

LISA DALTON

Directing/Producing Resume
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THEATER (selected credits)

Arts Fort Worth, Staged Readings of new plays, including *Sing Me to the Other Side*, *FOMO*, and more.

Charlie and Chocolate, Nepali Film School, Kathmandu

Walking Across Egypt, Director, Artisan Center Theater, Hurst TX
Regional Premiere

Of Mice and Men, Director, Secret Rose Theatre, NOHO CA (NOHO
Nomination for Best Revival, Winner for Lightning Design)

8 Simple Rooms, Director, Producer, Secret Rose Theatre, NOHO CA

Magical Mythstories, Director, Producer, Rudolf Steiner Community
Center, Pasadena, CA

Moose Mating, Director, Chekhov Theatre Barn, Valley Village

Effie's Burning, Director, Lead Actor, Close Up Theatre, North Hollywood

Legend of White Roots of Peace, Director/Producer/lead Actor, Rudolf
Steiner CC, Pasadena

Spinnin' Fever, Director/Producer, Moscow, 2nd MCIW, International Cast

Prologue, Director/Producer, Michael Hall, Sussex, England

Reunion, Director/Producer, Stage 7, San Diego

Playtime in Oldtown, Director/Producer, Pasadena

Hit or Myth, Director/Producer, MCS, Pasadena

Damocles, Director/Producer, SDCC, San Diego

Clazion Catches Light, by Broken Gopher, INK (Drama), MCS

Magnetism, by Steve Pesce, MCS

Tits and Tombstones - to Harlow with Love, by Barbara Eaton (Drama),
MCS

Enroute, by Steve Pesce, MCS, LA

Spoon River Anthology, by Edgar Lee Masters (Drama), MCS, LA

The Cosmetologist, from "Pretzels," (MCS)LA

The Dining Room, by A. R.Gurney, Chekhov Theatre Institute, Maine

Magical Journeys of Russell Lewis, Director/Co-producer, Full-stage
Magic /Dance Show/Tour

The Imp and the Crust, Director, Martin Alley Players, Pasadena

Mozart and the Grey Steward, Director, Martin Alley Players, Pasadena

La Brea Tar pits, Director, Lionstar Theatre, LA

Graceland, Director, Lionstar Theatre, J.D.I. Productions, LA

Little Miss Fresno, Director, Lionstar Theatre, J.D.I. Productions, LA

Junctions and Journies, at Matrix Theatre (Drama)WIT, LA

I Told You So, by Sue Vega, "Twelve WIT Works" Theatre Exchange, LA

Rita Louise, by Judy Edelman, "Six WIT Works"Mark Taper Annex. LA

The Fifth Season, at The Palisadium Dinner Theatre, Ft. Lee, NJ

Skin of Our Teeth, at Parkdale Playhouse, Greenbelt, MD (Tournament winner)

Arsenic and Old Lace, at Parkdale Playhouse, Greenbelt, MD (Tournament winner)

The Long Christmas Dinner, at Parkdale Playhouse, Greenbelt, MD (Tournament winner)

A Christmas Carol at St. Bernard's Drama Group, MD

The Matchmaker at Greenbelt Players, MD

FILM/TELEVISION Directing/Producing

Life and Encounters with Michael Chekhov: Series, Available on YouTube

Lisa Dalton's Rock N Roll workout with Chekhov Techniques- 60 min. Training DVD

Anthony Quinn's Life and Encounter with Michael Chekhov- DVD Interview

The Sensei, Acting/Directing Coach for Diana Lee Inosanto, SAG Feature (Currently Shooting)

The Connexion, Produced and Dialogue Coach for Jonathan Phillips, 15 minute digital short(Currently in Festival Circuit)

Monkey Flower, Directing/Acting Consultant, Digital SAG Feature directed by Michael Vest and Michael Keuhnert (Currently in Post)

The Shakespeare Guy, Producer/Director, 14 minute digital short (Screened in DreamWorks Employee Film Fest)

Michael Chekhov: The Dartington Years, 60 minute documentary-in distribution-Contributing Footage.

From Russia to Hollywood, Co- Producer, Additional Footage-105 minute Documentary- currently in distribution with Pathfinder Films, **Hollywood Film Festival Finalist**, screened at London Film Festival, Sydney, St. Petersburg. and on PBS.

Last Fairy Tale, Producer, 23-minute Comedy Pilot

Birds of a Feather, Director/Producer, 26-minute 16mm, color Comedic Short (**Houston WorldFest Bronze Award, Crystal Award of Excellence**)

Lexi Stone, Director, Sit-com Pilot

Clazion Catches Light, Director/Producer/Editor, (**Afi National Video Festival Finalist; 3 Hometown Usa Awards; W.A.V.E. Award; 1 Hometown Usa Nomination**)

Maxfield Rabbit Musical Special, Director/Producer/Editor, one-hour Music Video Album (**HBO Diamond Award Finalist; Hometown USA Finalist**)

Casting Corner Series, Co-producer/Host, Careers in front of and behind the camera (**National Educational Film & Television Award; 3 W.A.V.E. Nominations**) (In distribution)

One Way Cafe, Director/Producer/Editor, Comedic Teleplay (**2 Hometown Usa Nominations**)

Life and Encounters with Michael Chekhov-Producer/Director- documentary series with episodes featuring Lloyd Bridges, Beatrice Straight, Leslie Caron, Patricia Neal, Mala Powers, Hurd Hatfield, Jack Colvin, Oleg Yefremov, Anatoly Smeliansky, shot in Moscow, St. Petersburg, Berlin, Paris, Brussels, London, Zurich, NY and LA. Currently in post production.

Slam: Doubled, Redouble and Vulnerable!, Associate Producer/Star, Feature-length Teleplay

The Yellow Wallpaper, Director/Producer, Live taping of Performance
Inside the Yellow Wallpaper, Director/Producer, Interviews with the Director and Star

Art of Dentistry, Director/Producer, Industrial Video

After the Break, First A.D., 35mm dramatic Short Film

Bad Brad, Producer, Sit-com

Making of Bad Brad, Director/Producer, Documentary

The Reluctant Feminist, Associate Producer/Star, Feature-length Teleplay

Health Watch with guest Jerry Goldsmith, Director, Talk Show

Health Watch with guest Ashley Montague, Director, Talk Show

Nocturnal Emissions, Director/Producer/Editor, Comedic Play

Nantucket Sleigh Ride, Director/Producer/Editor, Comedic Play

Beverly Hills Backdoors, Director, Music Videos

Deuces, Director/Producer/Editor, Dramatic Play

A Note from a Girl Who's Been Date Raped!, Director, Docu-drama

Health Watch, Director, Meditation and Talk Video **Series**

Eddie & the Sarge, Director/Producer/Editor, Dramatic Short

Medical Briefs, Director/Producer/Editor, Comedic Short

Shakespeare's Villians, Clowns & Fools, Director/Producer/Editor, One-man Show with live audience

Here's a Song with Jacki Breger, A.D./Co-producer/Editor, Live Audience Sing-along with children

Theatre 40 On-Camera, Director/Co-producer, **Series** of Chat Shows

Fashions of the Rich and Famous, Director, Canine Couture, Comedy

Halloween on the Rock Scene, Director/Producer/Editor, On-location Video with Riki Rachtmann

The Luxury Marathon, Director/Producer/Editor, Five-minute News Report on marathon

Anynight, Producer/Editor, 30-minute, three-camera Variety/Sketch Comedy Talk Show

Halloween 1990, Co-producer/On-camera Host/Talent Coordinator, live five-hour , four-camera

Isn't it Just a Question of Style?, Producer/Star, 30-minute Avante Garde Drama

DIRECTORIAL OBSERVER

David Madden, *Separate Lives*, Feature
Ken Topolsky, *Party of Five*, Episodic
John Bowab, *The Parent 'Hood*, Sit-com
Paul Lazarus, *Melrose Place*, Episodic
Michael Engler, *Party of Five*, Episodic

VARIETY ENTERTAINMENT: 1979-87

Artistic Director/Producer/Co-founder of Pocket of Marvels Entertainment, which provided customized industrial productions for various outlets on the east coast, creating musical revues, sketch comedies, fashion shows, mime/clown and variety productions for corporations, clubs, benefits, malls, etc.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Producer/Host, SAG 100th Birthday Salute to Michael Chekhov at the AFI - Nov. 19, 1991

1988 - 2006: Producer/Host, Screen Actors Guild Conservatory Actor's Evenings at AFI, Bi-weekly events presenting casting directors, agents, producers and other industry guests

1998, 1999 Creator/Artistic Director - International Michael Chekhov Workshop, Eugene O'Neill Theatre Center, CT.

EDUCATION

B.F.A., University of Maryland (Directing major); Grad studies - American University (Directing), Numerous professional directing classes and seminars at AFI, UCLA, DGA;

Professional Affiliations: IFP, WIT, International Michael Chekhov Association, AEA, SAG-AFTRA, AGVA, Fire Rose Productions

AWARDS

1997 DramaLogue Award Winner for Outstanding Achievement in Performance.

2002 Who's Who Woman of the Year.

2014 SouthEastern Theatre Conference Honored Guest

9 National Hometown Awards for various video productions

American Film Institute National Video Finalist

Houston WorldFest Finalist