

Yining Shang

Stage Manager
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EDUCATION

Columbia University, New York, NY MFA Stage Management

Expected Graduation 2028

Vassar College (VC), Poughkeepsie, NY

BA Drama, Minor Asian Studies, General and Departmental Honors

Sep 2021 - May 2025 GPA: 3.92 /4.00

Stage Management (Chelsea Gillespie); Stagecraft (James Hunting); Sound Design (John Gasper); Light Design (Lee Anne Meek); Scenic Painting (Tania Barrenechea) Director's Art (Christopher Grabowski); Actor's Craft (Shona Tucker); Chinese Drama (Wenwei Du); Intercultural Performances (Amanda Culp)

Prague Shakespeare Company (PSC), Czech Republic

Dec 2023 - Jan 2024

Stage Management (Debs Ramser) Viewpoint (Alasdair Hunter) Stage Combat (ARGO) Intimacy Direction (Amy Huck)

Powerhouse Theater Training Program, Poughkeepsie, NY

Jun 2024-July 202

STAGE MANAGER

Training Company Stage Manager Producing Director: Michael Sheehan Powerhouse Theater Training Program Stage Management Intern PM: Patience Haskell VC Drama Department Hello My Name Is Ella Talerico VC Experimental Theater Barbecue Taylor Reynolds VC ET The Dead End Solstice Lauren New York Theater Festival 2024 Romeo and Juliet Alasdair Hunter **PSC** Bacchanal Christopher Grabowski VC ET Gate Shut Panic Keira DiGaetano VC ET

PRODUCTION ASSISTANT

Liquid SM: Danielle Korman New York Circus Project King James SM: Taylor Meszaros Cleveland Play House Jingju Workshop Co-organizer supervised by Amanda Culp VC & New York Chinese Opera Society Man of La Mancha Joseph Graves Seven Ages Investment Co. Ltd. (Chinese and children adaptation) Jinghui Meng Aranya Theater Festival 2023 Twelves Love Poem The X Toe (Physical Theater) Ning Li Aranya Theater Festival 2023 Chinese Music Across Time: Chinese Instruments Workshop Co-organizer Mountain & Water Club at VC

DIRECTOR

FOB David Henry Hwang The Merely Players at VC
Men On Boats Jaclyn Backhaus VC ET
CLAY: An Actor's Confessional The Chinese Lady Llyod Suh The Philaletheis Society at VC

AWARDS/FELLOWSHIPS

The Molly Thacher Kazan Memorial Prize at Vassar College (2025) — for Stage Managing *Barbecue* General Vassar Fellowship for Graduate Study (2025)

SKILLS

Theater: Qlab, audacity, ETC light board; VectorWork; Soundpainting; Scenic Painting; Sewing; Beijing Opera performer

Computer: MS office, Google Drive, Canva, iMovie, TikTok video editing

Language: Mandarin (Native); English (non-native fluency)

WORK/ORGANIZATION

Research Assistant, Professor Liz Carter, VC Chinese & Japanese Department Co- Founder / Co- President, Mountain & Water Club, Vassar College President, Chinese Student Community, Vassar College