Alex Gonzalez

Email | Portfolio | Reel | Latiné Theater Lab

EDUCATION

MS in Human Resource Management | Florida International University | July 2017 Bachelor of Theater/Minor in English | University of Miami | December 2011

DIRECTING/CHOREOGRAPHY EXPERIENCE

LAST OF THE RED HOT ROBOTS*	Brian Harris	Latiné Theater Lab
MUD*	María Irene Fornés	Latiné Theater Lab
GODSPELL (2012 Version)	Stephen Schwartz	Doral Academy Prep
A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM*	William Shakespeare	Doral Academy Prep
SONGS FOR A NEW WORLD	Jason Robert Brown	Main Street Players
SEUSSICAL	Flaherty & Ahrens	Doral Academy Prep
EURYDICE*	Sarah Ruhl	Doral Academy Prep
REEFER MADNESS	Kevin Murphy	Quantum Entertainment
HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL	Peter Barsocchini	Goodlet Park Theater
PIPPIN	Stephen Schwartz	Quantum Entertainment
ANTIGONE*	Sophocles	UM Studio Theater
AIDA	Elton John/Tim Rice	Goodlet Park Theater

^{*}Also served as Sound Designer

CHOREOGRAPHY EXPERIENCE

MARY POPPINS Dir. Ron Headrick Miami Children's Theater ONCE ON THIS ISLAND Dir. Andrew Rodriguez Roxy Theater Group

FESTIVALS/READINGS/SHOWCASES

24 HR PLAY FESTIVALThe HoneymoonNew Wave DramaANIMAL ENCOUNTERSSeveral PlaysThinking Cap TheatreEMERGING DIRECTOR SHOWCASETwilight of the GoldsIsland City StageMIAMI ONE ACTS (M1A)Made ToMain Street Players

ASSISTANT DIRECTING

EVIL DEAD: THE MUSICAL Dir. Margaret Ledford Promethean Theater BABY WITH THE BATHWATER Dir. Jen Vellenga UM Ring Theater

ARTS LEADERSHIP/CURRENT ROLE

Latiné Theater Lab Founding Artistic Director Miami, FL

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Doral Academy Preparatory School	Theater Teacher	Doral, FL
North Miami Senior High School	Theater Teacher	North Miami, FL
Goodlet Park Children's Theater	Theater Director	Hialeah, FL
Hialeah High School Show Choir	Choreographer	Hialeah, FL

Alex Gonzalez

Email | Portfolio | Reel | Latiné Theater Lab

HUMAN RESOURCES EXPERIENCE

KAYAK & OpenTable | Director, Talent Enablement

January 2021 - 2024

Built an award-winning Learning & Development function from the ground up—expanding a one-person team into a four-member department focused on leadership development, professional learning, and career mobility. A highlight project involved defining core leadership behaviors for a global organization, establishing a culture of feedback and continuous learning.

Chewy.com | Manager, Learning and Development

January 2019 - 2021

Redesigned leadership programs to strengthen real-world application, collaboration, and connection between leaders and their teams. A highlight project was launching a company-wide culture podcast featuring senior leaders, engaging over 10,000 employees in conversations on growth and company values.

Carnival Cruise Line | Sr. Specialist, Learning and Development

September 2017 - January 2019

Facilitated and designed onboarding, professional learning, and leadership programs that drove organizational growth and engagement. A highlight project was designing a multi-course eLearning program for customer service agents focused on delivering compassionate and empathetic support.

View complete **HR resume**

AWARDS/RESIDENCIES

Live Arts Miami: LALA WIPs

Selected as one of three artists for the inaugural six-week cohort focused on raw, radical, and in-progress works. Workshopped *La Botanica*, an immersive supernatural play that follows Carmen, a woman caught in the psychological and spiritual aftermath of her past.

Island City Stage Emerging Director Intensive

One of nine directors selected for the inaugural three-week program designed to cultivate and empower the next generation of directors. Received mentorship and professional support that informed the launch of Latiné Theater Lab.

APEX Global Training Award

Recognized by Training Magazine for excellence in employee training and development. The KAYAK & OpenTable Learning Team ranked in its first year (2024) and rose to #63 globally in 2025.

District 8 Thespian One Act Festival

Directed *Eurydice* by Sarah Ruhl, which earned a Superior rating and advanced to the Florida State Thespian Festival. The production received awards for Best Leading Actress, Best Supporting Actor, and Best Sound Design.

Florida State Thespian Festival

Eurydice earned a Superior rating and qualified for the National Thespian Festival. Students received Critics' Choice awards in Duet Acting and Monologue categories, with their work featured in the festival's final showcase.