# Millie Holland

#### THEATRE PROFESSIONAL | PUPPET MAKER | MULTI-MEDIA ARTIST

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Vibrant, passionate and friendly theatre maker, specialising in puppetry. Experience in professional theatre, touring shows, youth theatre and experience theatre. I am detailoriented, reliable, and thrive in both team environments and individual projects.

### **Experience**

## Props and puppets freelance buisness

**Employment Period: 2022 - Present** 

- My own puppet commissioning business producing props and puppets for theatres and companies across the country.
- 3 years experience in, designing, building, client communication, finances, social media & networking.
- · Specialising in creature puppetry constructed with foam, wood and fabrication. Including experience in giving puppetry workshops.

## **Nick Barnes Puppetry**

**Employment Period: 2024** 

- Work with Nick Barnes constructing puppets for the Life of Pi tour.
- I assisted in plasterzote carving, armature construction, painting and finishing of the animals in the show.

# Terry Gilliham's Into the Woods- Bath Theatre Royal

**Employment Period: 2022** 

- Puppetry assistant for Billie Achilleos in the creation of the Milky White and other puppets.
- Patterning, carving, fabrication, prototyping, attending rehearsals, liaising with all departments & designing.

# Youth Director at the Geoffrey Whitworth Theatre

**Employment Period: 2023- present** 

• Going into 3rd production. Duties include Designing, directing & producing alongside teaching, working with young people & workshops including Puppetry, Crewing & Stage Management

#### Scenic Artist

**Employment Period: 2023- present** 

 Scenic work on The Saw Experience London & The Monopoly Live American tour for Scene 2, Mosquitoes at the Bob Hope Theatre & Multiple Productions at the Geoffrey Whitworth Theatre.

# **Head of props for Scarlet Pimpernel**

**Employment Period: 2023** 

- Head of props for touring show of Scarlet Pimpernel at the Minack Theatre in Cornwall.
- Sourcing props, organising transport, sugar glass, weapons, edible props, maintenance of props, creation of specialist props and puppetry.

#### **Education and skills**

2018-2021 University of Lincoln Bachelor of Arts in Film and Television

- Puppetry creation and design
- 🗞 Set Designing & Building
- Extensive backstage experience
- Stage Management
- Communication and Team work
- Puppet and prop maintenance
- **Fabrication**
- 3D modelling & printing
- Directing
- Safe use of workshop tools
- Scenic Art
- **Patterning**
- Armature Construction
- Foam Carving
- Management
- Acting and puppetry workshops

Band Saw **Table Saw** Scroll Saw Scalpels Pillar Drill Scissor lifts Disk sander Fusion 360 Rotary tools Blender Full UK Drivers License







References available upon request