

Shakespeare for Young Audiences, 2022 Jerwood Vanbrugh Theatre

The Tempest (1611)

by William Shakespeare

Cast (in order of appearance)

Prospero

Charles Entsie

Boatswain / Trinculo / Iris

Lee Simmonds

Alonsa

Maggie Musgrove

Antonio

Vir Hirani

Gonzalo

Osamudiamwen Audu

Ferdinand / Caliban

Rawaed Asde

Miranda

Tae Aun

Ariel / Ceres

Louis Goodwin

Stephano / Juno

Tiffany Gray

Content warnings: this performance contains flashing lights and mild violence.

Creative Team

Director

Cressida Brown

Designer

Anna Cierpial

Lighting Designer

Jayden Hendricks-Kynaston

Sound Designer

Matt Webb

Movement Coach

Mixalis Aristidou

Voice Coach

Deborah Garvey

Singing coach

Mark Oldfield

Fight Coach

Bret Yount

Captioner

Jenny Skene

Puppeteer Consultant

Sam Dutton



Elements of the Sublime

Whilst you are here, visit *Elements of the Sublime* - an immersive video installation inspired by the natural landscapes of *The Tempest* and *Twelfth Night*, created by Technical Theatre and Stage Management students. Gielgud Theatre - no ticket required.

Evenings: 30 Nov - 7 Dec, 6.40pm - 7.15pm Matinees: 7 Dec, 1pm - 2pm and 3.30pm - 4pm

Production Team

The students working on this production are on the FdA in Technical Theatre and Stage Management, the BA (Hons) in Technical Theatre and Stage Management and the PgDip in Theatre Costume.

Assistant Director

Jack Clearwater (Studying Theatre Directing MFA at Birkbeck)

Technical Manager

Bethany Bean

Production Manager

Phil Clarke (staff)

Stage Manager

Katie Glassbrook

Deputy Stage Manager

Lizzie Hodge

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Caitlin MacGregor Sonny Trickey

Chief Electrician

Matt Leventhall (staff)

Production Electrician

Elizabeth Skellett

Lighting Programmer

Jack Finney

Lighting Operator

Jack Saltonstall

Lighting Crew

Ana Chen Ruby Elms Jack Saltonstall Mia Swann **Camera Director**

Kath Morton

Camera Operators

Ana Chen

Caitlin MacGregor

Mia Swann

Chief Production Sound Engineer and Production

Sound Engineer

Matt Webb

Sound Operators

Zelfa El Khazen Mila Mussatt

Sound Crew

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Costume Supervisor

Katie Kelson

Wardrobe Assistants

Marina Ambrosone Melissa Cartwright Helena Doughty

Saskia Steene-Faulkner

Dressers

Frances Hurst Naomie Mmbaga William Hamilton

Wigs, Hair and Make-up

Keisha Banya (staff)

Construction

Head of Department

Teddy Stelling

Scenery Builders

Frances Chappell Ben Davidson

Miriam Dheva-Aksorn

Ella Howes Lucy Prince

Scenic Art

Head of Department

Mary Sharrock

Scenic Artist

Hannah Sutherland

Scenic Art Assistants

Grace Farrow-Moore

Alice Gibson

William Hamilton

Frances Hurst

Naomie Mmbaga

Prop Maker

Lottie Wellbeloved

Props Assistants

Lara Carey Xilan Chen

Rosemary Fleming

Stage Crew

Elyse Brigham Zelfa El Khazen

Izzy Hobby

Mila Mussatt

Special thanks

Almeida Theatre for brass bells
Central School of Speech and Drama for the flight case
Jack Clearwater for the roller-skates
Lizzie Hodge for the harpy wings
Evie Witherell for the scooter

Biographies

Cressida Brown Director

Cress was awarded the Director's Bursary from the National Theatre Studio (2007).

She is probably best known for: *Amphibians* by Steve Waters about former Olympic swimmers and staged in the empty hidden pool under the Bridewell Theatre's stage; *Walking the Tightrope* a collection of plays about freedom of expression by writers including Caryl Churchill, Timberlake Wertenbaker and Mark Ravenhill; and *Home* by Gbolahan Obisesan inspired by former residents of the Beaumont Estate and staged promenade in Beaumont's high-rise towers pre-demolition.

As a freelancer she is most proud of: Septimus Bean and His Amazing Machine by Adam Peck where she transformed the Unicorn Theatre foyer into a playground and Twelfth Night for the RSC at Guangzhou Dramatic Arts Centre which was performed in Mandarin.

For RADA she has directed *Vinegar Tom* by Caryl Churchill and *Boat Play*, which took place on the Elizabeth pleasure boat moored on the Thames.

She is currently developing a VR show for teenagers at the NT's Immersive Storytelling Studio and a *Taming of the Shrew* by Shakespeare with Mexican wrestlers.

Anna Cierpial Designer

Anna is a 2020 graduate of RADA's BA (Hons) in Technical Theatre and Stage Management specialising in Scenic Art and Design), with a previous MA degree in Scenography from the Academy of Fine Arts in Gdansk, Poland. Before coming to London, she worked for a few years as an assistant to various designers at Baltic Opera in Gdansk.

Her design credits for RADA shows include: *Cathy* (set design - Gielgud Theatre), *The Philosophy Shop* (set and costume - video installation and performance in partnership with King's College), *After The Peace* (set and costume - new play for RADA Festival in the GBS Theatre) and *Dinner* (set and costume - devised piece by MA Theatre Labs in collaboration with the company).

Prior to 2020 and the first Covid lockdown she designed costumes for a preview of 12HOURS by composer/director Catherine Kontz - an experiment on the performer's voice endurance as a part of composer's residency in Somerset House. Anna has also worked for several productions as a Scenic Artist and Head of Department. cierpialanna.myportfolio.com

Jayden Hendricks-Kynaston Lighting Designer

Jayden Hendricks-Kynaston is currently in her third and final year studying for a BA (Hons) in Technical Theatre and Stage Management specialising in Lighting Programming and Lighting Design.

Jayden enjoys a wide range of theatre shows including plays, musicals as well as immersive experiences and exhibitions. Previous programming credits include: *Bold Girls* (RADA, Gielgud Theatre, June 2022), *The Wolves* (RADA, Jerwood Vanbrugh Theatre, July 2022).

Previous Production Electrician credits include: *Plagues and Tangles* (RADA, Jerwood Vanbrugh Theatre, November 2021), *The Gift* (RADA, GBS Theatre. May 2022).

Previous external work include: Backstage and Lighting work at Theatre Royal Stratford East and Lighting casual work at The Royal Opera House. *The Addams Family* (Northbrook Metropolitan College, June 2018), *Into the Woods* (Northbrook Metropolitan College, June 2019).

Future projects include Production Electrician on *Son et Lumière*, a sound and lighting show at RADA.

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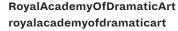
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Simmonds

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