

Dana Puddicombe

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Region: Avalon Peninsula

Willing to Travel: Yes

Available For:

Mentorship
Prize Adjudication
Editing/Proofreading
Readings
Copywriting
Play/Screen/Script Writing
Speech Writing
Blog Writing
Ghost Writing
Transcription
Workshop Facilitation
School Visits
Speaking Engagements
Interviewing
Content Research
Social Media Content
Slogans/Taglines

Other:

I'm also an Improv Coach and Teacher, and have had the pleasure of working with St. John's Improv, The Assembly Improv, The Vancouver Improv Festival, The Bishop Strachan School and The National Ballet School of Canada, amongst others. I direct and write sketch comedy as well!

Biography:

Dana Puddicombe (she/her) is an Actor, Writer and Performance Coach from Roaches Line, NL. Television credits include Son of a Critch, The Handmaid's Tale, Republic of Doyle, Baroness Von Sketch Show, Republic of Doyle and Record Breaking Christmas. She co-wrote/ produced/ starred and played drums in the digital series Band Ladies, which received audience and industry accolades (CSA award and nomination, an ACTRA Ensemble nomination, a CAFTCAD nomination). Dana is also the voice of Darcy the Driller on Thomas and Friends: All Engines Go!

Dana cruised North America and The Caribbean as a Guest Artist with the short form improv show BeerProv on the MSC Meraviglia and was a Season 7 cast member of the Bad Dog Featured Players. She has coached improv and performance with The Assembly Toronto, St. John's Improv, The Bishop Strachan School and The National Ballet School of Canada, and was a member of the Festival Ensemble for the 2023 Vancouver Improv Festival.

Selected Publications:

Screenwriting: Band Ladies (co-writer/creator)

Selected Awards:

Dora Award - Best Ensemble for La Chasse Galerie, a collective creation produced with Red One Theatre and The Storefront Theatre, 2016 Festival Awards (selected/ writing specific)

FirstGlance Film Festival Philadelphia

- Band Ladies - Winner - Audience Choice Best Web Series British Web Awards
- Band Ladies - Winner - Best Web Film Nominee - Best Script Tim Sims Award
- Second City Training Centre Nominee - Dana Puddicombe

Additional Notes/Comments:

I love scriptwriting and editing, especially comedic scripts and sketches. I love collective creation and have experience guiding writers using improvisation.