatre Now		2021
Oedipus, <i>Oedipus Rex</i> Director Sam Mende	Michigan State Universi Arena Theatre	ty	2018
Angela Li, <i>Daria</i> Dir. Eirann Petka-Pope	The Comedy Project Grand Rapids		2018
Edward Gardiner, <i>Pride and Prejudice</i> Director Dr. Daniel T. Smith Jr	Michigan State Universi Fairchild Theatre	ty	2016
Ty, <i>Good Kids</i> by Naomi Izuki Director Karen Kangas-Preston	Michigan State Universi Arena Theatre	ty	2014
King Arthur, <i>Spamalot</i> Director Jeremy Schnotala	Wyoming Theater Comp Dan Heintzelman Fine Ar		2013
Cogsworth, <i>Beauty and the Beast</i> Director Jeremy Schnotala	Wyoming Theater Comp Dan Heintzelman Fine A		2012
PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT			
New Musicals Festival Role: Photographer & Videographer	Theatre on the Verge, Abington Art Center, Jen	nkintown, PA	2024
ASCAP Annual Meeting	ASCAP, Jazz at Lincoln	Center	2024

Magnet Theatre

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Musical Improv Level 2 Instructors: Michael Lutton, Frank Spitznagel

Musical Improv Level 1 Intensive Instructors: Michael Lutton, Frank Spitznagel 2023

2023

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Community Dance Workshops Instructor Jiemin Yang	Asian Americans Arts A Museum of Chinese in A		2023
The Devil & The Playwright Role: Videographer by Steven J. Harris, Dir. Bradly Valenzuela	Theater for the New Cit	y	2023
The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee Role: Videographer Director Janelle Lawrence	Harvest Collegiate High	School	2023
New Works Festival Role: Photographer & Videographer Spanish Instructor Irene Kivinen	Milky Way Theatre Cor Theatre 71 at Blessed Sa Kalamazoo Institute of t	acrament, NYC	2024 2022 – 2023
A Symphony for Portland Role: COVID Compliance Officer Producer Christina Hemphill, Dir. Jay Michaels	The Players Theatre		2022
Plant Parenting Workshop Instructor Shayla Cabrera	Step1 Theatre Project JACK, Brooklyn		2022
Producer Development & Mentorship Program Instructors: Jane Dubin, Jennifer Isaacson	Theater Resources Unlin	mited	2021 – 2022
Ways of Reading Instructor Amber Bradshaw	Working Title Playwrig	hts	2020 – 2021
María Irene Fornés Playwriting Workshop Instructors: Migdalia Cruz, Anne García-Romer	HowlRound o		2021
Performance Skills Instructor Gastor Almonte	Story Collider		2021
Essentials of Successful Self-Producing Instructors: Bob Ost, Emileena Pedigo	Theater Resources Unlin	mited	2021
Facilitating Storytelling in the Class and Field	Story Collider		2021

Instructor Nisse Greenberg 2021 Introductory Storytelling Workshop Story Collider Instructors: Paula Croxson, Nakeysha Roberts Washington, Maryam Zaringhalam Essentials of Successful Self-Producing Instructors: Bob Ost, Emileena Pedigo Theater Resources Unlimited 2020 Practical Playwriting Theater Resources Unlimited 2020 Instructors: Patrick Blake, Cate Cammarata Queer Play Writing Workshop The Proud Trust, United Kingdom 2020 Instructor Naomi Westerman Revoluton Art, United Kingdom 2020 Playwriting Workshop Instructor James McDermott Staging Science: Writing the Science Play Chicago Dramatists 2020 Instructor Kristin Idaszak

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Discovering the Play in Playwriting Instructor Miriam BC Tobin	Seattle Playwrights Salon	2020
Spanish Instructor Irene Kivinen	Kalamazoo Institute of the Arts	2022 – 2023
Goldfinger Workshops Instructor Jacqueline Goldfinger	Mentorship: Jacqueline Goldfinger	2020
History of Musical Theatre Instructor Richard Biever	FUSE Productions	2020
Musical Writing	Mentorship: Janelle Lawrence	2020 - Present
Camp Frontier Role: Photography Scout Leader	The Boy Scouts of America Pioneer Scout Reservation	2016
Carrie Role: Music Technologist Dir. Joe Barros, MD Dave Wendelberger	Michigan State University Wharton Center for Performing Arts	2014
Carly Glynn Theatre Scholarship	Wyoming Public Schools	2014
Michigan Boys State Role: <i>Senator</i>	The American Legion Northwood University	2013
Music Theory	Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp	2012 - 2013
The Giver Role: Dramaturg Director Jeremy Schnotala	Wyoming Theater Company Dan Heintzelman Fine Arts Center	2013
Auntie Mame Role: Stage Assistant Director Christine White	Rogers Theatre Club Dan Heintzelman Fine Arts Center	2012
Science Olympiad Coach Dave Radar	Wyoming High School Grand Valley State University	2011 – 2014
First Robotics: Demons 858 Role: Captain / Driver / Member Coach Brian Tunnell	For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology	2010 – 2014
T.E.A.M. 21	Wyoming Public Schools	2010 - 2014

## **LANGUAGES**

Role: Mentor / Volunteer

English (Primary Proficiency), Vietnamese (Speech – Professional Proficiency), Spanish (Limited Proficiency, Mentor: Irene Kivinen)

## **SKILLS**

Music Notation (Sibelius), Music Engineering (Studio One), Photography (Pentax, Panasonic), Videography (Panasonic, Blackmagic), Video Editing (Adobe), Programming Languages (Python, JAVA, HTML, C++), UI/UX Design