

**Michael A. Krek  
Curriculum Vitae**

**Background**

• **Education**

University of Florida, MFA in Theatre, 2018, GPA 4.0

- Dr. Remshardt, Literary History and Criticism 1 & 2
- Yanci Bukovic, Voice and Speech 1, 2, 3 & 4
- Tim Altmeyer, Kevin Marshall, Modern Acting
- Dr. Pinkney, Shakespeare
- Judith Williams, Period Styles
- Tiza Garland, Movement, Stage Combat
- Tori Matsoes, Alexander Technique 1, 2, & 3
- David Young, Creative Process, Directing
- Malcolm Gets, Acting for Camera, Musical Theatre

Auburn University at Montgomery, BA in Communication with an Emphasis in Theatre, 2015, GPA 4.0

- Mike Winkelman, Scene Design, Stage Lighting, Stagecraft, Scene Painting
- Dr. Blake Gerard, 18<sup>th</sup> Century British Drama
- Val Winkelman, Costume Construction, Makeup Design, Theatre History 1 & 2, Theatre Administration

• **Experience**

**A. Academic**

[Auburn University at Montgomery, Assistant Professor: Fall 2023 – Present](#)

University of Florida, Adjunct Professor: Fall 2018

University of Florida, Instructor: Summer 2016 – Summer 2018

University of Florida, Graduate Teaching Assistant: Fall 2015 – Summer 2018

**B. Other Professional**

<a href="#">Montgomery, AL</a>	<a href="#">Contracting Consultant</a>	<a href="#">2023 – Present</a>
<a href="#">Virginia Theatre Festival</a>	<a href="#">Lead Carpenter</a>	<a href="#">2025 Season</a>
<a href="#">Virginia Theatre Festival</a>	<a href="#">Lead Carpenter</a>	<a href="#">2024 Season</a>
<a href="#">R.F. Pruett Construction Co.</a>	<a href="#">Carpenter</a>	<a href="#">2020 – 2022</a>
<a href="#">Hippodrome Theatre</a>	<a href="#">Lead Carpenter</a>	<a href="#">2019 Season</a>
<a href="#">West Virginia Public Theatre</a>	<a href="#">Technical Director</a>	<a href="#">2009 Season</a>
<a href="#">Montgomery, AL</a>	<a href="#">Independent Contractor</a>	<a href="#">2009 – 2023</a>

Alabama Shakespeare Festival	Lead Carpenter	2006 – 08 Seasons
Utah Shakespeare Festival	Lead Carpenter	2007 Season
Texas Shakespeare Festival	Actor	2001 – 02 & 2004 – 06 Seasons
Shakespeare by the Sea	Actor	1997 – 2000 Seasons
Stratford Festival of Canada	Actor	1996, 2003 Seasons

## Scholarly and Creative Productivity

- **Artistic or Other Creative Contributions**

### **(Exhibits)**

#### **Performances/Productions**

##### Technical Director

Circus Spendiferous	Circus Ground Row	Summer 2025
Theatre AUM	<i>Blood at the Root</i>	Spring 2025
Theatre AUM	<i>RED</i>	Spring 2025
	KCACTF Region 4 Invited Production, UNCG, Greensboro, North Carolina	
Theatre AUM	<i>ART IRL</i>	Spring 2025
Theatre AUM	<i>RED</i>	Fall 2024
Theatre AUM	<i>Buddies</i>	Spring 2024
Theatre AUM	<i>New Millennium</i>	Spring 2024
Theatre AUM	<i>Red Bike</i>	Fall 2023
West Virginia Public Theatre	<i>The Wizard of Oz</i>	December 2009

##### Lead Carpenter

Virginia Film Festival	<i>38<sup>th</sup> Annual Festival</i>	Summer 2025
Virginia Theatre Festival	<i>Get Happy</i>	Summer 2025
Virginia Theatre Festival	<i>The Heart Sellers</i>	Summer 2025
Virginia Theatre Festival	<i>Into The Woods</i>	Summer 202
University of Virginia	<i>Fall Dance Review</i>	Summer 2024
Virginia Theatre Festival	<i>The 39 Steps</i>	Summer 2024
Virginia Theatre Festival	<i>Little Shop of Horrors</i>	Summer 2024
Virginia Theatre Festival	<i>50 Years and Counting</i>	Summer 2024
Hippodrome Theatre	<i>Curious Incident of...</i>	Fall 2019
University of Florida	<i>King Lear</i>	Spring 2017
University of Florida	<i>Hairspray</i>	Fall 2016
University of Florida	<i>The Divine</i>	Spring 2016
University of Florida	<i>T. Williams One Acts</i>	Fall 2015
Springer Opera House	<i>Big River</i>	Fall 2012
Springer Opera House	<i>Hamlet</i>	Spring 2012
Alabama Shakespeare Festival	<i>Crowns</i>	2007 – 2008 Season
Alabama Shakespeare Festival	<i>Peter Pan</i>	2007 – 2008 Season
Alabama Shakespeare Festival	<i>Winnie the Pooh</i>	2007 – 2008 Season
Alabama Shakespeare Festival	<i>Over the Tavern</i>	2007 – 2008 Season
Alabama Shakespeare Festival	<i>Romeo and Juliet</i>	2007 – 2008 Season

Alabama Shakespeare Festival	<i>Rocket City</i>	2007 – 2008 Season
Alabama Shakespeare Festival	<i>Cymbeline</i>	2007 – 2008 Season
Alabama Shakespeare Festival	<i>Count of Monte Christo</i>	2007 – 2008 Season
Alabama Shakespeare Festival	<i>West Side Story</i>	2007 – 2008 Season
Alabama Shakespeare Festival	<i>The Beaux' Stratagem</i>	2007 – 2008 Season
Alabama Shakespeare Festival	<i>Crowns</i>	2006 – 2007 Season
Alabama Shakespeare Festival	<i>Gees' Bend</i>	2006 – 2007 Season
Alabama Shakespeare Festival	<i>James &amp; the Giant Peach</i>	2006 – 2007 Season
Alabama Shakespeare Festival	<i>War of the Roses</i>	2006 – 2007 Season
Alabama Shakespeare Festival	<i>Death of a Salesman</i>	2006 – 2007 Season
Utah Shakespeare Festival	<i>The Taming of the Shrew</i>	Summer 2007
Utah Shakespeare Festival	<i>Fiddler on the Roof</i>	Summer 2007
West Virginia Public Theatre	<i>The Wizard of Oz</i>	December 2009

### Scenic Design

<i>Blood at the Root</i>	Theatre AUM	Spring 2025
<i>New Millennium</i>	Theatre AUM	Spring 2024
<i>Red Bike</i>	Theatre AUM	Fall 2023
<i>The Shawl</i>	University of Florida	Summer 2018
<i>Galileo</i>	Theatre AUM	Fall 2014
<i>Cat on a Hot Tin Roof</i>	Theatre AUM	Spring 2014
<i>Paternity Leave (Devised)</i>	Theatre AUM	Fall 2013
<i>The Little Foxes</i>	Theatre AUM	Fall 2012
<i>Proof</i>	Theatre AUM	Spring 2012
<i>Art</i>	Theatre AUM	Fall 2011
<i>Glengarry Glen Ross</i>	Theatre AUM	Spring 2007

### Light Design

<i>ART IRL</i>	Theatre AUM	Spring 2025
<i>Buddies</i>	Theatre AUM	Spring 2024
<i>New Millennium</i>	Theatre AUM	Spring 2024
<i>The Shawl</i>	University of Florida	Summer 2018
<i>Art</i>	Theatre AUM	Fall 2011

### Projection Design

<i>To Kill a Mockingbird</i>	Mill Mountain Theatre	Fall 2024
<i>Galileo</i>	Theatre AUM	Fall 2014

### Lead Electrician

<i>Fall Dance Review</i>	UVA	Fall 2025
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### Acting (Performance)

<i>The Caregiver</i>	Walter	UNCG, Greensboro NC
<i>Arcadia</i>	Bernard Nightingale	Theatre AUM
<i>Luna Gale</i>	Cliff	University of Florida
<i>A Christmas Carol</i>	Bob Cratchit	Hippodrome Theatre
<i>1984</i>	Goldstein	Hippodrome Theatre

<i>King Lear</i>	King Lear	University of Florida
<i>Stage Kiss</i>	Husband/Harrison	Hippodrome Theatre
<i>Sketchy People</i>	Mike	University of Florida
<i>The House of Atreus</i>	Agamemnon	University of Florida
<i>Spill</i>	Keith Jones	University of Florida
<i>Dinner With Friends</i>	Tom	Cloverdale Playhouse
<i>Galileo</i>	Galileo	Theatre AUM
<i>Clybourne Park</i>	Russ/Dan	Cloverdale Playhouse
<i>The Little Foxes</i>	Horace	Theatre AUM
<i>The Misanthrope</i>	Alceste	Theatre AUM
<i>The Cherry Orchard</i>	Semeonov-Pishchik	Theatre AUM
<i>Unseen</i>	Psychiatrist	Theatre AUM
<i>Romeo &amp; Juliet</i>	Capulet	Texas Shakespeare Fest.
<i>Love's Labor's Lost</i>	Boyet	Texas Shakespeare Fest.
<i>Tartuffe</i>	M. Loyal	Texas Shakespeare Fest.
<i>Angels In America</i>	Roy Cohn	Theatre AUM
<i>Spinning Into Butter</i>	Ross	Theatre AUM
<i>Elizabeth Rex</i>	Ned/Beatrice	Theatre AUM
<i>Much Ado About Nothing</i>	Leonato	Texas Shakespeare Fest.
<i>Othello</i>	Baptista	Texas Shakespeare Fest.
<i>Twelfth Night</i>	Orsino	Shakes Clark Park
<i>The Miracle Worker</i>	Captain Keller	Theatre Beijing, China
<i>Macbeth</i>	MacDuff	Texas Shakespeare Fest.
<i>Cyrano de Bergerac</i>	Ligniere	Texas Shakespeare Fest.
<i>Henry V</i>	Chorus/Exeter	NJ Shakes
<i>Midsummer Night's Dream</i>	Oberon/Theseus	NJ Shakes
<i>Macbeth</i>	Sergeant/Seyton	Stratford Festival
<i>Henry VIII</i>	Bishop of Lincoln	Stratford Festival
<i>Showcase</i>	Hamlet	Globe, U.K.
<i>Arms and the Man</i>	Bluntschli	Texas Shakespeare Fest.
<i>King Lear</i>	Edgar	Texas Shakespeare Fest.
<i>Henry IV</i>	Douglas	Texas Shakespeare Fest.
<i>Shenandoah</i>	Rev. Byrd	Texas Shakespeare Fest.
<i>Macbeth</i>	Rosse	Hurly Burly Theatre
<i>Pericles</i>	1 <sup>st</sup> Fisherman/Pandar	Festival of Classics
<i>Julius Caesar</i>	Cassius	Shakes by the Sea
<i>Measure for Measure</i>	Provost	Shakes by the Sea
<i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i>	Oberon/Theseus	Shakes by the Sea
<i>Romeo &amp; Juliet</i>	Capulet	Minack Th., U.K.
<i>Hamlet</i>	Horatio	Neptune Theatre
<i>King Lear</i>	Kent	Shakes by the Sea
<i>Titus Andronicus</i>	Demetrius	Shakes by the Sea
<i>Macbeth</i>	Banquo	Repercussion Th.
<i>Henry V</i>	Fluellen	Shakes by the Sea
<i>Richard III</i>	Clarence	Shakes by the Sea
<i>Much Ado About Nothing</i>	Don John	Shakes by the Sea

<i>Richard III</i>	Lovell	Stratford Festival
<i>Oedipus Rex</i>	Chorus	Stratford Festival
<i>Juno &amp; the Paycock</i>	Furniture Man	Stratford Festival
<i>As You Like It</i>	Orlando	Stratford Festival
<i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i>	Lysander	Festival of Classics

#### Directing

<i>RED</i>	Theatre AUM	Fall 2024
<i>New Millennium</i>	Theatre AUM	Spring 2024
<i>The Shawl</i>	University of Florida	Summer 2018
<i>Georgia McBride</i> (Assistant)	Hippodrome Theatre	Fall 2017
<i>High Life</i>	University of Florida	Spring 2017
<i>An Evening of One Acts</i>	Theatre AUM	Fall 2012
<i>Glengarry Glen Ross</i>	Theatre AUM	Spring 2007
<i>Taming of the Shrew</i>	Shakes by the Sea	Summer 1999

- **Professional Meetings and Conference Presentations**

Kennedy Center American College Theater Festival Region 4, Peer Reviewed  
Conference Presentation, "The Sustainable Scenic", Spring 2025, Greensboro, NC

Kennedy Center American College Theater Festival Region 4, Peer Reviewed  
Conference Presentation, "The Sustainable Set", Spring 2024, Albany, GA

#### **5. Other Scholarly or creative Activities**

- A. Service as a critic or reviewer at a professional meeting.
- B. Service as an officer or committee member for a professional organization.  
Kennedy Center American College Theatre Festival, Region 4, Design,  
Technology, Management Vice-Chair, April 2025 - Present
- D. Professional Society Membership.  
USITT (United States Institute for Theatre Technology) Member, 2023 –  
Present  
ACT (Alabama Conference of Theatre) Member, 2023 - Present  
Phi Kappa Phi 2012 – Present  
Omicron Delta Kappa 2012 – Present  
Canadian Actors Equity Association Member 1997 – Present  
Alliance of Canadian Cinema, Television and Radio Artists Member  
1996– Present

#### **6. Awards**

KCACTF Region 4 Invited Production – *RED* Spring 2025  
KCACTF Meritorious Award for Excellence in Direction, *RED*, Fall 2024  
KCACTF Meritorious Award for Excellence in Light Design, *Buddies*, Spring 2024  
KCACTF Meritorious Award for Excellence in Scenic Design, *Red Bike*, Fall 2023  
Chancellor's Scholar, Auburn University at Montgomery, Fall 2014  
Christopher Plummer Artistic Fellowship Award, Spring 2004  
Tyrone Guthrie Apprentice Award, Stratford Festival of Canada, Fall 1997

**7. Grants**

**8. Thesis Dissertation**

**9. Major Area of Creative Research Interest**

**Sustainability Stuff**

**10. Professional Accomplishments**

B. Course Development

C. Recognition for Teaching

D. Academic Service

a. On Campus

**Academic Service**

**1. Department of Communication and Theatre**

Search Committee, Lecturer in Communication, Spring 2024

Search Committee, Assistant Professor Strategic Communication, Fall 2023

Search Committee, Assistant Professor Strategic Communication, Spring 2024

**2. CLASS**

CLASS Film Series Committee Fall 2025

Fine Arts Scholarship Review Committee Spring 2025

Fine Arts Portfolio Review Committee, Spring 2025

Fine Arts Portfolio Review Committee, Fall 2024

Communication & Theatre Student Awards Committee Fall 2023 – Present

Fine Arts Portfolio Review Committee, Spring 2024

Fine Arts Scholarship Review Committee, Spring 2024

Fine Arts, Sculpture 3 Critique Committee Fall 2023

**3. University**

Recruiting, Trumbauer State Festival, Florence, AL Fall 2024

Faculty Senate Secretary, January 2024 – May 2025

Faculty Executive Council, January 2024 – May 2025

b. Off Campus

**Professional Service**

Adjudicated at Trumbauer State Festival: Technical and Design Scholarships,  
Florence, AL Fall 2024

Assisted Cloverdale Playhouse, Properties, *Noises Off*, Fall 2024

Assisted Cloverdale Playhouse, Properties, *Alice in Wonderland*, Summer 2024

Assisted Cloverdale Playhouse, Properties, *The Explorers Club*, Spring 2024

Assisted Lowndes County High School, Scenic Elements, Spring 2024

Assisted BTW Magnet School, Properties, Fall 2023

Residential & Commercial Contracting Consultant, 2022 - Present

E. Other

## 11. Other Important Items

### Courses Taught:

1. Auburn University at Montgomery
  - THEA 2120/COMM 2120 Film Appreciation
  - THEA 3003/ COMM 3003 Oral Interpretation
  - THEA 3613 Scene Design
  - VISU 1132/ THEA 1132 3-D Design
  - THEA 2103 Stagecraft
  - THEA 2040 Theatre Appreciation
  
2. University of Florida
  - THE 2000 Theatre Appreciation
  - TPP 2100 Acting for Non-Majors
  - TPP 2110 Acting 1: Instrument and Discipline
  - TPP 3650 Script Analysis
  - ORI 2000 Oral Interpretation of Literature