

# JASON JAMES HANSEN DIRECTOR, COMPOSER, ARRANGER

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## Theater Productions (\* denotes world premier/original work, \*\*denotes regional premier)

### Upcoming

<i>Bernarda Alba</i> (Jan 2020)	Theater Latté Da	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Peace 4 The Ages*</i> (March 2020)	Hopkins Center Perf. Arts; Alive & Kickin/Stages Theater Co.	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Coming Of Age*</i> (June 2020)	Bloomington Civic Theatre; Alive & Kickin	Music Director, Arranger
<i>TBA: Latté Da NEXT workshop series*</i> (July 2020)	Theater Latté Da	Music Director
<i>TBA [Unannounced]:</i> (Oct 2020)	Hubbard Broadcasting/MyTalk 107 FM	Music Director, Arranger
<i>TBA [Unannounced]*:</i> (Nov 2020)	Theater Latté Da	Orchestrator, Music Director
<i>TBA [Unannounced]:</i> (Winter/Spring 2021)	Theater Latté Da	Music Director

### Regional (starting with most recent)

<i>Cinderella</i>	Children's Theatre Company	Music Director
<i>A Child's Christmas In Wales</i>	Theater Latté Da; NEXT workshop series	Orchestrator/Arranger, Music Director
<i>Guys &amp; Dolls</i>	Guthrie Theater	2 <sup>nd</sup> Keyboard
<i>Love Is Alive &amp; Kickin*</i>	Bloomington Civic Theatre; Alive & Kickin	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Hedwig and the Angry Inch</i>	Theater Latté Da	Music Director
<i>A Little Night Music</i>	Theater Latté Da	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Once</i>	Theater Latté Da	Music Director, Arranger Guitar, Piano, Mandolin, Percussion
<i>Flashback</i> [remount]	NorShore Theater, Duluth, MN; Alive & Kickin	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Flashback*</i>	Bloomington Civic Theatre; Alive & Kickin	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Boxcar*</i>	Northern Sky Theater, Fish Creek (Door County), WI	Orchestrator
<i>Newsies</i>	Chanhassen Dinner Theater	Conductor/Keyboard sub
<i>Assassins</i>	Theater Latté Da	Music Director, Arranger
<i>The Grinch Who Stole Christmas</i>	Children's Theatre Company	Conductor/Keyboard sub
<i>The Gift of the Magi*</i>	Arkansas Repertory Theater	Orchestrator
<i>Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat</i>	Bloomington Civic Theatre; Artistry	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Unsung Heroes*</i>	Bloomington Civic Theatre; Alive & Kickin	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Sweet Land*</i>	History Theater	Music Director
<i>The Sneeches*</i>	Children's Theatre Company	Music Director
<i>Who Am I This Time</i> [wksp.]	Ten Thousand Things	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Project Down &amp; Dirty: Rock Band</i>	The Myth; Hubbard Broadcasting/MyTalk 107 FM	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Nature*</i>	TigerLion Arts	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Ball, The Musical*</i>	MN Fringe Festival	Composer, collaborator
<i>The 60's*</i>	Bloomington Civic Theatre; Alive & Kickin	Music Director, Arranger
<i>A Night In Olympus*</i>	Illusion Theater	Music Director
<i>C*</i>	Theater Latté Da	Music Director, Actor/performer
<i>The Great Work*</i>	The Guthrie Theater; 7 <sup>th</sup> House Theater Company	Music Director, Orchestration consultant
<i>Christmas In The Airwaves*</i>	Lyric Arts Theatre	Arranger, Orchestrator

**Regional (cont.)**

<i>Orange Is the New POTUS: Shelly Bachberg*</i>	MN Fringe Festival	Music Director, Arranger, Sound Design
<i>Nature*</i>	TigerLion Arts	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Winds Of Change*</i>	Bloomington Civic Theatre; Alive & Kickin	Music Director, Arranger
<i>The Sneeches [wksp.]*</i>	Children's Theatre Company	Music Director
<i>Twelfth Night (May 2015)</i>	Theater Mu	Composer, Music Director, Sound Design
<i>And The World Goes Round</i>	Jungle Theater	Music Director, substitute
<i>Into The Woods</i>	Theater Latté Da	Music Director
<i>Duets</i>	Varsity Theater Alive & Kickin	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Fruit Fly: The Musical (tour)*</i>	St. Cloud Paramount Theater	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Project Down &amp; Dirty: The Musical [Hubbard Broadcasting/MyTalk 107 FM]</i>	Pantages Theater	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Romeo &amp; Juliet</i>	Ten Thousand Things	Musician, Assistant Music Director/Arranger
<i>A Very Merry Unauthorized Children's Scientology Pageant**</i>	MN Fringe Festival	Music Director, Arranger, Sound Design
<i>A Little Night Music</i>	Theater Mu	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Making History*</i>	Bloomington Civic Theatre; Alive & Kickin	Music Director, Arranger
<i>SpotLight Showcase</i>	Hennepin Theater Trust	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Fruit Fly: The Musical [wksp.]*</i>	Illusion Theater	Music Director
<i>Passing Strange**</i>	Mixed Blood Theater	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Our Town</i>	Theater Latté Da	Musician, Actor
<i>Othello</i>	Guthrie Theater	Music Consultant
<i>The Scarecrow and His Servant</i>	Children's Theatre Company	Music Consultant/Assistant
<i>Flashback [remount]</i>	JCC Sabes, Alive & Kickin	Music Director, Arranger
<i>The Last 5 Years</i>	FLIP! Theatre Company	Music Director, Consultant
<i>Shelly Bachberg Presents: How Helen Keller and Anne Frank Freed The Slaves: The Musical*</i>	MN Fringe Festival	Music Director, Arranger, Consultant
<i>Flashback*</i>	Old Arizona Theatre; Alive & Kickin	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Love Is Alive* [remount]</i>	Bloomington Civic Theatre; Alive & Kickin	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Aida</i>	Theater Latté Da	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Next To Normal **</i>	Mixed Blood Theatre	Music Director
<i>Fruit Fly: The Musical *</i>	MN Fringe Festival	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Love Is Alive*</i>	Old Arizona Theatre; Alive & Kickin	Music Director, Arranger
<i>O Brave New World*</i>	Guthrie Theater, BFA Program	Arranger, Music Consultant
<i>Avenue Q **</i>	Mixed Blood Theatre	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Tiny Disasters*</i>	Guthrie Theater, BFA Program	Composer/Arranger, Music Director
<i>1776</i>	Guthrie Theater	Assistant to Music Director
<i>Mulan Jr.</i>	Children's Theatre Company	Copyist, Assistant to Music Director
<i>25<sup>th</sup> Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee (Sr. Intensive)</i>	Children's Theatre Company, TAT Program	2 <sup>nd</sup> Keyboard
<i>A Prelude to Faustus*</i>	Open Eye Figure Theatre Company	Music Director
<i>Company (Sr. Intensive)</i>	Children's Theatre Company, TAT Program	Music Director
<i>Seussical</i>	Children's Theatre Company	Assistant to Music Director
<i>The Lost Boys of Sudan*</i>	Children's Theatre Company	Assistant to Music Director
<i>Huck Finn*</i>	Children's Theatre Company	Assistant to Music Director
<i>Esperanza Rising*</i>	Children's Theatre Company	Assistant to Sound Designer

**Educational/Community**

<i>Into The Woods</i>	Hill-Murray Private School	Music Director
<i>Encore: Home [Variety Show]</i>	Eagan High School	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Singin' In The Rain</i> (July 2018)	Eagan Summer Community Theater	Music Director, Conductor
<i>James and the Giant Peach, Jr.</i> (July 2018)	Children's Theatre Company, TAT Program	Music Director, Arranger, Assist. Sound Design
<i>Encore: The Edge [Variety Show]</i>	Eagan High School	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Annie, Jr.</i>	Children's Theatre Company, TAT Program	Music Director
<i>Encore: A Child's Dream [Variety Show]</i>	Eagan High School	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Shrek, Jr.</i>	Children's Theatre Company, TAT Program	Music Director
<i>The Little Mermaid</i>	Eagan Summer Community Theater	Music Director
<i>Pippin</i>	St. Paul Conservatory for the Performing Arts	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Little Mermaid, Jr.</i>	Children's Theatre Company, TAT Program	Music Director
<i>Beauty and the Beast</i>	Eagan Summer Community Theater	Music Director
<i>Once On This Island</i>	St. Paul Conservatory for the Performing Arts	Music Director
<i>Godspell</i>	Eagan High School	Music Director, orchestra
<i>Dear Edwina, Jr.</i>	Children's Theatre Company, TAT Program	Music Director
<i>Fiddler On The Roof</i>	St. Paul Conservatory for the Performing Arts	Music Director
<i>Beauty and the Beast</i>	Children's Theatre Company, TAT Program	Music Director
<i>Peter Pan</i>	Eagan Community Theater	Music Director
<i>Grease</i>	Hill-Murray Private School	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory</i>	Children's Theatre Company, TAT Program	Music Director, Arranger, Assist. Sound Design
<i>Cinderella</i>	Eagan Summer Community Theatre	Music Director
<i>Bye Bye Birdie</i>	Hill-Murray Private School	Music Director
<i>Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat</i>	Eagan Summer Community Theatre	Music Director
<i>Holiday Inn</i>	Hill-Murray Private School	Music Director, Arranger
<i>The Music Man</i>	Eagan Summer Community Theatre	Music Director
<i>Dracula: The Musical**</i>	Hill-Murray Private School	Music Director
<i>A Midsummer Nights Dream</i>	Eagan High School	Composer, Music Director
<i>Fiddler on the Roof</i>	Eagan Summer Community Theater	Music Director
<i>Aida</i>	Hill-Murray Private School	Music Director
<i>Oklahoma!</i>	Eagan Summer Community Theatre	Music Director
<i>Footloose</i>	Hill-Murray Private School	Music Director
<i>Godspell</i>	Easter Community Theater	Director, Music Director, Arranger

**Cabaret/Review**

<i>Pin Spot Series: Pin Spot</i>	Theater Latté Da	Music Director
<i>One Minneapolis: Minneapolis Foundation Benefit Dinner</i>	Minneapolis Foundation, Theater Latté Da	Music Director
<i>Fifty More: Curtain Call Ball Benefit</i>	Children's Theatre Company	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Making Overtures: Theater Latté Da Benefit Cabaret</i>	Theater Latté Da	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Man Wanted, feat. Doug Anderson</i>	Camp Bar	Music Director
<i>Mu Gala 2014</i>	Theater Mu	Music Director
<i>Performing Apprentice Showcase</i>	Children's Theatre Company	Music Director
<i>Mu Gala 2013</i>	Theater Mu	Music Director
<i>Make Your Own Kind of Music: Theater Latté Da Benefit Cabaret</i>	Theater Latté Da	Music Director, Arranger
<i>Monday Night Live: Performing Apprentice Showcase*</i>	Children's Theatre Company	Composer, Music Director

## University/Other

<i>Crazy For You</i>	Concordia College	Music Director, Arranger
<i>The Arabian Nights</i>	University of Minnesota	Composer, Music Director, Sound Designer
<i>Old Four Eyes: A Mississippi Panorama</i>	The Minnesota Centennial Showboat	Composer and Arranger

## Ongoing Affiliations

- **Alive & Kickin**, Minneapolis, Minnesota (2011-present)  
Associate and Music Director, Music Arranger
- **The Catalysts**, Minneapolis, Minnesota (2014-present, *founding member*)  
Composer in Residence, Music Director
- **Easter Church**, Eagan, Minnesota (2009-present)  
Contemporary Worship Leader, Youth Music Director, Worship Support
- **“Musical Mondays”, Monthly Cabaret Series**, Minneapolis, Minnesota (2012-2019)  
Accompanist, Music Director
- **Hennepin Theater Trust** Minneapolis, Minnesota (2014-present)  
Music Director, Consultant (Spotlight, Summer in the City, other events)
- **Independent School District 196**, Rosemount/Apple Valley/Eagan, Minnesota (2006-present)  
Arranger, Music Director

## Awards

- 2018 MN Theater Award, Exceptional Performative Direction, *Assassins*, Theater Latté Da
- 2016 South Suburban Conference Achievement Award for Fine Arts
- 2007 Century Council Sound Design Award, *The Arabian Nights* (University of MN)
- 2006 Ivey Award winning production (Open Eye Figure Theatre), *A Prelude to Faust* – overall excellence

## Published Works

- **Listen To The Children** [Hal Leonard (Boosey & Hawkes) CME Intermediate Series] (2014), text by Larry Sagen  
[Commissioned by the Minnesota Valley Men’s and Women’s Chorale; Apple Valley, Minnesota]
- **Clouds** [Alfred Pop Series] (2013), words and music by Zach Sobiech  
[Principal contributing Two-Part arranger]

## Select Concert Compositions

- **Look To This Day** (2014) for TTBB Mixed Men’s Ensemble  
[Commissioned by the Minnesota Valley Men’s Chorale; Apple Valley, Minnesota]
- **Ruins Of The Isle** (2008) for Multiple Percussion, Marimba, and Harp  
[Commissioned by Brittany Piatz; Minneapolis, Minnesota]
- **Purple Windmills** (2008) for Jazz Ensemble  
[Commissioned by the Eagan High School Jazz II; Eagan, Minnesota]
- **Almost Touching The Stars** (2008) for marimba and guitar duet  
[Commissioned by percussionist Joe Millea for 2008 University of Minnesota Recital]
- **Dance for Two Marimbas and Vibraphone** (2006) for two mallet percussionists

## Additional Arrangements & Orchestrations

- Hennepin Theater Trust Spotlight Program (2013, 2019, present)
- Numerous arrangements for school districts 11, 194, 196, 717, and 883 (2007-present)
- Minnesota Valley Men’s and Women’s Chorales (2012-present)
- District 196 Dakota Valley Choral Festival (2013-present)
- University of Minnesota Marching Band (2006)

## Discography

- **Sweet Promises, RÜAH** (2014)  
String arrangements, organ
- **DEMOS** (2008)  
Self-produced album featuring songwriting from 2006 through 2008
- **With You (Goodbye) [Single]** (2005)

### **Popular Artist Collaborations**

- Orchestral performance under the direction of **Roderick Cox** (*Associate Conductor, MN Orchestra*)
- **G.B. Leighton, Kat Perkins, Chan Poling, Allison Scott, Erin Schwab**

### **Professional Associations**

- **Member of Twin Cities Musician's Union, Local 30-73**
- **Member of ASCAP**

### **Education**

University of Minnesota School of Music; Minneapolis, Minnesota

(Spring 2009)

***Bachelor of Arts, Music***

*focus on Theory & Composition*

- **University School of Music Percussion Studio**  
Fernando Meza, Professor

(2005-2008)