

SHIRA HELENA GITLIN

GENDER CONSULTANT

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Shira Helena Gitlin is a director, dramaturg, and gender consultant currently living in Boston, MA. Shira has 4+ years of experience working in regional theatres and has held many different artistic and survival jobs that contribute to their skills as an outgoing and organized collaborator and educator. As a gender consultant, Shira creates and runs Transgender Inclusion workshops, works with companies to foster a culture of diversity, equity, and inclusion, and consults on existing and new works which includes answering gender identity related queries, reviewing marketing and dramaturgy materials, and acting as an advocate for trans and gender artists.

SHOWS

<i>Psyche</i>	Dir. Eamon Foley	Workshop, NYC	Nov 2022
<i>Eat Your Young</i>	Dir. Shamus	Boston Playwrights' Theatre, Boston	Oct 2022
<i>Millennials are Killing Musicals</i>	Dir. Ciara Renée	54 Below Workshop, NYC	April 2022
<i>Orlando</i>	Dir. Carin Bratlie Wethern	Theatre Pro Rata, Twin Cities	March 2022

THEATRE WORKSHOPS

TGNC Identities in Theatre (16 sessions)	General Public	Ongoing
Trans Identity, Theatre, and Social Consciousness	National Women's Theatre Festival	Nov 2022
Transgender Inclusion: Best Practices	National Women's Theatre Festival	Oct 2022
Trans 101	National Women's Theatre Festival	Oct 2022
TGNC Identities in Theatre	Momentum Stage	Aug 2022
Transgender Inclusion: Best Practices	National Women's Theatre Festival	July 2022
TGNC Identities in Theatre (2 sessions)	Dramatists Guild	May 2022
TGNC Identities in Theatre	SpeakEasy Stage Company	Oct 2021
TGNC Identities in Theatre	Directors Lab North	June 2021

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

OTHER WORKSHOPS

TGNC Identities in the Workplace	HCMMSG	July 2021
TGNC Identities in the Workplace (7 sessions)	Trader Joe's Brookline	Sept 2020 - Feb 2021

EDUCATION & TRAINING

SpeakEasy Artistic Fellow	SpeakEasy Stage Company	2019-2020
Arden Professional Apprentice	Arden Theatre Company	2018-2019
BA in Directing & Musical Theatre Studies	Hampshire College	2013-2017

Member of [Gender Explosion](#), [Ring of Keys](#), and [Director's Gathering](#)

*Full directing resume available upon request