

# Collette Rutherford

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## Regional Theatre, Directing

*Joan* (world premiere)  
*The Frogs*  
*Romeo & Rosaline* (world premiere)  
*This is Not a Drill* (world premiere)  
*Almost, Maine*  
*Lights Up On a Bedroom* (world premiere)

Bernadette Armstrong	Catworks Productions
Aristophanes/Collette Rutherford	Infinite Jest Theatre Company
Rogelio Peneverde	Inglewood Playhouse
Nicholas Freedson	SkyPilot Theatre Company
John Cariani	Infinite Jest Theatre Company
Rosy Watkins	Mystery Box Play Festival

## Educational Theatre, Directing

*Blue Stockings*  
*The Belle's Stratagem*  
*Twelfth Night*  
*Urinetown: The Musical*

Jessica Swale	CSUF - Halberg Theatre
Hannah Cowley	CSUF - Halberg Theatre
William Shakespeare	CSUF - Young Theatre
Greg Kotis & Mark Hollman	CSUF - Young Theatre

## Virtual Theatre (OBS), Directing

*Gallathea*  
*Clowning Around With Shakespeare: The Whole Ham(let)*

John Lyly	Infinite Jest Theatre Company
William Shakespeare	Infinite Jest Theatre Company

## Workshops & Staged Readings, Directing

*The Osanbi Deal* (workshop)  
Various (workshop)  
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*Hay Fever* (staged reading)  
*Snow White From Queens* (staged reading)  
*Don't Just Sit There* (staged reading)  
*Best Revenge* (staged reading)  
*Enough! Plays to End Gun Violence* (staged reading)  
*Robbed* (staged reading)

Marilynn Anselmi	The Blank Theatre - LRS
various	Infinite Jest Theatre Company
various	PlayGround - LA
Noel Coward	Infinite Jest Theatre Company
Diana L. Woody	Alliance of LA Playwrights
Diane Sampson	Little Black Dress Ink Fest
Michael Halperin	Alliance of LA Playwrights
various	Enough!/CSUF
Vita Muccia	The Wayward Artist/Embark

## Assistant Directing

<i>Little Shop of Horrors</i>	Ashman & Menken, dir. Jenn Thompson
<i>Dead Man's Cell Phone</i>	Sarah Ruhl, dir. Branda Lock
<i>Fefu &amp; Her Friends</i>	Maria Irene Fornes, dir. Denise Blasor
<i>Glimpse: A Christmas Musical</i> (workshop)	Shore & Grisetti, dir. Josh Grisetti

South Coast Repertory  
Little Fish Theatre  
Odyssey Theatre Ensemble  
Lynn Shore Entertainment/CSUF

## Film, Directing

<i>The Playhouse: A Comedy Romance in Pantomime</i> (short)	An Infinite Jest Theatre Company Production
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## Acting Coach 2010-current

### Training (partial list)

M.F.A. Theatre Directing  
European Greats Program  
Classical Intensive Program  
Staging Theatrical Intimacy  
Trauma Informed Practices  
Anti-Racist Theatre  
Formal Elements in Directing  
Directing Film & Television  
Directing Episodic Television  
Unlocking the Directors' Imagination  
Directing Workshop 2020-2021

California State University - Fullerton  
Royal Academy of Dramatic Art  
American Conservatory Theater  
Theatrical Intimacy Education  
Theatrical Intimacy Education  
Nicole Brewer  
Bill Fennelly  
John Short  
Jude Weng  
Irina Brown - Rose Bruford College  
Robert Icke & Lyndsey Turner

## Memberships (current)

Stage Directors & Choreographers Society (Associate Member)  
Actors' Equity Association  
Directors' Gathering, PlayGround-LA, Arts4LA, Emerging Arts Leaders of LA, Directors Lab West

**Awards/Recognition:** 2019 Better Lemons' DOUBLESWEET #LemonMeter Choice Award for *Joan*

2020 Young-Howze Theatre Award Nominee for Best Shakespearean Production: *Clowning Around With Shakespeare*