MARY BACA She/Her/Hers

Chicago-based Director and Choreographer

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DIRECTING AND CHOREOGRAPHY EXPERIENCE

Dot & The Kangaroo - *Co-Director and Co-Choreographer* Encore at Ovation Academy - Oct. 2025 48 cast members

The Addams Family - *Choreographer* Encore at Ovation Academy - Oct. 2025 46 cast members

Sweeney Todd - *Co-Director and Choreographer* Encore at Ovation Academy - May 2025 42 cast members

Madagascar Kids - Director Ovation Academy - August 2025 39 cast members

Descendants Jr. - *Director* Ovation Academy - July 2025 50 cast members

Aristocats Kids - *Director*Ovation Academy - June 2024
26 cast members

The Man of Mode - *Assistant Director* Belmont University — January 2020

Scenes from **Measure For Measure** - *Director* Belmont University — February 2020

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

Period Dance Workshop with Diana Scrivener – January 2020

Various Workshops and Lectures at the Prague Quadrennial — June 2019

Shakespeare Workshop with Rodney Cottier — October 2018

References Available Upon Request

EDUCATION

BFA Production Design and Technology - Belmont University 2021

SKILLS

Experienced in costume, sound, lighting, and set design to allow for strong communication across fields

Dance Training in Tap, Jazz, Ballet, Contemporary, Lyrical, and theatrical styles

Reading music, playing piano, composing, arranging music, and conducting

Strong Communication skills in person and virtually

Trained in viewpoints and stage movement

Trained in acting with Meisner techniques

Ability to lead a team and work well within one

Strength in creative problem solving