

## **Heather “Shea” Smith, M.A.**

Curriculum Vitae

[shea.smith155@gmail.com](mailto:shea.smith155@gmail.com)

(225) 326-3664

Baton Rouge, La

### **Education**

---

#### **Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA**

M.A., Communication/Performance Studies, 2018

B.A., Communication/Performance Studies, 2015

### **Employment**

---

#### **Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA**

Instructor of Communication, 2022 – Present

Graduate Instructor of Communication, 2016 – 2018

#### **Three O’clock Project, Baton Rouge, LA**

Program Manager, 2019 – 2022

### **University Teaching Experience**

---

CMST 1061 Fundamentals of Communication

CMST 2040 Introduction to Performing Literature

CMST 2060 Public Speaking

CMST 3012 History of Film

CMST 3013 Topics in Film: Horror Genre

### **Conference Participation**

---

*Housekeeping*, October 2019, performer, Petit Jean Performance Festival, Morrilton, AR

*Wittgenstein’s Mistress*, November 2018, performer/assistant director, National Communication Association, Salt Lake City, UT

*You Menstrual Me*, October 2017, performer, Petit Jean Performance Festival, Morrilton, AR

*Animal Rites*, January 2017, performer, Patti Pace Performance Festival, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA

*Shadow of the Valley*, November 2016, performer, National Communication Association conference, Philadelphia, PA

*The White Bicycle*, November 2016, performer, National Communication Association conference, Philadelphia, PA

*Rollerland*, October 2015, performer, Petit Jean Performance Festival, Morrilton, AR

*On a Snowy Evening*, January 2015, Patti Pace Performance Festival, New Orleans, LA

### **Stage Performance in the Work of Others**

---

Year	Production	Theatre	Director
2019	Housekeeping	LSU HopKins Black Box	Dr. Patricia Suchy
2018	Wittgenstein's Mistress	LSU HopKins Black Box	Dr. David Terry
2017	Creature of the Primordial World	LSU HopKins Black Box	Dr. Tracy Stephenson Shafer
2017	You Menstrual Me	LSU HopKins Black Box	Emily Graves
2016	Animal Rites	LSU HopKins Black Box	Dr. Chris Collins
2016	The White Bicycle	LSU HopKins Black Box	Dr. Nicole Costantini
2016	Shadow of the Valley	LSU HopKins Black Box	Dr. David Terry
2016	Flipping Cancer	LSU HopKins Black Box	Dr. Marie Garlock
2015	Rollerland	LSU HopKins Black Box	Dr. Tracy Stephenson Shaffer
2015	Back to the Future IV	LSU HopKins Black Box	Dr. Patrick McElearney
2015	On a Snowy Evening	LSU HopKins Black Box	Dr. John Lebret

### Production

Year	Production	Theatre	Role
2018	David Terry's Wittgenstein's Mistress	LSU HopKins Black Box	Asst. Director
2016	David Terry's Shadow of the Valley	LSU Hopkins Black Box	Lights
2015	Bonny McDonald's Racy	LSU HopKins Black Box	Promotion

### **Service**

---

Committee Chair, Awards Committee, Department of Communication Studies, Louisiana State University (2023-Present)

Committee Member, Marketing & Public Relations Committee, Department of Communication Studies, Louisiana State University (2022-2023)

Judge of Forensics, LSU Mardi Gras Classic, Louisiana State University, (2016-2018)

Social Chair, Graduate Student Association, Department of Communication Studies, Louisiana State University (2016-2017)

Committee Member, LSU HopKins Black Box Advisory Board, Louisiana State University (2016-2017)

Public Speaking Mentor, Louisiana Book Festival, Baton Rouge, LA (2016)