

## Daniel Halpern

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### Education

- University of Alberta 2020-Present
  - Master's of Drama (Thesis-based)
- University of King's College 2016-2020
  - Graduated with first class distinction
  - President's list member for 2016-2017, 2017-2018, 2018-2019, 2019-2020
  - Combined BA Honours in Theatre Studies and Contemporary Studies
- Etobicoke School of the Arts 2012-2016
  - Graduated with honours

### Recognitions

- Walter H. Johns Graduate Fellowship (\$5,800) 2020-2021
- Joseph-Armand Bombardier Canada Graduate Scholarship  
Master's - SSHRC (\$17,500) 2020-2021
- University of King's College In-course Scholarship (\$2,250) 2019-2020
- University of King's College In-course Scholarship (\$1,000) 2018-2019
- Margaret & Elwin Malone Memorial Scholarship (\$1,500) 2017-2018
- University of King's College Entrance Scholarship (\$2,500) 2016-2017

### Work Experience

- Research Assistant, University of Alberta Sept 2020-Present
- Actor, Harbourfront Brave Festival Jul 2019
  - Played a role in a 24-hour endurance performance piece, *The Second Woman*
- Historical Performer, Black Creek Pioneer Village May-Aug 2019
  - Handled historic artifacts
  - Maintained an immersive atmosphere
- Production Dramaturg & Actor, DMV Theatre Nov 2018-Jan 2019
  - Served as a go between young performers and experienced production teams
  - Researched and presented on scripts
- Co-founder & Artistic Director, BodyCube Arts Collective Jul 2018-Present
  - Facilitated artistic endeavours throughout Canada and internationally with members practicing in New York, Germany, and in the Netherlands
  - Wrote, acted, and produced an original play, *An Orchid and Other Such Lilies and Lies*, which appeared in the 2019 Toronto and Halifax Fringe Festivals
- Intern, Outside the March Jul 2018-Present
  - Assisted with the organization of large scale productions
  - Organized and transported heavy equipment and company records
- Busboy & Cashier, Sunset Grill Canada May-Aug 2018
  - Bussed tables peak hours and busy holidays
  - Handled processing of payment
- Summer Student, CAP REIT Legal Department May-Aug 2017

- Interacted with senior staff in a corporate work setting
- Effectively delivered several time sensitive research materials and assignments
  
- Life Model, Nova Scotia College of Art and Design Feb 2016-March 2020
  - Maintained stillness for prolonged periods of time
  - Took direction and incorporated it into various poses
- Counsellor, Bayview Glen Day Camp Jul-Aug 2016
  - Engaged with children and their families in recreational activities to create an enjoyable atmosphere
- Actor, Paprika Festival Feb-Apr 2015,  
Jan-Apr 2016
  - Worked cooperatively with a large group of individuals

### **Volunteer and Recent Extracurricular Experience**

- Loaded Ladle Sept 2019-March 2020
  - Volunteer of the month
  - Facilitated community and cultural events around food practices and their relationship with the environment
- King's Book Club Sept 2017-March 2020
  - Member of the executive
  - Curated readings featuring under-represented and marginalized thinkers
- King's Theatrical Society Sept 2016-March 2020
  - Former member of the Executive
  - Directed *Peter Fechter: 59 Minutes* and *Little Death*
  - Produced *Murderer*, *Ubu Roi*, and *Murder in the Cathedral*
  - Aided in the creation of sets, arrangement and operation of sound lights, worked ticket booth and sales, casting, handled marketing and public outreach out, operated within a budget, and handled box office sales and otherwise
  - Acted in several productions

References Available Upon Request