

Shira Helena Gitlin is a director and gender consultant currently living in Boston, MA. As a gender consultant, Shira creates and runs Transgender Inclusion workshops, works to foster a culture of diversity, equity, authenticity, and inclusion, consults on existing and new works which includes answering gender identity related queries and reviewing marketing and dramaturgy materials, and acts as an advocate for trans and gender nonconforming artists.

SHOWS

<i>All Shook Up</i>	Dir. Arthur Gomez	Reagle Music Theatre	July 2024
<i>The Rocky Horror Show</i>	Dir. L. Gardner/J. Rezes	Central Square Theatre, MA	Oct 2023
<i>The Band's Visit</i>	Dir. Zi Alikha	TheatreSquared, AR	Oct 2023
<i>Millennials are Killing Musicals</i>	Dir. Ciara Renée	54 Below/Off-Bway Production, NYC	May 2023
<i>Psyche</i>	Dir. Eamon Foley	Equity Workshop, NYC	Nov 2022
<i>Eat Your Young</i>	Dir. Shamus	Boston Playwrights' Theatre, MA	Oct 2022
<i>Orlando</i>	Dir. Carin Bratlie Wethern	Theatre Pro Rata, MN	March 2022
<i>The Pink Unicorn</i>	Dir. Bevin O'Gara	SpeakEasy Stage Company, MA	March 2021

THEATRE WORKSHOPS

Theatre Companies, Universities, & Programs

Dramatists Guild (National)	National Women's Theatre Festival (National)
Directors Lab North (Global)	Quebec Drama Federation (Canada)
SpeakEasy Stage Company (MA)	Boston Playwrights' Theatre (MA)
Studio Theatre (DC)	Momentum Stage (FL)
Mad Horse Theatre Company (ME)	University of Southern Maine (ME)
Central Michigan University (MI)	Oakland University (MI)

Workshops Offered

Transgender Inclusion in Theatre: The Basics	60 minutes
Transgender Inclusion in Theatre: Best Practices	90 minutes
Trans Identity, Theatre, & Socially Conscious Practices	90 minutes
Transgender Inclusion: Basics and Best Practices	120 minutes
Gender Consultant Training (TGNC only)	90 minutes
Underrepresented Queer Identities	60 minutes

MISC THEATRE PROJECTS

Collaboration on Trans 101 & 201 workshops	Gender Explosion	Ongoing
Hiring Materials: Trans Inclusion Basics	SpeakEasy Stage Company	Aug 2022
LGBTQIA+ Artists: A Creating Change Conversation (Panel)	Momentum Stage	June 2022

AUTHENTICITY READING

Fresh Ink Theatre	Boston	2023
National Alliance of Musical Theatre	New York City	2022 & 2023
SpeakEasy Stage Company	Boston	2022 & 2023
Misc. Independent Scripts	Global	Ongoing

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Full Directing resume available upon request*