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# SHEVARÉ Costume Designer + Visual Artist + Educator

#### **AWARDS + EXHIBITIONS + PRESENTATIONS**

2023 - Arts & Education Council: St. Louis Arts Awards - Emerging Artist 2023 - St. Louis Visionary Award - Emerging Artist

June 29, 2018 - January 16, 2019 "Oh You Fancy!" Black Hair & Fashion, Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History Detroit, Michigan

March 23, 2019
"If It Wasn't for the Women: Reimagining Portraiture and Power" St.
Louis Art Museum
St. Louis, Missouri

August 14 - September 12, 2020 "Constructed Visions III," St. Louis Artists' Guild

August 22 - September 30, 2020
"Moments of Freedom," Boyle Family Gallery
"Solo Exhibition"

August 28 - September 25, 2020 "Respirations Now," ARC Gallery Chicago, Illinois

May 10, 2021 – June 29, 2021 "She Is Her, I Am She" Solo Exhibition Saks Fifth Avenue Gallery- Plaza Frontenac- St. Louis, Missouri

October 18, 2023 - April 18, 2024
"Flawless Beats: Pop Art Portraits of Women in Hip Hop and R&B"
Lambert St. Louis International Airport

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE COSTUME DESIGNER+MANAGER CENTER OF CREATIVE ARTS

OCTOBER 2021 - PRESENT

## • Responsible for the operation of the costume shop including design integration, construction, fitting, repairing, cleaning, storing, and cataloging of costumes

- · Collaborate with choreographers and directors to develop design concepts and execute their vision through costuming
- · Supervise and manager costume crew and makeup artists during show runs

#### **GYO OBATA PROGRAM LEAD**

REGIONAL ARTS COMMISSION NOVEMBER 2021 - DECEMBER 2023

- Recruit, interview and pair students with arts organizations for paid arts administration focused fellowships in the St. Louis area
- Develop and implement program improvements and professional development opportunities for fellows.
- · Oversaw the successful relaunch of the Gyo Obata Fellowship

#### **FASHION DESIGN INSTRUCTOR**

LINDENWOOD UNIVERSITY AUGUST 2018 - PRESENT

- Encourage and guide students through the creative process to develop cohesive collections
- Share pattern making and construction techniques to students through a variety of demonstrations and videos
- Evaluate student work in a timely manner while promoting growth through positive feedback and suggestions

### FELLOW- COMMUNITY ARTIST TRAINING PROGRAM (CAT) INSTITUTE

REGIONAL ARTS COMMISSION SEPTEMBER 2018 - MARCH 2019

- · Participate in teambuilding projects and abstract exercises that allow for self and society examination
- · Learn, research, and apply techniques to use art for social change
- Collaborate with artists, educators, and community organizers to learn how to develop a community arts program

EDUCATIONAL INFO
Philadelphia University
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE - FASHION DESIGN

#### **COSTUME DESIGN**

April 2022
Big Machine
Center of Creative Arts

July 2022 Matilda Center of Creative Arts

October 2022

Ignite
Saint Louis Dance Theatre

November 2022 ACTION! Action Art Collaborative

December 2022
The Little Dancer
Center of Creative Arts

February 2023 Feminine Energy Mustard Seed Theatre

May 2023 Blaze Saint Louis Dance Theatre

July 2023 Pippin Center of Creative Arts

September 2023 The Game's Afoot Shakespeare In The Streets November 2023

Bread & Roses Missouri

February 2024

Black Theater Workshop

Southern Illinois University
of Edwardsville

July 2024 The Color Purple Center of Creative Arts

October 2024
Fall Dance Concert
University of North Carolina

December 2024
The Nutcracker - St. Louis
Center of Creative Arts

December 2024

Ellington Strayhorn Nutcracker
Saint Louis Dance Theatre

February 2025 (RE)Imagine

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Saint Louis Dance Theatre

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Center of Creative Arts

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September 2023

The Game's Afoot

Shakespeare In The Streets

November 2023

1877

Bread & Roses Missouri

February 2024

Black Theater Workshop 25th Anniversary

Southern Illinois University

of Edwardsville

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\*Wig Designer\*

The Repertory Theatre of St. Louis