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NICHOLAS PORTELLA

THEATRE

Man of La Mancha Barber Wirtz Center (Henry Godinez) The Prom Sheldon Wirtz Center (Tor Campbell) Ensemble/Sound The Great Sea Serpent* Wirtz Center (David Catlin) Lyle the Crocodile Ensemble Wirtz Center (Halena Kays) Me... Jane Professor/Pack Wirtz Center (Rives Collins) Assassins Lovers and Madmen (Leo Kurland) **Proprietor** In The Heights Piragua Guy Arts Alliance (Alondra Rios)

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Obama-ology Various Roles Wirtz Center (Detra Payne)
Everybody Death U/S Wirtz Center (Katie Lupica)

Abuela Won't Die* Emiliano Vertigo Productions (Arwen-Vira Marsh)

Two Gentlemen of Verona Launce First Stage (Marcella Kearns)
Elf: The Musical Teen Ensemble First Stage (Jeff Schaetzke)

*Indicating new work

TRAINING

Northwestern UniversityActingDetra PayneB.A. in TheaterAudition TechniquesErin Ortman

(c.o.2025) Ensemble Devising Steven Sapp, Mildred Ruiz-Sapp

Advanced Storytelling Rives Collins
Playwriting Topics Julie Marie Myatt
MT Songwriting Alexander Gemignani

Milwaukee Repertory Theatre Emerging Professional Residency: Acting, Artistic (2025-2026)

SPECIAL SKILLS

Piano, guitar, accordion, cavaquinho, ukulele, mandolin, bass guitar, Brazilian Portuguese (native speaker), Spanish (fluent), puppetry, puppet design, playwriting, composition, dramaturgy, video/sound art installation, printmaking (woodcut, lino), comic writing, graphic design, marketing