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## Education

### Bachelor of Fine Arts- Acting University Of Illinois Chicago

2020-2024

## Additional Training

### Second City Conservatory Second City Training Center- CHI

2020-2022

### Teaching Artist Practicum UIC School of Theatre and Music

2023-2024

## Expertise

Acting

Improvisation

Lesson Planning

Classroom Facilitation

Early Childhood

# COLIN CALLAHAN

Teaching artist

## Profile

I, Colin Callahan, have recently completed my studies at the University of Illinois at Chicago, graduating in May 2024. Throughout the past five years, my focus has been on mentoring and supporting young individuals, engaging in summer programs, providing secure aftercare environments, and promoting a nurturing atmosphere of care. As of January 2024, I have assumed the responsibilities of a teaching artist, combining my love of artistic creativity with the passion for teaching I have for young learners, highlighting the significance of arts education.

## Experience

### Present 2024- **Chicago Childrens Theatre**

Assistant Teaching Artist

- Assisting the lead teaching artist with behavior management for students in grades 4-5 during rehearsals
- Conducting warm-up sessions and breakout activities
- Supporting the production of the students collaborative devised piece

### Present 2020- **Bennett Day School**

Auxiliary Staff/ Summer Camp Leader

- Working with grades PK-5
- Helping facilitate conflict resolution among students
- Supervision and participation in classroom activities for students during after-school hours, including behavior management and dismissal preparation

### 2020 2019- **Geneva Park District**

Aftercare/Summer Camp Leader

- Working with grades K-5
- Efficiently utilizing after-school hours to assist with tasks like homework, activity planning, and providing fun & safe engagement until the arrival of parents or guardians, followed by facilitating pick-up

## References



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