

Alex Beard

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Improvisation

The Seven Student Cast "Josh" (2024)	Ensemble	iO Theater
Trigger Happy Lab Cast Season 22 (2024)	Ensemble	Annoyance Theatre
Piranha Trauma (2024)	Ensemble	Independent
New Team Smell S.2, 3, 8, 9, 11, 12 (2019-2024)	Ensemble	iO Theater
The Hypothesis (2022 – 2023)	Ensemble	Washington Improv Theater
This Is Not a Toy (2023)	Ensemble	Washington Improv Theater
POTUS Among US (2020)	Ensemble	Washington Improv Theater
Mackenzie Bezos, Traps Queen (2019)	Ensemble	Washington Improv Theater
WIT DC @ Millennium Stage (2017)	Ensemble	Kennedy Center
Jos. A. Banksy (2017-2023)	Ensemble	Unified Scene Theater
Nox! (2015-2019)	Ensemble	Washington Improv Theater
RAD DADZ (2013-2019)	Director/Ensemble	Washington Improv Theater
Lolopolis (2010-2012)	Director/Ensemble	Studio Theatre + UCB DCM 13, NYC
VT Improv Project (2008-2009)	Ensemble	Dir. Michael Anthony Williams
Victorious Secret (2009-2011)	Ensemble	Tally Ho Theatre
Off the Cuff (2009)	Featured Player	Tally Ho Theatre

Theatre

Rumpelstiltskin (2011)	Rumpelstiltskin	Blacksburg Summer Arts Fest.
Sylvia (2010)	Tom, Phyllis, & Leslie	Dir. Molly Rumberger
You're A Good Man Charlie Brown (2010)	Linus	Blacksburg Summer Arts Fest.
Dr. Columbina (Educational Tour VA)(2009)	Lelio	Dir. David Johnson
The Conversation About The Keys (2009)	Albert	Dir. Patty Raun
Signora Agnelli (2010)	Zanni	Riva San Vitale Commedia Fest.
Woyzeck (2011)	Barker	Dir. Bob McGrath (Stage Reading)
World Commedia Day Showcase (2011)	Pantalone	Dir. Antonio Fava & David Johnson

Film/Television

Fargo (Season 4) (2020)	Missouri State Trooper	FX
Virginia Gang Violence PSA (2011)	Drug Dealer	Virginia State Police
Virginia Tech Promotional Commercial (2010)	Student	Virginia Tech University Relations
Day to Day (2009)	Homeless Man	Virginia Tech Television
Nothing from Nothing (2009)	Jordy	Virginia Tech Television

Directing

SOFA (2022)	Director	Loudoun County Public Schools
Madeline (2018)	Director	Washington Improv Theater
Improvasaurus (2013 - 2019)	Director	Loudoun County Public Schools
Random Sample (2014-2015)	Director	Loudoun County Public Schools
Servant of Two Masters (2012)	Assistant Director	Studio Theatre/Dir. David Johnson

Training

Acting

Virginia Tech - B.A. Theatre Arts - 2012

Vocal Performance

Linda Sill

Improvisation & Sketch

iO Theater: Josie Benedetti, Susan Messing, Liz Allen, Jason Shotts, Craig Uhlir, Colleen Doyle, Jason Chin, Brian Jack, Noah Gregoropoulos, Bill Arnett, Timmy Mayse

Summer Intensive '12: Jeff Griggs, Cesar Jamie, Brett Lyons, Bill Arnett, Rance Rizzutto

Second City Conservatory: Micah Philbrook, Michael Gellman

Annoyance Theatre: Cassidy Russell

Workshops/Master Classes

iO Theatre: 3-D Character (Chicago, IL): Coleen Doyle, Advanced Scene Work (Chicago, IL): Greg Hess

Second City Training Center: Three Day Intensive (Chicago, IL): Craig Uhlir

Power Improv Tool Kit (Chicago, IL): Joe Bill

Magnet Theatre (NYC): Exposition is Your Friend! & Let it Go-You'll Be So Happy You Did!: David Razowsky

Grotowski Movement Workshop (Blacksburg, VA): Emsa Lakovic

Commedia Dell'arte, Intensive & Showcase (Riva San Vitale, Switzerland): Marco Luly

Commedia Dell'arte, Intensive (Bologna, Italy, Riva San Vitale, Switzerland, Blacksburg, VA): Antonio Fava

Skills/Honors

Improvisation, Standup Comedy, Stagecraft, Intermediate Sight Singing, Driver's License (IL), First Aid, Virginia Recreation and Park Association Best New Special Event Award (LoCo Improv Fest) for Pop. Greater Than 100,000 (2017), Virginia Tech Helen Hayes Award (2012), Virginia Tech Theatre Arts Scholarship (2008,09,10,11) Piedmont Arts Scholarship (2008)

Teaching/Theatre Outreach

Washington Improv Theater – L1-L5 Improvisation Program Teacher (2014-2023)

National Association of Colleges and Employers Annual Conference – Applied Improvisation Workshop (2024)

Council for Advancement and Support of Education Annal Conference – Applied Improvisation Workshop (2024)

William & Mary Improvisational Theatre Workshop (2023 & 2024)

Potomac Falls High School Improvisational Theatre Workshop Series (2022)

Youth Advisory Council Improvisational Theatre Workshop (2022)

Federal Reserve - Sales Marketing & Industry Relations Team Applied Improvisation Workshop Series (2020-2022)

Oak Park River Forest High School Improvisational Theatre Workshop Series (2019-2020)

Pipeline Health Physician Communication Workshop (2019)

Loudoun County Public School District Improv Masterclasses (2013-2019)

Loudoun County PRCS Teen Long Form Improvisation Instructor (2013-2019)

Virginia Recreation and Park Society - Annual Conference Session Presentations: Accessing and Inspiring Youth

Through Improvisation (2014, You Don't Have Problems, You Have Opportunities (2018)

Sterling Community Center Long Form Improv Program (2013-2015)

Manassas Park Community Center Leaders in Training – Theatre Outreach Workshop (2015)

iO Theater Chicago - Theater Intern (2012)

Improv Affect, Schenectady High School Outreach (2011)

Young Actors Co-op of Floyd Improvisational Theatre Workshop (2011)

Who's On Stage, VT Theatre Outreach Workshop (2011)

Virginia Tech Child Development Center, Semester Long Improvisation Outreach (2010)

Cub Scout Pack #460 Webelos Showmanship Badge Workshop (2010)

Dr. Columbina Educational Tour, Dir. David Johnson (2009)