

JACOB BUTTRY

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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts in Theatre and Psychology, Graduated May 2020

Texas Christian University (TCU), Fort Worth, TX, GPA: 4.00, John V. Roach Honors College

RESEARCH & CREATIVE ACTIVITY

Mental Health Monologues, CLP Legacy Project, TCU (September 2019)

- Created & directed a play to foster compassion on topic of mental illness
- Transcribed & edited interviews with 14 individuals with history of mental illness

Undergraduate Honors Thesis: *Theatre's Potential for Fostering Empathy & Compassion*

- Developed empirical research project examining live theatre's impact on empathy
- Created a compassion training workshop for nursing students using acting techniques

Research Assistant, Dougall Lab, University of Texas at Arlington (June – July 2019)

- Recorded census and demographic data to contribute to research on disaster recovery

Selected Production Work from Academic & Professional Theatre

- *Jackie & Hyde* (reading) at TCU, Fort Worth, TX – Director (February 2020)
- *Silent Sky* at TCU, Fort Worth, TX – Sound Designer (October 2019)
- *Man of La Mancha* at Lyric Stage, Dallas, TX – Asst. Director & Dramaturg (June 2019)
- *Pericles* at TCU, Fort Worth, TX – Asst. Director & Dramaturg (November 2018)

HONORS & ACHIEVEMENTS

Chancellor's Scholar at Texas Christian University, Four Years, Class of 2020

Tucker Leadership Award, Texas Christian University, Spring 2020

Poster Presenter, SPSP Conference, Society for Personality & Social Psychology, Spring 2020

Undergraduate Research & Creative Activity (URCA) Grant Recipient, Spring 2019

Princeton Prize in Race Relations – Dallas district, April 2016

EMPLOYMENT & EXPERIENCE

Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, TX, *Frogfolio E-tern* (January 2018 – May 2020)

- Help students manage their Frogfolios (online E-portfolios/websites), work on Metafolio (explains how to create portfolios), run classroom demonstrations

TCU & UNTHSC School of Medicine, Fort Worth, TX, *Shadowing* (Summer 2019)

- Observed artistic director in incorporating theatre into empathy training for students

Casa Mañana, Fort Worth, TX, *Camp Counselor for Camp Casa* (Summer 2018)

- Led group of twenty-six pre-teens; assisted with rehearsals and navigating classes

Global Media Outreach, Plano, TX, *Marketing Intern, Marketing Associate* (Summer 2017/18)

- Led story sourcing—identified marketable stories from database, wrote story publications

CAMPUS & COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Chancellor's Leadership Program, TCU

Alpha Psi Omega, TCU, Benefit Concert Chair

Psi Chi Honors Society, TCU

TCU Empty Bowls, TCU, Co-Founder

Future Problem Solvers Program, *Evaluator (Volunteer)*, (Fall 2015 – Spring 2017)

SKILLS

Conversational Spanish, CITI Program Human Subjects Researcher Certification, Tap Dancing, Piano, String Artist, Event Planning, Sewing, Calculus, Basic Use of: SPSS, Canva, Audacity