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## Curriculum Vitae

### Public Speaking & Performances

Utah Arts Festival Performer, MC, 2018

Utah Arts Festival Performer, 2017

Great Salt Lake Fringe Festival, August 2016

Utah Arts Festival Performer, 2016

Coach, Salt City Slam, National Poetry Slam 2015

Utah Arts Festival Performer, 2015

Poet/Performer, Salt Lake City,  
Individual World Poetry Slam, 2014

Poet/Performer, Salt City Slam,  
National Poetry Slam, 2014

Utah Arts Festival Performer, 2014

Utah Arts Festival Individual Slam Winner, 2014

Tour, various venues, November 2013-January 2014

Poet/Performer, Wasatch Wordsmiths,  
National Poetry Slam 2013

Poet/Performer, Salt City Slam,  
National Poetry Slam, 2012 (Semifinalists)

Poet/Performer, Salt Lake City,  
Individual World Poetry Slam

Poet/Performer, Salt City Slam,  
National poetry Slam, 2011 (Semifinalists)

Poet/Performer, Salt City Slam,  
National Poetry Slam, 2007

### Publications

*Red Bike Takes Audiences on Imaginative Ride*

*Utah Repertory Theatre's Straight Brings  
Necessary Conversation to Utah Stage*

*Utah Opera Offers Rollercoaster of Tragedy and Comedy  
You Should Leap at the Chance to See Jump*

*A View From the Bridge Mesmerizes at the Grand  
Theatre*

*Hir and Now*

*Steel Pier Stands Solid*

—Front Row Reviewers Utah, 2017-2018

*For Josh*

—Poem, video, Write About Now

*You F\*cking Hipster!*

—Essay, Drunk in a Midnight Choir, February 2016

*Playlist*

—Poem, Drunk in a Midnight Choir, October 2015

*Life in Reverse*

—Poem, video, Button Poetry

*Dear God of Convenience*

*Dear God of Economics*

*Dear God of Relapse*

—Poems, Drunk in a Midnight Choir, April 2016

*Postcards from a Drowning Man*

*Exclamation Point (!)*

*Question Mark (?)*

—Poems, Drunk in a Midnight Choir, April 2014

*A Brief Guide to Punctuation*

—Poems, Ugly Magazine, 2013

*A Small City of the Mind*

—Chapbook Winner, Tired Hearts Press, 2013

*The Passion of Joan of Arc*

—Poem, Unshod Quills, December 2011



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## Affiliations

### House of Hope

Project Manager,  
Instructional Design Project  
Summer 2017

### Westminster Performing Arts

Arts Administrator, Communication Coordinator, Social  
Media Strategist, Integrated Marketing Communications,  
Internal Communication  
2015-2018

### Millcreek Coffee

Integrated Marketing Communication Plan Project  
Spring 2017

### Catholic Community Services

Project manager  
Gala/Event Branding Project  
Summer 2016

### Clearlink

Internal Branding Booklet Project  
Spring 2016

### AAPC

Crisis Communication Project  
Spring 2016

### Utah Arts Festival

Literary Stage Co-coordinator  
2017, 2018

### Utah Arts Festival

Literary Host/MC  
2015, 2016

### Wasatch Wordsmiths

President, Co-Founder, Consultant  
2013-2017

### River Sky Revival

Organizer  
2013

### Wasatch Indie Arts

Co-organizer  
2011

### University of Utah Poetry Slam

Founder  
2013

### enormous rooms literary journal

Chief Editor  
2011



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Content Strategist for Salt Lake County Mayor's Office

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