

# Fort Wayne Civic Theatre Staff



**Ashley Brassell,  
Scenic Artist & Volunteer Coordinator**

Ashley is a recent graduate of Purdue Fort Wayne with a Bachelors of the Arts, with emphasis on technology and design. They first became involved with the Fort Wayne Civic Theatre in 2016 as an intern. Ashley has also worked with many local organizations such as Arts United, Fort Wayne Ballet, Fort Wayne Summer Music Theatre, Arena, and Summit City Music Theatre. This will be Ashley's first season as Scenic Artist and Volunteer Coordinator.



**Adam Fletcher,  
Scenic Designer & Head Carpenter**

A native of nearby North Manchester, Adam first became involved in theatre as local crew for the Honeywell Center in Wabash, and as a carpenter for the Muncie Civic Theatre. After earning a BA in Theatre from PFW in 2013, he has since served the area's theatre community as master carpenter for the Fort Wayne Civic, where he began interning in 2011, and as scenic designer for Fort Wayne Youtheatre, Canterbury Schools, Fort Wayne Ballet, and Wabash Area Community Theatre. This is Adam's sixth season as Scenic Designer for Civic.



**Mahlon Houlihan,  
Business Manager**

Mahlon joined the Civic staff in October of 2006 after serving as Business Manager for the Embassy Theatre Foundation for five years. He formerly worked as an independent computer consultant specializing in custom software development and system design with a concentration in business and financial applications. He brings a strong background and a degree in Computer Technology to the position along with previous finance experience in the non-profit sector. Mahlon owns and fosters retired Greyhounds and is proud "dad" to four at the moment.



**Anna Slotterback,  
Assistant Costumer & Rental Manager**

Anna recently moved to Fort Wayne in March 2021. She received a BFA in Costume Construction in 2015 from DePaul University in Chicago. Anna freelanced in the Bay area working at Berkeley Rep in wardrobe and as an over hire stitcher for 11 productions. She was also able to work at the SF Opera as an over hire stitcher for two seasons. Besides working in theatre, Anna also has found a great interest in draping, pattern drafting, millinery, and fabric crafts. She is excited to work on her first season at the Fort Wayne Civic Theatre!



**Kathy Whiteman, CFRM  
Development Director**

A native of Fort Wayne, Kathy is a 2002 graduate of the Film and Television Make-Up Artistry Program at the Make-Up Designory in Burbank, CA. She also owned a top-ranked Face Painting company for 10+ years and can be found every summer chalking at the annual 3 Rivers Festival Chalk Walk. A proud mom, Kathy has 3 children and is heavily involved in the Down Syndrome Association of Northeast Indiana (DSANI) where she serves as the MOMS Chair. In her little free time, she creates handmade gifts and décor, and you may occasionally find her up on our stage! Kathy has served as the Development Director for Civic Theatre since 2019.



**Phillip H. Colglazier,  
Executive/Artistic Director**

Phillip has served as the Civic Theatre's Executive/Artistic Director since 2000 after serving as Managing Director of Edyvean Repertory Theatre (E.R.T.) in Indianapolis. Before E.R.T. he worked for Fort Wayne Civic Theatre 6 years as Interim Executive Director, Development/Education Director, and Guest Director/Choreographer. He was honored as the 2008 Arts Administrator by the Indiana Coalition for the Arts. Phillip performed 12 years professionally as an Actors Equity Member in musical theatre and television in Seoul, Korea, Vienna, Rome and throughout the U.S. He obtained his Bachelors in Speech Communication and Theatre from Ball State.



**Andrew Holderfield,  
Technical Director & Lighting Designer**

Andrew is honored to be given the opportunity to serve the theatre and community of Fort Wayne. He is a graduate of Wayne State University in Detroit and originally from Alabama. Andrew has worked as a Technical Theatre Artist for various companies including Carnival Cruise Lines, Detroit Repertory Theatre, and Hope Summer Repertory Theatre. He holds a B.F.A in Theatrical Design and Technology as well as an A.S. in Mathematics. In addition to designing, Andrew enjoys collaborating with artists of all mediums to bring new and exciting ideas to life. Outside of work, Andrew loves reading and playing lots of board games.



**Sarah Moloney,  
Costume Designer**

Sarah graduated in 2019 and has been in the industry for nearly 6 years. She has worked in the bridal industry, multiple seasons at The Santa Fe Opera and Wagon Wheel Center for the Arts and works with the local IATSE. During the pandemic, Sarah owned and operated an alteration shop to continue learning and growing while theatre was taking a break. A Fort Wayne resident for 8+ years, she is beyond excited to be part of the arts community in Fort Wayne as well as Arts United. Sarah wants to give special thanks to every crew, actor, friend, and mentor she has met along the way, and to Aunt Donna who set her on this journey. "Nothing would be possible without your support."



**Eunice Wadewitz,  
Education Director & Administrative Assistant**

Having served as Civic's Music Director for over 20 years, Eunice recently made the move away from music directing to accommodate medical advice. She continues in her role as Education Director and has expanded her role as administrative assistant. Eunice has spent her career in one form of music or another including teaching piano, playing organ for church, serving as a choir and handbell choir director as well as organist for several churches before moving into the realm of theater. Once she tried theater, there was no going back, and the Civic Theatre has happily been her home for the last 20+ years.



**Capri Williams,  
Marketing Director**

Originally from Edon, Ohio, Capri moved to Fort Wayne in 2014. She is a graduate of Hope College with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Dance Performance and Choreography with Minors in Theatre and Health Education. Capri is an active dance educator, choreographer, and performer in the tri-state area. For Civic Theatre, she has choreographed *Legally Blonde*, *The Christmas Schooner*, and *The SpongeBob Musical*. This will be Capri's first season with Civic Theatre as the Marketing Director!