



Designer / Maker

CONTACT



+1 980-397-9349



madsn.carpenter@gmail.com



www.madicarpenter.com

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH
CAROLINA SCHOOL OF THE
ARTS

M.F.A Stage Properties 2026

UNIVERSITY OF GALWAY

B.A. Theatre and
Performance Studies;
Philosophy 2021
First Class Honours

SKILLS

Photoshop, Indesign,
Illustrator, Procreate.

Hand Sewing, Machine
Sewing.

Bookbinding

Scenic Painting

Woodworking

Glowforge, Cricut

Model-making

Archiving

Microsoft Excel, Word,
PowerPoint

Hand Drafting

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

EDUCATOR / COSTUMER

Old Salem Museum and Gardens

- Perform demonstrations on Historic Crafts and Trade for Museum Patrons utilizing personal research and development.
- Costumed education staff to historic standards and reproduced historic garments with machine and hand-sewing techniques.

GRADUATE ASSISTANT ARCHIVIST

UNCSA University Archives 2024

- Documented physical archival material for digital record and accessibility
- Initiated new archival projects to benefit the student and local artist community.
- Developed curation of digital community engagement and researched application of university archives to student research.

ASSISTANT STAGE MANAGER / PROPERTIES DESIGNER

Brú Theatre / Galway International Arts Festival | 2023

- Collaborated with production team to discuss visual and practical property necessities within budget
- Managed cast and crew with care during rehearsal, tech, and performances while problem-solving technical issues.
- Utilized research and creativity in developing graphic props as props designer and artisan.

PROPERTIES DIRECTOR / SET DRESSER

Fíbin Teo / Galway International Arts Festival | 2021

- Researched, sourced, and antiqued Irish 1920s' styled stage properties for eight set stages of a pageant-style outdoor theatrical spectacle.
- Filled role of Assistant Stage Manager to facilitate performance.

EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE

ASSISTANT SCENIC DESIGNER- *A Little Night Music*- UNCSA 2025

PROPERTIES DIRECTOR *Die Fledermaus*- UNCSA 2025

PROPERTIES DIRECTOR *Fefu and Her Friends*- UNCSA 2024

ASSISTANT PROPS DIRECTOR - *The Rover*- UNCSA 2024

ASSISTANT PROPS DIRECTOR- *Enron*- UNCSA 2023

SCENIC DESIGNER- *Constellations*- University of Galway 2021

SCENIC DESIGNER- *Diarmuid and Grainne*- University of Galway 2020