# **Rogin Farrer**

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#### **Education**

#### Vassar College | Poughkeepsie, NY B.A. (Drama)

2011 – 2015

GPA: 3.7

Design and Technical Theater: Stephen Jones, Paul O'Connor; Directing: Chris Grabowski; Dramaturgy: Gabrielle Cody

### **Work Experience**

Gloucester Stage Company | Gloucester, MA

2015

#### Scenic Design/Technical Apprentice

- Constructed, load-in, and struck all sets and lighting plots for MainStage season.
- Assumed leadership of construction and technical affairs after Technical Director's departure midway through season.
- Directed crew of fellow apprentices in load-in and strike.
- Maintained and troubleshot scenic, lighting, and sound notes throughout performance runs.
- Designed lighting and stage managed staged readings and other second stage programming.

Vassar College | Poughkeepsie, NY

2011 - 2015

#### **Drama Department Scene Shop Intern**

- Assist TD in managing crew in construction, painting, and rigging of scenery/props in proscenium and blackbox spaces.
- Teach new carpenters how to properly and safely operate shop's power tools.

George Street Playhouse | New Brunswick, NJ

2013 & 2014

#### **Summer Academy Production Intern**

- Aided in design, construction, and budgeting of all scenic elements, properties, and costumes for children's summer academy (ages 5-18) producing 6 performances in 4 weeks.
- Served as interim production manager in production manager's one-week emergency absence.

Philaletheis Society, Vassar College | Poughkeepsie, NY

2013 - 2014

#### **Technical Director**

- Supervised maintenance and rental of lighting and sound equipment of student theater org serving 150-200 students.
- Instituted use of equipment rental contract to clarify liability and to ensure security of equipment.
- Repaired and expanded lighting system through strategic purchases to accommodate increasing artistic demands.
- Rebuilt website with Wordpress to unify web presence and ensure ease of use for future board members.

## **Production Experience (selected)**

Scenic Design	Every Christmas Story Ever Told	Gloucester Stage	2015
Lighting, build, stage manage	Moth	Gloucester Stage Collaborative	2015
Asst. Lighting Design	Red	Stephen Jones, Portland Stage	2015
Direction (senior thesis)	God of Vengeance	Vassar College	2015
Lighting Design	Arcadia	Chris Grabowski, Vassar College	2014
Lighting Design	Passion Play	Justin Myhre, Vassar College	2014
Scenic Design	The Mousetrap	Mike Kaluzny, Philaletheis Society	2013

# Other Experience/Skills

- Vectorworks, hand-drafting.
- Professional application/essay editing for college applicants: idea generation, planning, structure, grammar, etc.
- Web designer and front-end developer (<u>roginfarrer.com</u>).
- Tech-savvy. Advanced Mac and iOS user and fast learner of new technologies.
- French reading (proficient); French speaking/listening comprehension and Spanish (elementary).