# Lorelei Cairns

Lorelei is an Australian-born set, costume, and video designer. She is currently in the final year of an MA in Design for Performance at the Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama, and graduated with a BA in English from UCL in September of 2022. She is also a member of the National Youth Theatre.

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## Education

**Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama** / MA Design for Performance
SEP 2024 - PRESENT

**National Youth Theatre** / Scenic Design & Construction Course
COMPLETED AUG 2021

**University College London** / BA (Hons) English
SEP 2019 - MAY 2022, SECOND CLASS DEGREE, UPPER DIVISION

## Skills

Adobe Suite - Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign
Technical drawing - AutoCAD, SketchUp, LayOut
Video design - AfterEffects, TouchDesigner
3D printing, laser cutting
Modelmaking
Costume drawing and construction
Prop sourcing and making

## Experience

**'Vincent River'**
Set and Costume Designer
SEP - OCT 2025, LEEDS, STAGE@LEEDS

**'Brazil'**
Set, Costume and Video Designer
JUN - AUG 2025, LONDON, THEATRE503

**'Into the Light'**
Set Designer
APR - JUN 2025, CARDIFF, ROYAL WELSH COLLEGE OF MUSIC AND DRAMA

**'George Orwell's 1984'**
Design Associate to Justin Nardella
AUG - SEP 2024, BATH, BATH THEATRE ROYAL, MAIN HOUSE

**'Echo & Narcissus'**
Assistant Set Designer and Associate Costume Designer to Justin Nardella
MAY - JUN 2024, BATH, BATH THEATRE ROYAL, USTINOV STUDIO

**'Winterreise'**
Assistant Designer to Justin Nardella
APR - JUN 2024, BATH, BATH THEATRE ROYAL, USTINOV STUDIO

**'Priscilla the Party!'**
Animator, Design Production Assistant to Brian Thomson and Justin Nardella
JAN - APR 2024, LONDON, HERE AT OUTERNET

**‘Afterglow’**
Costume Design Assistant to Justin Nardella
JAN 2024, LONDON, SOUTHWARK PLAYHOUSE

**‘A Flight of Fancy’ (Film)**
Production Designer, Graphic Designer
JUL - SEP 2023, LONDON, A CAMPDALE MOTION PICTURE

**‘Follies’**
Assistant Designer to Charlotte Henery
JUL - SEP 2023, ROYAL CENTRAL SCHOOL OF SPEECH & DRAMA

**‘#50Days’**
Assistant Designer to Alexandra Kay
AUG - SEP 2023, BIRMINGHAM, BIRMINGHAM HIPPODROME STUDIO THEATRE

**‘Re-Member Me’**
Design Supervisor
MAY - JUN 2023 , LONDON, HAMPSTEAD THEATRE

**‘The Heights’ for National Theatre ‘Connections’**
Set and Costume Designer
JAN - APR 2023 , LONDON, TRAMSHED THEATRE

**‘Galaxy Train’**
Set Designer
JAN - MARCH 2023, LONDON, THE OTHER PALACE STUDIO THEATRE

**‘Treasure Island’ Pantomime**
Head of Props, Assistant Stage Manager
NOV 2022 - JAN 2023, WELWYN GARDEN CITY, HAWTHORNE THEATRE

**‘¡SHOWMANISM!’**
Costume Design Assistant to Justin Nardella
SEP - NOV 2022, BATH, BATH THEATRE ROYAL, USTINOV STUDIO

**‘Rope’**
Set Designer, Set Builder, Prop Maker
AUG - OCT 2022, LONDON, UPSTAIRS AT THE GATEHOUSE

**‘Dreamphone’**
Video Designer, Graphic Designer
MAY - AUG 2022, EDINBURGH, EDINBURGH FRINGE - PRODUCED WITH A GRANT FROM UCL

**‘Machinal’**
Production Manager, Set Designer, Graphic Designer
AUG - NOV 2021, LONDON, BLOOMSBURY THEATRE

**‘Legally Blonde’**
Set Designer, Set Builder
DEC 2019 - FEB 2020, LONDON, BLOOMSBURY THEATRE