# Destre Tashjian

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#### **SELECTED PLAYS – SHORT/ONE ACTS**

*"FLUSH":* Writer, Director | **2020** 13<sup>th</sup> Street Repertory Theatre *2020/Something* New Art Festival Awards: *Gerard Cannon Award (2021)* 

"A JOINT FAMILY": Writer, Director | 2019

The Hickory Playground 48-hour Theatre Festival <u>www.hickoryplayground.com</u> SALT BLOCK – Drendel Auditorium Hickory, NC

Awards: Audience-voted Best Play (2019)

"BLESS OUR HIVE": Writer, Director | 2021

The Hickory Playground 48-hour Theatre Festival

SALT BLOCK – Drendel Auditorium Hickory, NC

## *"WHY I'M EATING POPCORN WITH A SPOON (AMONG OTHER EXPLANATIONS)":*

Writer, Director | 2021

Joanie Drago New Play Workshop

"THE MONOLOGUE PLAY": Writer, Co-director | 2017

University of North Carolina School of the Arts 24-hour Play Festival

#### SHORT FILM/WEB-SERIES

"SO ABOUT LAST NIGHT": Co-writer | 2021

Directed by Anthony Arkin, Written by Barrett DeYoung and Destre Tashjian

*"BFA IN DRAMA"* alt. *"ROOMMATES"* (pre-production): Co-writer, Co-director, Producer | 2022 Written and Directed by Olivia Nash and Destre Tashjian

HUGE DESK SKETCH SERIES: Co-writer, Co-director, Editor, Producer | 2021-2022

"FLUSH" (pre-production): Writer, Co-director, Producer | 2022

#### LEADERSHIP

Yes Anderson Improv Troupe: Captain\*

Huge Desk Sketch Troupe: Co-founder, Director\*

- Coordinating and scheduling (rehearsals, show dates, guest teachers, competitions, etc.)
- Leading and hosting bi-monthly shows (warm-ups, short-form games, long-form sets, etc.)
- Developing marketing, social media, and promotional content
- Organizing and directing weekly rehearsals, lessons, and exercises

#### **PROFESSIONAL SKILLS**

- Microsoft certified (excel, word, outlook, etc.)
- Social Media Marketing & Analytics
- Final Cut Pro, Celtx, Google Suite

- Proficient writer in Public Relations texts:

press releases, social media, speeches, etc.

#### **EDUCATION**

### PACE UNIVERSITY | 2022

*Pforzheimer Honors College* BFA Acting Film, TV, Voiceover, Commercials Minor in Creative Writing