



PAOLO RECH

Puppeteer & Art Director

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

I'm a professional puppeteer and artistic director of Festivals and Events.

I collaborate with various organizations: schools, embassies, Italian cultural institutes.

My life mission is to spread around the world the knowledge of Commedia dell'Arte's masks, with traditional shows, revisited in a personal way.

I participated in international Festivals in: Argentina, Armenia, Belarus, Brazil, France, Germany, Greece, Guatemala, England, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine.

Through solidarity projects I brought smiles to hundreds of children in Eritrea, Uganda and Bolivia.

I collaborate with the author and director Gígio Brunello, the puppeteer Alberto De Bastiani and various musicians.

SKILLS SUMMARY

LANGUAGES:

Italian, mother language;

French, fluent;

Spanish, fluent;

English, good

German, elementary

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Puppeteer

- ARRIVANO DAL MARE - CERVIA [2002-2003]
- BAMBABAMBIN PUPPET THEATRE [2004-PRESENT]
- Create puppets, play shows and manage workshops
- Collaborate with other artists
- Translate shows in various languages

Artistic Director

- FIGURIAMOCII! [2006-PRESENT]
- TEATRI DI PACE [2012-2016]
- WONDERLAND-PAESE DELLE MERAVIGLIE [2016-PRESENT]
- Manage projects from start to finish
- Collaborate with Public Institutions
- Create Festivals and Brands

Other Jobs

- POST OFFICE [1989-1998]
- COMMUNITY EDUCATOR [1998-2000]
- TEACHER IN SECONDARY SCHOOL [2003-2017]

EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

IULM UNIVERSITY

- DEGREE IN FOREIGN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURE [1997-1998]

ARRIVANO DAL MARE - CERVIA

- PROFESSIONAL DIPLOMA "OPERATOR IN PUPPET THEATER" [2002-2003]

UNIVERSITY OF PADUA

- MASTER IN SPECIAL NEEDS EDUCATION [2014-2015]
- Thesis on Puppet Theatre in special educational needs

AWARDS RECEIVED

- First prize "Vetrina Figura Italia" [2005]
- Silvano d'Orba Prize "Ai bravi burattinai d'Italia" (To the good puppeteers of Italy) [2016]
- First prize for Best Actor at the Uzhorod Interlyalka Puppet Festival (Ukraine) [2019]
- Special Jury Award at the Puppet Up International Festival in Kiev (Ukraine) [2019]