CATHERINE ASHLEY

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TEACHING

PROFESSOR, ART CRITIC
Parsons School of Design | September 2025 -
Seminar courses: *Space and Materiality* in First Year Study

PROFESSOR, ART CRITIC
Rhode Island School of Design | September 2024 -
Studio courses: *Spatial Dynamics* in Experimental Foundations

TEACHING ASSOCIATE
Brown University | September 2023 - December 2024
Guided conversation/critique/technical development in *Sonic Practices*

WINTERSESSION PROFESSOR
Rhode Island School of Design | January - February 2024
Wintersession seminar studio installation art course, *Digital Utopia*

DESIGN/PRODUCTION

FREELANCE DIGITAL MEDIA DESIGNER |Ongoing
Print/Digital, Audio/Visual, Web Design projects

VIDEOGRAPHER, EDITOR
Brown University Arts Institute |December 2024 - May 2025
Video content creation for BAI ArtsCrew Marketing & Comms.

DIGITAL INITIATIVES GRADUATE ASSISTANT
RISD MUSEUM | September 2023 - May 2024
Supporting video, photo, web, and sound design workflows

CREATIVE PRODUCTION MELLON INTERN
RISD MUSEUM | June 2023 - August 2023
Developed still image/video content for the muesum website

DIGITAL MEDIA INTERN
Jacob's Pillow | May 2022 - August 2022
Desiging print/digital content, video, blog/email writing and social
media management for the 2022 festival season

VIDEO AND MEDIA ASSISTANT
Carnegie Mellon University | Novemeber 2021 - May 2022
Supporting live filming/editing, asset management, A/V support

MARKETING MULTIMEDIA GRAPHICS APPRENTICE
Studio Theatre | January 2021 - June 2021
Designing print/digital promotional content for 2020-21 season

GRAPHIC DESIGNER: SOC SPECIAL EVENTS
American University | January 2019 - May 2020
Print/digital signage for Films Across Borders annual film series

CREATIVE

ARCHIVAL VIDEO/PROJECTION DESIGNER
RISD Museum | January - July 2025
Archival video supporting Liz Collins' exhibition MOTHERLODE

SOUND DESIGNER, ENSEMBLE, MUSICIAN
Wilbury Theatre Group | Novemeber - December 2024
Design and performance for production of *NOISE,* Dir. Dante Green

CURATOR, EXHIBITION DESIGNER
Chazen Family Gallery | January - April 2024
Curating/Installing a collection of work for exhibition of *Symbiosis*

DIRECTOR/PRODUCER/DESIGNER
As220 Black Box Theatre | June - November 2023
Conceptualizing and executing the debut of *Belated Avowal*

ASSISTANT PROJECTION DESIGNER
Santa Fe Opera | July 2023
Assistant video/projection design for production of *Orfeo*, under Hana Kim

PROJECTION DESIGN OBSERVERSHIP
Manhattan Theatre Club | March - April 2023
Observed/supported video/projection design for Broadway production
of *Summer 1976*, under Hana Kim

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR
American University | September - October 2020
Supported *OVERTURE: 200222020*, under Aaron Posner

EDUCATION

Master of Fine Arts
Digital + Media, cert. CTAD
Rhode Island School of Design
2022-2024

Master of Fine Arts Courses
Video and Media Design
Carnegie Mellon University
2021-2022

Bachelor of Arts
Film and Media Arts, Theatre Arts
American University
2016-2020

recent PROJECTS

Spores, Pakui Hardware
Performa Biennial
NY, NY

SEAL, Sound Design
Makers Ensemble
Brooklyn, NY

Give Them The Fantasy
Gotham Chelsea
NY, NY

FAT HAM, Sound Design
Wilbury Theatre Group
Providence, RI

Color
CICA Museum
Gyeonggi-do, Korea

New Contemporaries
Gelman Gallery
Providence, RI

Misadventure with the Muse
Imago Gallery
Warren, RI

Symbiosis
Chazen Family Gallery
Providence, RI

Producer/Instrumentalist
Private Humiliation

Kommunal Praksis Sound Art Lab
Struer, Denmark

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SKILLS

Analog/Digital Photography,
Adobe Creative Cloud, Cinema4D, Millumin
MadMapper, Disguise, Touch Designer
Isadora, DMX, QLab, Ableton Live, Max MSP,
Reaper Rhino, Vectorworks, Figma
Digital and Bio Fabrication

Google Suite, Airtable, Slack, Trello, Miro

Script Supervisor, Screen Writer, Music
Director, Makeup, Music Theory

Piano (16 yrs)
Voice (12 yrs)
Bass (4.5 yrs)
Bass (4 years)

performance resume available upon request