

# Kate Rance

## Production Design

### STATEMENT

Originally from the UK, Kate is an award-winning Production Designer based in New York City. Her films have been shown at festivals worldwide including Berlin (THE CHAIR) and Cannes (THE CHAIR official selection; RHYTHM IN ME & WELCOME short film corner) and have won their categories at festivals including SXSW and the LA Film Festival. Her feature projects include GO DOWN DEATH (director Aaron Schimberg), FRONT COVER (director Ray Yeung, starring Jake Choi), APRIL FLOWERS (director Chris Tedrick, starring Celina Jade), ALINA (director Ben Barenholtz, starring Darya Ekamasova), CAMP WEDDING (director Greg Emetaz) and SMALL TIME (director Niav Conty).

Kate graduated in Design for Performance from Central Saint Martins in London and has worked extensively as a Set Designer for Theatre in both London and New York. She designed the set for the IFP Gotham Awards 4 years running and has also tackled commercial projects for companies such as Nike, Canon, the NFL, Glamour, Teen Vogue, GQ, Allure, Show Studio and the Discovery Channel. Her reel is available to view on her website [www.katerance.com](http://www.katerance.com).

### EXPERIENCE

#### PRODUCTION DESIGN

"Such A Shitty Time" (Short) – Dir Avra Fox Lerner – New York	2020
"The Lovers" (Short) – Dir Avra Fox Lerner – Resonant Pictures - New York	2020
"We Are Living Things" (Feature) – Dir Antonio Tibaldi – EnMaze Pictures – New York & LA	2019
"The Accordionist" (Short) – Dir Daniel Fu Dong – El Studios – New York	2019
"Small Time" (Feature) – Dir: Niav Conty – Broken Yolk Productions - Pennsylvania	2019
"The Collector"(Short) – Dir: Jonah Bleitcher – MinJo Studios – New York	2018
"Chained for Life" (Feature) – Dir: Aaron Shimburg – (Post Production) – New York	2017
"Camp Wedding" (Feature) – Dir: Greg Emetaz – Minor Apocalyspe – New Jersey	2016
"Sure Fire" – Dir: Michael Goldberg – Navy Yard Films – New York	2016
"Joy Ride" – Dir: Niav Conty – Upstate Productions - New York	2016
"Alina" (Feature) – Dir: <b>Ben Baranhotlz</b> – Super 80 LLC – New York (Art Director)	2016
"Pulse" – Dir: Niav Conty – Amathis Productions LLC – New York <b>CANNES 2016</b>	2015
"April Flowers" (Feature) – Dir: Chris Tedrick – Bad Sandy Productions (Art Director)	2015
"Song of Two Suns" – Dir: Chris Peterson – River Styx Productions – New York	2014
"Yellow Fever" (Feature) – Dir: Raymond Yeung – New Voice Productions – New York	2013
"Let There Be Light" (Short) – Dir: Drew Ravani – D/P: Violetta D'Agata – New York	2012
"The Organizer" (Short) – Dir: Susan Hippen – Pro: Lindsay Bane – New York	2012
"Bowes Academy" (Short) – Minor Apocalypse – Dir: Greg Emetaz – New York	2012
"Black Box' Comedy Pilot – River Sticks Productions – Dir: Adam Pray – New York	2012
"Dream Jam" starring <b>CHLOE SEVIGNY</b> – 'Show Studio' – Dir: Andinh Ha– New York	2012
"The Red Shoes" (Short) – Dir: Lindsay Bane – Delaware	2012
"The Chair" (Short) – Dir: Grainger David – Marker 96 Films LLC - <b>WINNER SXSW 2012</b>	2011
<b>OFFICIAL SELECTION CANNES 2012 WINNER LA FILM FESTIVAL 2012</b>	
"Same Ghost Every Night" (Short) – Dir: Darren Anderson – New York	2010
"Us" (Short) – Dir: Natalia Babinsky – Rapture Films – New York	2010
"Go Down Death" (Feature) – Dir: Aaron Schimberg – Post-Original Productions	2010
<b>BEST PRODUCTION DESIGN BIFF 2014</b>	
<b>BEST UNDISTRIBUTED FILM – INDIIEWIRE 2013</b>	
"Don Juan" (Feature) – Dir: Jaime Mateus-Tique – Aleph Productions – New York	2010
"Living Liza" (Short) – Dir: Nicole Alexander – Alexander Productions – New York	2009
"Welcome" (Short) – Dir: Maja Milanovic – Stop Productions – <b>O/S CANNES 2011</b>	2009
"Across the Universe" (Short) NFTS (in association with <i>Film Four</i> ) – London	2000

#### COMMERCIAL/EVENTS

<b>GLAMOUR</b> – 'In 2 Minutes' video series – Conde Nast Entertainment	2019
<b>DISCOVERY</b> Channel – 3D VR shoot – 'My Dog Lala' – Beyond Our Reality – New York	2017
<b>GLAMOUR</b> – Video Shoot – Conde Nast Entertainment - New York	2016
<b>GQ</b> – Video Shoot – Conde Nast Entertainment – New York	2016
<b>ALLURE</b> – Video Shoot – Conde Nast Entertainment – New York	2015
<b>24<sup>th</sup> Annual Gotham Awards</b> – IFP – Cipriani Ballroom – New York	2015
<b>GLAMOUR</b> – Video Shoot – Conde Nast Entertainment – New York	2015
<b>NFL/LENOVO</b> Commercial - Beyond Our Reality – New York	2015

<b>TEEN VOGUE</b> Video Shoot – Conde Nast Entertainment – New York	2015
The Edge Video Shoot – Conde Nast Entertainment – New York	2015

<b>GLAMOUR</b> Magazine Video Shoot – Conde Nast Entertainment – New York	2015
24th Annual Gotham Independent Film Awards	2014
<b>CANON</b> Commercial – Nobu Film – New York	2014
'23 <sup>rd</sup> Annual Gotham Independent Film Awards' – IFP – Cipriani Ballroom – New York	2013
'Chanel Spec Commercial' – Chidi D Ozieh – Rubic House – Andrea Arts – New York	2013
'22 <sup>nd</sup> Annual Gotham Independent Film Awards' – IFP – Cipriani Ballroom – New York	2012
Ipod Ap/Print Campaign Shoot – <b>NIKE Womenswear</b> – Windmill Studios – New York	2012
"Dream Jam" starring <b>CHLOE SEVIGNY</b> – 'Show Studio' – Dir: Andinh Ha – New York	2012
<b>ABSOLUT VODKA</b> – 'Absolute Orient' Launch – Full Body Model Make-ups – MKG – New York	2011
<b>NBC</b> – 'Parenthood' season launch – online content manager – MKG – New York	2010

### THEATER SET DESIGN

'Aida' starring Ace Young – Salgado Productions – Axelrod Theatre	2019
'Zuccotti Park' – Salgado Productions – festival re-launch	2017
'Zuccotti Park' – Salgado Productions – Robert Moss Theatre	2015
'Fiddler on the Roof' – Brooklyn Players – Brooklyn Music School – New York ( <i>Consult</i> )	2014
'Once On This Island' – Brooklyn Players – Brooklyn Music School – New York	2013
'Amigo Duende' – Revolution Latina – Teatro del Museo del Barrio – New York	2012
'Happily After Tonight' – A Five Dollar Bill – The Barrow Group Theater – New York	2012
'Into the Woods' – Brooklyn Players – Gowanus Arts – New York	2012
'A Man of No Importance' – Gallery Players – Gallery Players Theater - New York	2012
<b>NOMINATED FOR 5 INNOVATIVE THEATER AWARDS 2012</b>	
'Seussical' – Brooklyn Summer Players – Gowanus Arts - New York	2011
'Spring Awakening' – NYCDA – Hudson Guild Theatre – New York	2011
'T.S.Eliot' – The Red Door Theatre Company – The Producer's Club – New York	2010
'Dickinson' – The Red Door Theatre Company – The Producer's Club - New York	2010
'Enemy of the People' – The Barrow Group – Barrow Group Theatre – New York	2010
'Kinderszenen' – Ballet Black – Linbury Theatre at the Royal Opera House - London	2009
'Life on a Desert Island' – Theatre Playground – NYC Parks' – Graphic Design – New York	2009
'Knife Crime' – St Bride Foundation Youth Theatre Project - London	2008
'The Wiz (Wizard of Oz)' – St Bride Foundation – Bridewell Theatre - London	2008
'Ripple Effect' – St Bride Foundation Youth Theatre Project - London	2008
'Broke (A Modern Merchant of Venice)' – in Promenade at Bridewell Theatre - London	2008
'Mrs Wobble the Waitress & Friends' – Pleasance Dome – Edinburgh Festival - Edinburgh	2008
'Mayoral Elections' – St Bride Foundation Youth Theatre Project - London	2008
'What Defines Me?' – St Bride Foundation Youth Theatre Project - London	2008
'My Carbon Footprint' – St Bride Foundation Youth Theatre Project - London	2007
'Flat One (2)' Forbidden Theatre Company – tour of 6 venues - London	2007
'Stung' - Forbidden Theatre Company – Theatro Technis - London	2007
'Happy Families' – Forbidden Theatre Company – Tristan Bates Theatre – London	2007
'Goddess (3)' – Forbidden Theatre Company – tour of 8 venues - UK	2006
'Our Country's Good' – Arts Ed - Tristan Bates Theatre - London	2006
'Top Girls' – Arts Ed – Tristan Bates Theatre - London	2006
'Love's Labours Lost' – Young Vic Studios - London	2005
'Illusion' – False Impressions – Costume and Props – Broadway Studio – London	2005
'Goddess (2)' – Forbidden Theatre Company - The Actor's Centre – London	2005
'A Christmas Carol' – The Brothers Kaufman – Broadway Studio Theatre – London	2004
'Goddess' – Forbidden Theatre Company – Camden People's Theatre - London	2004
'Flat One' – Forbidden Theatre Company – Camden People's Theatre - London	2004
'Card Symphony' – False Impressions – Barons Court Theatre - London	2004
'Frog Prince' – Forbidden Theatre Company – Edinburgh Festival – Edinburgh	2003
'Gallowglass' – False Impressions – Barons Court Theatre - London	2003
'The Boy who fell into a Book' – Attic Action – Wimbledon Studio Theatre - London	2003
'Spell' – Forbidden Theatre Company – Wimbledon Studio Theatre - London	2002
'Closer' by Patrick Marber – Designed flash movie for chat room scene - London	2002
'Blood Wedding' – Forbidden Theatre Company – Diorama Theatre - London	2002
'The Jungle Crouched..' – Rambert Ballet School – Cochrane Theatre - London	2000
'Pi Drama Party' – Co-director/designer – Back Hill Studio Theatre - London	1999
'Room to Breath' – Collaborative project – Back Hill Studio Theatre - London	1998