

Heather Schultz is a seasoned performing arts professional with more than four decades of experience as an actor, director, educator, and arts leader. She holds a master's degree in Organizational Management with a specialization in Organizational Leadership from Ashford University and has spent many years teaching dance and acting.

Most recently from Southeastern Georgia, Heather was a founding member and served for over a decade as Executive/Artistic Director of C.A.P.E. Theater in Brunswick. Since relocating to Ohio, she has remained deeply engaged in the regional arts community, including three terms as President of Curtain Players. Her 2017 direction of *Five Women Wearing the Same Dress* earned eleven recognitions at the Ohio Community Theatre Association Regional Conference—including Excellence in Direction—and six additional honors at the state level.

Heather has directed and performed with multiple organizations, including Theatre Reset, OGP, Licking County Players, and The Little Theatre of Broadway. In addition to her artistic work, she serves as Debt Manager for Servpro of NE Columbus, teaches ESL to international students, and leads historical ghost tours in Westerville.

A published playwright, her original works have been featured in festivals and staged readings, with upcoming productions continuing to highlight her voice. Heather is a passionate advocate for inclusive, socially meaningful theatre—particularly work that uplifts LGBTQ+ experiences and women—while engaging broad audiences through storytelling that is both entertaining and impactful. As a Evolution Theatre Company Board Trustee, she is committed to supporting bold artistic vision and fostering a vibrant, inclusive theatrical community.