

# Emery Schaffer - Playwright

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## SELECTED CREDITS

### *We Used To Be Girl Scouts (upcoming)*

August 2024 Student Production, Edinburgh Fringe Festival, dir. Kate Stamoulis

### *Made Of Stone*

April 2024 Reading, Johns Hopkins University (Baltimore, MD)

### *Rachel - (longlisted for the 2024 David MacLennan New Writing Award)*

November 2023 Scratch, Page2Stage Edinburgh, dir. Amie Burns Walker

### *BEARGIRL*

April 2023 Scratch, Untie My Tongue Theatre, dir. Kolbrún Björt Sigfúsdóttir

### *I Hope It All Burns - (reviewed by: [Her Campus](#))*

March 2022 Student Production, The Byre Theatre, dir. Vee Campbell

October 2022 R&D, Western Michigan University, dir. Grace Boot

### *abigail williams is a whore.*

November 2021 Staged Reading (scratch), Page2Stage Edinburgh, dir. C. Truscott

### *A My Name Is Allison - (reviewed by: [Thinking Theatre NYC](#))*

September 2019: Reading, Elephant Room Productions (Philadelphia, PA)

March 2020: Amateur Production, The Tank NYC, dir. V Greene

### *Becky Knows What Sex Is*

March 2020: Festival, Brunch Theatre NYC, dir. Paul Bedard

### *80 Percent*

August 2019 Competition, LIC One Act Festival (**semifinalist**)

March 2022 Competition, Theatre Lime and Salt (**audience & critics choice winner**)

### *Twelfth Night Jr.*

June - July 2019: Shakespeare On The Sound (CT), dir. Nick Urda

## EDUCATION/TEACHING:

New York University	Bachelor of Fine Arts Drama	2014 - 2018
University of St Andrews	MFA Playwriting & Screenwriting	2021 - 2023
Playwriting Apprentice	Shakespeare On The Sound (CT)	Summer 2019
She-Collective NYC	Development Cohort - Dani Super	2019 - present

Bio: Emery Schaffer is a Jewish-American playwright based in Edinburgh, UK. US credits include productions with/at The Tank NYC, Shakespeare On The Sound, Brunch Theatre Company, NYU Tisch, Western Michigan University, and Truman State University. UK credits include Page2Stage Edinburgh, Untie My Tongue Theatre Company (Edinburgh), Moot Point Collective (Edinburgh), and Mermaids Performing Arts Fund (The Byre Theatre, St Andrews). Long Island City One Act Festival Competition semi-finalist, Theatre, Lime, and Salt Audience Choice award winner and Critics Choice runner-up. Emery is longlisted for the 2024 David MacLennan Award for new writing and is in development with Edinburgh Napier University for the 2024 Edinburgh Fringe Festival. BFA: NYU Tisch School of the Arts Experimental Theatre Wing. MFA: University of St Andrews.