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# Stephanie Tomey

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Textile Designer

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## Education

M.S. Textile Design, Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, PA, expected 2025  
B.F.A. Costume Design, The Theatre School at DePaul University, Chicago, IL, 2015  
Professional Costume Apprentice, The Juilliard School, New York, NY, 2015-2016

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## Competitions, Presentations & Awards

ITA Virginia Jackson Jacquard Competition, 2nd Place, 2024  
Mimaki Micro-Factory Competition Participant, 2024  
Thomas Jefferson University Graduate Forum Speaker, 2024

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## Experience

**Wig-Maker** - NBC Universal Studios, Saturday Night Live, 2020-2023

- Produce quality work within short time frames and over long hours.
- Develop trust within a team and operate without the need for direction.
- Consulting the manager and peers on technical construction.

**Wig Shop Manager** - Backstage Artistry, 2018-2023

- Oversight, management, and cataloguing all builds and alterations for several productions at once.
- Identify the source of visual and functional mistakes and quickly formulate solutions to them.
- Facilitate fittings with performers, projects for independent contractors, and meetings with designers and directors.

**Freelance Wig-Maker & Costumer** - New York City, 2016-2023

- Provide a range of design and craft skills to productions and designers.
  - Prioritize and manage my own time to deliver work on schedule and to the highest quality.
  - Develop a practice that supports working independently.
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## Skills

### Weaving

- 8-24 Harness Floor and AVL Dobby Looms
- EAT Designscape Victor Software
- Pointcarre Software

### Concept Design

- Trend and Market Research
- Mood Board and Color Palette Development
- Collection Curation

### Website Portfolio

