# Jad Jacob Composer • Music Director • Performer

# **ORIGINAL WORK (SELECT)**

Beethoven: Live In Concert (Book, Music, Lyrics)

• Staged production at Fort Salem Theater, April 2024

• Performances and workshops since 2020: Green Room 42, 54 Below, A.R.T. Studios, KTSC

#### Concessions (Original Score)

• Starring Michael Madsen, Steven Ogg, Josh Hamilton

#### Never Can Say Goodbye (Original Score)

• Produced by Tony nominee Crystal-Lucas Perry. Premiere, Micheaux Film Festival

#### Beans And Rice (Stageplay)

• Winner, Best Supporting Actress - New York Theatre Festival

#### Original rock musical <u>www.bvnthemusical.com</u>

Feature film (dir. Mas Bouzidi)

Short film (dir. Christopher Grant)

# MUSIC DIRECTION

Finished/Unfinished: The Songs Of Jad Jacob Beethoven: Live In Concert Anastasia Into The Woods Jr, School Of Rock, Annie Jr, Frozen Jr Willy Wonka, Annie Kids The Lion King Jr, Shrek Jr, High School Musical Jr The Addams Family, Really Rosie

# PERFORMANCE & EDUCATION (PIANO)

Instructor (Private & Group Lessons) Accompanist Dueling Pianist Dueling Pianist (Music of 1960s to Today) Piano Bar Entertainer

# **PERFORMANCE (STAGE, SELECT)**

Beethoven: Live In Concert	Ludwig van Beethoven	Fort Salem Theater dir. Em Hausmann
The Phantom Of The Opera	The Phantom	Niskayuna Friends of Music
Nomination, Best Actor - Proctors HSMTA		
Joseph And The Dreamcoat	Pharaoh	Niskayuna Friends of Music
The Addams Family	Gomez Addams	Debuts Theatre Company

# EDUCATION: NYU Tisch School Of The Arts BFA, Film & Television - Class of 2020

**SKILLS:** Screenwriting, film editing, directing, photography, stop-motion animation Sibelius, Logic Pro, GarageBand, Studio One, Final Draft, Adobe Premiere Pro Intermediate Spanish, French, & Arabic, Beginner Mandarin

54 Below The Green Room 42 Fontbonne Hall Academy Yaya Theatre Academy (Shenzhen, China) Shen Summer Adventures The Albany Academies Debuts Theatre Co.

Age For Stage Pace University YOTEL (*with The Green Room 42*) MSC Seashore (*with RWS Entertainment*) Don't Tell Mama

#### \*Full Performance Resume Available Upon Request

# **SELECT AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS**

#### Beethoven: Live In Concert (2024), Original Musical

- WINNER, Al Budde Playwright Scholarship
- SELECTION, EAT Spark Theatre Festival
- FINALIST, Musical Theatre West's New Works Reading Festival
- SEMIFINALIST, Syracuse's New Works, New Voices
- SEMIFINALIST, 2025 CreateTheater New Works Festival
- SEMIFINALIST, CreateTheater Professional MT Development Partnership w/SUNY Cortland

# Beans And Rice (2022), Three-Act Play

- BEST SUPPORTING ACTRESS, NYTF (Sarah Sinclair)
- PREMIERE, New York Theater Festival

# The Great Carolina Hotel (2020), Feature Screenplay

- FINALIST, Michael Collyer Memorial Fellowship In Screenwriting
- SEMI-FINALIST, Goldman Award, SWN Screenplay Competition
- 8/10 EVALUATION; 2 7/10 EVALUATIONS, The Black List

# Benson's Playground (2020), Short Film

- FINALIST, BEST ORIGINAL SCORE, Lonely Wolf Int'l Film Festival
- FINALIST, BEST STUDENT SHORT, New York World Film Festival
- FINALIST, BEST STUDENT DIRECTOR (MALE), IndieX Film Fest
- FINALIST: Cutting Room Short Film Festival, JellyFEST Film Festival
- SEMI-FINALIST: NY No Limits Film Series, Student LA Film Awards
- AWARD OF RECOGNITION: FILM SHORT, IndieFEST Film Awards
- AWARD OF RECOGNITION: LEAD ACTOR, IndieFEST Film Awards
- OFFICIAL SELECTION: Golden State Film Festival, Int'l New York Film Festival, New York Lift-Off, Tisch Fringe

# Losing Hope: PILOT (2020), Television Screenplay

- SEMIFINALIST, 2021 Scriptation Showcase Script Competition
- QUARTERFINALIST, 2021 ScreenCraft TV Pilot Script Competition
- QUARTERFINALIST, Page Turner Screenplays First 15 Competition

## Something Stupid (2019), One-Act Play

• PREMIERE, 2019 Brandspankin' New Works Festival

## Waiting For Jerry (2018), Short Film

- BEST COMEDY SHORT, Avalonia Festival II
- OFFICIAL SELECTION, Motion Pictures Int'l Film Festival

# I Am Syria (2017), Documentary Short

- OUTSTANDING EXCELLENCE, Docs Without Borders Film Festival
- GOLD AWARD, International Independent Film Awards
- BRONZE AWARD, Spotlight Documentary Film Awards
- NOMINATED, RALPH F. BOYD AWARD
- DR. JOHN YOUNGBLOOD MEMORIAL BOOK AWARD IN FINE ARTS

# The Phantom Of The Opera, Niskayuna High School (2017)

• NOMINATION, BEST ACTOR, Proctors High School Musical Theatre Awards

# OFFICE (2017), Web Series

- SILVER AWARD, International Independent Film Awards
- AWARD OF EXCEPTIONAL MERIT, WEBISODE PILOT, ORIGINAL SCORE
- AWARD OF MERIT, SCRIPT WRITER, COSTUME DESIGN, 3 rd Annual Web Series Festival Global
- OFFICIAL SELECTION, WRPN.TV Global Webisode Competition

# It's Not What It Looks Like (2017), Short Film

- BEST FICTION/STORY, Rod Serling Film Festival
- OUTSTANDING DIRECTING, Media Arts Festival 2017
- OUTSTANDING COMEDY, Media Arts Festival 2017
- SILVER AWARD, International Independent Film Awards
- OFFICIAL SELECTION: Orlando Film Festival, Ballston Spa Int'l Film Festival, The Set NYC Short Film Screenings