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DIRECTING / CHOREOGRAPHY RESUME

** denotes Director/Choreographer*

BROADWAY

THOSE WERE THE DAYS* Tony Award Nom. – Best Direction Drama Desk Nom. – Best Musical -	Prod. Emanuel Azenberg & Moe Septee	Edison Theatre National Tour
NOTHING LIKE A DAME '97 w/Glenn Close, Elaine Stritch, Zoe Caldwell, Marissa Tomei	Phyllis Newman & The Actors Fund	Marquis Theatre
<i>Assistant Director to Howard Davies</i>		
MY FAIR LADY starring Richard Chamberlain	Prod. Fran & Barry Weissler	Virginia Theatre
CAT ON A HOT TIN ROOF starring Kathleen Turner	Prod. Fran & Barry Weissler	Eugene O'Neill Theater

OFF-BROADWAY/REGIONAL/INTERNATIONAL

THE SCUTLEY PAPERS Starring Sally Field	by Jamie Wax	Workshop, NYC
YIDL MITN FIDL	adapted by Eleanor Reissa	Yiddishpiel, Tel Aviv
THE THREPENNY OPERA*	by Brecht/Weill/Blitstein	Colgate University, Hamilton NY
HERSHELE OSTROPOLYER* Starring Mike Burstyn	adapted by Eleanor Reissa Israel Theatre Prize Nominatiom	Naitonal Yiddish Theatre, NYC Yiddishpiel, Tel Aviv
HOW TO SUCCEED ...	by Loesser/Burrows	White Plains Perf. Arts. Cntr, NY
SOLDIER'S WIFE	by Rose Franken	Mint Theater, NYC
THE SKIN GAME	by John Galsworthy	Mint Theater, NYC
COWGIRLS* Outer Critic's Circle Nom. - Best Musical -	Music/Lyrics: Mary Murfitt Book: Betsy Howie	Minetta Lane Theatre, NYC Old Globe Theatre, CA Berkshire Theatre Fest., MA Marin Th/ Walnut Creek Th., CA Capitol Rep, NY
SYNCOPATION*	by Alan Knee	Marin Theatre., CA
ECHOES OF THE WAR Starring Frances Sternhagen & Richard Easton	by J.M.Barrie	Mint Theater, NYC

OUT OF STERNO	by Deborah Zoe Laufer	Cherry Lane Alternative, NYC
AVENUE X*	Music: Ray Leslie Book & Lyrics: John Jiler	Marin Theatre, CA
OVER THE RAINBOW: YIP HARBURG'S AMERICA*	American Music Theatre Festival	Prince Theatre, Philadelphia
AN AMERICAN FAMILY	Sylvia Regan	Theatre Four, NYC
DIANA OF DOBSON'S	Cecily Hamilton	Mint Theater, NYC
A KLEZMER'S TALE	Osip Dimov	Theatre Four, NYC
SONGS OF PARADISE* Prod. Joseph Papp	Music: Rosalie Gerut Lyrics: Itzik Manger Book: Miriam Hoffman	N.Y. Shakespeare Festival, NYC Astor Place Theater, NYC
YIDDLE WITH A FIDDLE*	Music: Abe Ellstein Book & Lyrics: Isaiah Sheffer	Parker Playhouse, FLA
THE LAST SURVIVOR (Workshop)	by Eleanor Reissa Prod. Gene Wolsk	John Houseman Theatre, NYC
BLOOD DRIVE	Music: Joel Derfner Book & Lyrics: Rachel Schenken	Eugene O'Neill Musical Theatre Conference, CT
THE SCREAMS OF KITTY GENOVESE	Music: Will Todd Lyrics: David Simpatico	Eugene O'Neill Musical Theatre Conference, CT
SONG OF THE TURTLEDOVE	Music & Lyrics: Noa Ain & Gerard Edery	Eugene O'Neill Musical Theatre Conference, CT Premieres, Lincoln Center
<u>ARTISTIC DIRECTOR</u> Folksbiene Theatre	From 1998 – 2002	New York City

FILM

<i>Choreographer</i> A STRANGER AMONG US	Sidney Lumet	<i>starring Melanie Griffith</i>
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