



# Cody Von Ruden

## Costume Designer

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### Costume Designer

*The Lonesome West*  
*Come 'n Go\**  
*Hurricane Damage\**  
*Holding the Man*  
*The Importance of Being Earnest*  
*Alice in Wonderland* [Coordinator]

### Company

AstonRep Theatre Company  
Aleatoric Theatre Company  
Pride Arts Center  
Pride Arts Center  
University of Wisconsin-Green Bay  
Maine State Music Theatre

### Director

Dana Anderson  
Nick Lamb  
Paul J. Cook  
Michael Graham  
John Mariano  
Ray Dumont

### Costume Technician

*Newsies*  
*Taffetas*  
*The Who's: Tommy*  
*Grease*  
*Guys and Dolls*  
*Sleeping Beauty*

### Company

Maine State Music Theatre  
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### Supervisor

Elizabeth Galba  
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### Wardrobe

*The Doppelgänger*  
*The Crucible*  
*The Burn\**  
*Play Nice!*

### Company

Steppenwolf  
Steppenwolf  
Steppenwolf  
University of Wisconsin-Green Bay

### Supervisor

Shannon Higgins  
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Kaoime E. Malloy

### Employment and Leadership

#### 2017-2018 **Wardrobe Apprentice, Steppenwolf Theatre Company**

- Prepare and maintain costumes during the run of a show, including laundering items as necessary.
- Work with the costume designer, costume shop staff, wardrobe supervisor and dresser to maintain the vision of the show through its run
- Facilitate any costume changes, hair, and make up needs during each performance.

#### 2017 **Costume Shop Intern, Maine State Music Theatre**

- Assist with the construction, alteration, and maintenance of costumes for the entire summer season
- Work with the costume designer, costume shop supervisor, and wardrobe staff to maintain the vision of the show through its run

#### 2014-2017 **University Student Ambassador, Director, UW-Green Bay**

- Manage up to thirty University Student Ambassadors
- Create tour schedules, review performance and coordinate training
- Work with the recruitment, hiring, training, managing and supervision of the Student Ambassadors

### Skills

**Costuming and Costuming Crafts:** Machine Stitching, Hand Stitching, Knitting, Corsets, Millinery, Masks, Tail Fabrication, Fabric Painting & Dyeing, Distressing

**Computer:** Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Microsoft Office Suite

**Make-up:** Prosthetics [Sculpting, Mold Making, Pouring, and Applying], Old Age, FX [Blood, Wounds, Bruises, etc.]

**Wigs:** Styling and Maintenance

**Other:** Photography

### Education

**Bachelor of Arts in Theatre: Design Technical Emphasis; Design Arts Minor**

University of Wisconsin-Green Bay, Green Bay, WI, 2017

### References

#### Shannon Higgins

Wardrobe, Hair, and Make Up Supervisor  
Steppenwolf Theatre Company

#### Elizabeth Galba

Costume Shop Manager  
Maine State Music Theatre

#### Kaoime E. Malloy

Professor of Theatre  
UW- Green Bay

\*Denotes World Premiere