

# Alexander Utz

## Playwright

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### FULL LENGTH PLAYS

#### **Work in Progress**

Workshop Reading      The Plagiarists (*d. Christina Casano*)      Chicago IL      2023

#### **Socks & Co.**

Workshop Reading      Eclectic Full Contact Theatre (*d. Christina Casano*)      Chicago IL      2023

#### **Arabia, Arabia!**

World Premiere      The Plagiarists (*d. Jonathan Shaboo*)      Chicago IL      2023

Staged Reading      Beverly Arts Center (*d. Jess Hawthorne Fiene*)      Chicago IL      2021

#### **The Creators**

World Premiere      Three Brothers Theatre (*d. Jared Sheldon*)      Waukegan IL      2023

#### **Gut**

Production      Platform Productions (*d. Patrick Starnier*)      Chicago IL      2023

Staged Reading      International Museum of Surgical Science      Chicago IL      2022

#### **Where the Air Meets the Water**

World Premiere      Avalanche Theatre (*d. Bec Willett*)      Chicago IL      2021

#### **Generation Red<sup>†</sup>**

Production      ThreePenny Theatre Company      Salt Lake City UT      2024

World Premiere      Otherworld Theatre (*d. Bec Willett*)      Chicago IL      2020

Staged Reading      Benchmark Theatre (*d. Ryan Gould*)      Denver CO      2019

#### **Outpost<sup>†</sup>**

Workshop Reading      Drafted New Play Workshop (*d. Annika Kuz*)      Digital      2021

#### **Frances Makes History**

Production      Lamar Academy      McAllen TX      2021

Workshop Production      Avalanche Theatre (*d. Bec Willett*)      Chicago IL      2019

#### **Frankenstein**

Production      Illinois State University (*d. John McCall*)      Normal IL      2023

Production      Florida Gateway College (*d. Todd Siff*)      Lake City FL      2022

Production      Honors Theatrics, Mississippi State University      Starkville MS      2022

Production      The Community Cooperative (*d. Clara Richards*)      Digital      2021

World Premiere      Bower Theatre Ensemble (*d. Bec Willett*)      Chicago IL      2018

#### **Sunflowers<sup>†</sup>**

Staged Reading      5th Wall Productions      Charleston SC      2018

Staged Reading      Three Cat Productions      Chicago IL      2017

<sup>†</sup>Published with Next Stage Press

### HONORS / AWARDS

*Grape Leaves*      Semi-Finalist      O'Neill National Playwrights Conference      2024

Artist Residency (*Gut*)      Residency      Mackinac State Historic Parks      2022

Best New Play (*Where the Air Meets the Water*)      Runner-Up      Chicago Reader Best of 2021      2021

Best Playwright      Finalist      Chicago Reader Best of 2021      2021

Future of Playwriting Prize      Semi-Finalist      UCross + The Blank Theatre      2021

New Comedies Festival (*Socks & Co.*)      Finalist      B Street Theatre      2020

Playwright Residency      Residency      Three Brothers Theatre      2018 - 2020

### EDUCATION and TRAINING

Jackalope Theatre      Playwrights Lab (*instructor: Omer Abbas Salem*)      Chicago IL      2023

Niagara University      BFA Theatre Performance      Niagara Falls NY      2016