

Dana Hall

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BIO

Dana Hall (she/her) is a playwright, actor, and mental health therapist. Dana has had dozens of plays produced across the US and internationally. She took home a Best of Fringe award at the Women's Theatre Festival (NC) for her examination of social disparities with the play, *No Justice*. She is the 2022 Femuscript (FL) Monologue Winner performing her original piece *Snowglobe*. Her Edgar Allen Poe adaptation, *Under the Floorboards*, took home Outstanding Theatrical Adaptation of 2022 with Gee-Rated Intertainment. Away from the stage her best-selling children's book *Beyond Words*, which focuses on inclusivity and kindness, won the Mother's Choice Award in 2020. Her plays have been published with Heuer, Stage Plays, & Smith Scripts. New York Journal recognized her as one of their 50 under 50 most influential creators during the pandemic list 2022. She is a member of the Dramatists Guild, League of Professional Theatre Women, Honor Roll!, and International Centre for Female Playwrights. DanaHallCreates.com Instagram: @DanaHallCreates

PRODUCED WORKS

No Justice	WTFringe Festival, Powerstories Women's Theatre Central Illinois 2021, Black Lives Black Words Festival
The Tenant	This Moment Productions, Rogue Theatre Festival NYC 2021, Fleas On The Dog Magazine, Thornhill Fringe Festival, Jakespeare 2022
Me, Myself, & Moscato	Palos Village Players, Shiny Unicorn Productions, Drawing Cat Productions (NYC) Thornhill Theatre
My Vagina Has A First Name	Shiny Unicorn Productions
Sunny-Side Up	Triangle Rainbow Theatre Festival, Equity Theatre NYC
Stay Awhile	Inkwell Theatre CA, Palos Village Players IL, Prism Theatre Company MO, Open Door Playhouse LA, Two-Hander Slam Competition Winner 2021, Thornhill Theatre, Stage It!
Unprovoked	Barely Seen Editor, Q Bits Radio Podcast Season 2, Acting Up! (Orange County Players)
Magic Memories	23 Miles South (IL)
Ghost in the Net	Hey Playwright Love-5 Festival
Sidewalk Psychic	Scripps Onstage

Dandelion	Dramatic Question Theatre (DQT), Muskegon Community College MI
Don't Lose Your Head	Short Attention Span Theatre FL
Bogeyman	Flexible Grey Theatre TX, Davidson Community Players 5 th Annual Boos & Brews NC
Under the Floorboards	Tiny_Theatre! FL, Halloween Hijinks Festival FL The Rude Mechanicals WA, Rainy Day Artistic Collective, This Moment Productions IL, Arts Incubator Short Play Fest, Experimental Writer's Workshop, "Refusing to be Silenced" short play and monologue festival for Women's History Month 2022, Rogue Theatre Festival NYC 2022
Joyride	Gi60 UK International One Minute Festival, Jakespeare Festival
Copycat	Virtual Community Theatre, Equity Theatre
Always	Sand Lake Center For The Arts NYC, Cedar Springs Community Players MI, Empty Room Theater, Niles West High School (educational examination)2022, Weathervane 2023 Festival
Imaginary Friends	Gi60 UK International One Minute Festival, Jakespeare Festival
All Grown Up	State Of Play Festival
Ahavah (co-written David Lipschutz)	Dragon Productions Theatre Company, Lightbulb Factory, Scawwy Howwows Theatre Inc, Farmington Players One-Act Festival, Jersey City Theatre Center, Muskegon Community College MI, Saint Sebastian Players IL, Newmarket International Festival of one Act Plays (Canada)2022, Crafton Hills New Works 2022, Literary & Discourse Society, Virginia ARTfactory 2022
Head Over Heels	Thornhill Theatre, Muskegon Community College MI, Strong Box Theater NYC 2022
Underneath	Eclectic Full Contact Theatre Chicago, Natural Theatre, Finalist ARKfest 2022, Rhino Theatre NJ, Semi-finalist for The Depot season 2022, College of Charleston
Self-Talk	Shiny Unicorn Productions
The Marble Toucan Lounge	Too Much Damn Theatre, Gather By The Ghostlight

(co-writers Alix Neenan, Jacob Horowitz)

Chasing Cinderella	B3 Theater's Festival of Shorts finalist
Pieces Of You	Surfside Playhouse Contest Winner 2022
The Origin Of Zeke Wolf	Shiny Unicorns Productions
Old Dog New Trick	Gi60 UK Festival
Flight Of Thought	Gi60 UK Festival
Knock Over the Milk Bottles- Win A Prize!	Gi60 US Festival NY
Lucid	Imaginarium NYC, John Clarke Prize/ Morecambe Fringe shortlisted
Coal For Christmas	Shiny Unicorns Productions, TTS Fringe 3 - Christmas in July Edition, Westchester Holiday Festival (IL)
When Your Step-Father Wants To Rule The World	Necronomicon in 2022, Stage Room in Lakeland, FL
Pete & Petria's Petrifying Podcast (radio play)	For Stage & Screen Exclusive/Podcast, Gather by the Ghostlight
Switchboard Soldier	Rainy Day Artistic Collective, Salem State University- Veterans Day Festival
Free Hug	Asphalt Jungle (Canada)
MONOLOGUE	
Sound Mind	Paradox Theatre Festival IL, Recover-Me LA, Finalist Winner in the 2021 Hear Me Out Monologue Competition & Labor Day Festival, Madwomen Monologues (Australia)
Plaque Kills	New Deal Artistic Creative NY, Equity Theatre NYC-winner best actor, Short Attention Span Theatre FL, Neo-futurists IL
What Happened to Tinkerbell?	Paradox Theatre Festival IL
Just Breathe	Recover-Me NYC
Matzah Ball Soup (co-written David Lipschutz)	The Light Bulb Factory
Snow Globe	Femuscripts Monologue Contest Winner 2022
Becky With The Short Shorts	Act Your Age UK 2022
Sorry I'm Late	Women's Winter Monologue Festival 2022

Gawkers

The PGE Faces of America Monologue Festival
Semi-Finalist 2022**DIRECTOR**

Sunny-Side Up	Dana Hall	Triangle Rainbow Theatre
OMG! The Deity Dish	John Mabey	Rainy Day Artistic Collective
The Tenant	Dana Hall	This Moment Productions
Poetry, Prose, and Pirates	Ken Preuss	This Moment Productions
Magic Memories	Dana Hall	23 Miles South Theatre
Me, Myself, & Moscato	Dana Hall	Shiny Unicorn Productions
The Marsha Chronicles	John Mabey	Rainy Day Artistic Collective
Ghosted	Sierra Perry	Rainy Day Artistic Collective
Coal For Christmas	Dana Hall	Rainy Day Artistic Collective

TRAINING/EDUCATION

Clinical Therapy/Psychology	MA/ LCPC	Saint Xavier University
Minor English & Philosophy		
School Counseling	MA	Saint Xavier University
Experimental Writer's Intensive	1/22-4/22	
The Imaginarium (Tisch School)	3/22- 6/8/22	
Advanced Voice Over	2021-2022	Second City Chicago
Stage and Screen Acting	2020-2022+	Second City Chicago

DRAMATURG

A Midsummer Night's Dream		This Moment Productions
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Memberships

NPC Playwright New Players Company Mentor
 Dramatist Guild Of America, Author Guild
 International Centre for Women Playwrights
 Honor Roll!
 NPX New Play Exchange
 The Playground (Chicago) Writer Series 2022

Anthologies

Arnold, Camilla, Be Kind: The little book filled with love, hope, and kindness to lift your spirits. Tecessia Publishing, 2020
 Emerson Arts, The Stage Light Flickers, Pandemonium Publishing House LLC, 2021
 Edmund, Reginald, Black Lives Black Words, Short Plays, Oberon Books LLC (Not yet released)
 Hallegra, Chou, We All Belong, Grace & Hope LLC, 2020
 Hallegra, Chou, Rising Above Sexual Abuse: How ordinary men and women found supernatural strength to turn trauma into resilience, Grace & Hope LLC, 2021
 Hallegra, Chou, Grief & Loss, Grace & Hope LLC 2020
 Hallegra, Chou, I Quit!, Grace & Hope LLC 2021
 Hallegra, Chou, Made to Overcome - Caregivers Edition, Grace & Hope LLC 2021
 Larkin, J.K., Thirty Minutes to Curtain—A Collection of Bite-Sized Plays, Red Penguin LLC, 2021
 my view from home
 Stage It and Stream It! Plays for Virtual Theatre to be published by Applause Theatre & Cinema Books, an imprint of The Rowman & Littlefield Publishing Group, Inc

Licensing Agreements

I Hate My Afterlife, Smith Scripts, 2021
 Me, Myself, & Moscato, StagePlay Publishing, 2021

Sunny Side Up, Smith Scripts, 2021
Unprovoked, StagePlay Publishing, 2021
Don't Lose Your Head, Heuer Publishing, 2022

Literary Magazine

The Tenant, Fleas On The Dog V.10, 2021
Unprovoked, Barely Scene Editor V. LGBTQ edition, 2021
Head Over Heels, *Ahavah*, *Sidewalk Psychic*, River Voices Literary Magazine, 2022
All Grown Up, Hello Godot! Fresh Words: International Literary Magazine
Old Dog, New Tricks, Fresh Words: Contemporary One Minute Plays (Volume 3)

Children's Books

Monsters Love Pickles, Independent Publication, 2022
Beyond Words, Tecassia Publishing 2021
This Duck Can't Quack!, Independent Publication, 2022
The Adventure Club: Case of the Missing Principal, 2022

Poetry Published

Rekindled, Be Kind Anthology, Tecessaia Publishing, 2020
Bloom, Fresh Words: International Literary Magazine, April 2022

Magazine

Hall, Dana, Navigating Chronic Illness and the Holidays, Spondylitis Plus Magazine, Winter (Print) 2020
Featured in Psychology Today, A Sweat Life, Chicago Parent Magazine

Monologue

Krivinchuk, Danielle & Phillips, Julie, Bittersweet Monologue Book, Theatre Unbound, LLC., 2021

Blog

Hall, Dana, Motherhood From The Heart, Her View From Home, 2021
Hall, Dana, A Chronic Voice, How To Approach A Loved One With Chronic Illness Without Pushing Them Away, 2020
Featured Relationship Expert, Deep Soulful Love. Hall has published dozens of articles on relationships, coping skills, and mental health.

Podcast Appearance

Online Theatre Collaborative Podcast Episode 6 2021
Are Your Parents Proud Of You? Podcast 2022
Featured Playwright LIVE Interview Shiny Unicorns Productions 2021
Gather By The Ghost Light, Podcast 2022

Keynote Address Speaker

In October 2020, I was honored to present the keynote address for the Spondylitis Association of America's **Spondyloarthritis Educational Seminar**. Navigating the Emotional Impacts of Spondyloarthritis, Chronic Illness, and the COVID-19 Pandemic."

Playwright Mentor/Consultant

NPC Playwriting Program- New Players Company/Ridgewood High School (NJ)

Awards

Best of fringe award at the Women's Theatre Festival (NC) summer/2021 for her examination of social disparities with the piece, *No Justice*.

Stay Awhile took first place in the Two-Hander Slam competition.

Nominated Best Director & Best Play at Triangle Rainbow Theatre's LGBTQ play festival (NYC 2021),

Sunny Side Up

Beyond Words, won a Mother's Choice Award for inclusivity and disability awareness.

Named New York Journal's 50 Under 50 Most Influential Creators During the Pandemic in March of 2022

Head Over Heels, Muskegon Community College (MI) Best 10-minute play competition finalist 2022.

Underneath, Eclectic Theatre Patchwork Festival (IL) Audience Choice Winner 2022.

Snow Globe, Femuscript (FL) Monologue Winner 2022.

Sidewalk Psychic Winner 10-minute play competition Muskegon Community College MI 2022

The Marble Toucan Lounge, Winner Best Play, Winner Audience Favorite, Too Much Damn Theatre 2022

Pieces Of You, Surfside Playhouse Contest Winner, 2022

Under the Floorboards, Gee Rated Entertainment, Outstanding Theatrical Adaptation 2022

Ahavah, Crafton Hills New Works Play Festival, 3rd place 2022.

Lucid, Top Ten shortlisted entry for the Morecambe Fringe John Clarke Memorial Prize for script-writing

Head Over Heels, Semi-Final round for PICK OF THE VINE 2023 at Little Fish Theatre CA.