

# BRENT CRAYON

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## THEATRE HIGHLIGHTS

### A Night with Janis Joplin

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor  
*Filmed for Broadway HD*  
*dir. Randy Johnson*

### South Pacific

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
THE SORAYA, Northridge, CA  
Music Director / Conductor  
*dir. Glenn Casale*

### Newsies

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor  
*dir. Richard J. Hinds*

### Dreamgirls

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA 2016  
VALLEY PERFORMING ARTS CENTER, Northridge, CA 2016  
TOKYO ORB THEATER, Shibuya, TOKYO, 2016  
Keyboard-Conductor  
*dir. Robert Longbottom*

### Snapshots (workshop, Stephen Schwartz)

LYRIC THEATRE, Oklahoma City, OK 2010  
*dir. Richard Maltby, Jr.*  
HUMAN RACE THEATRE, Dayton, OH 2007  
Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor  
2008 DayTony Award for Best Musical Direction

### Bubble Boy: The Musical (World Premiere)

AMERICAN THEATRE GROUP, Rahway, NJ 2013  
PRODUCER WORKSHOP, New York, NY 2009, 2012  
DISNEY / ASCAP, Los Angeles, 2008  
Music Director / Orchestrator / Keyboard-Conductor  
*dir. Scott Schwartz*

### Songs For a New World

INTERNATIONAL CITY THEATRE, Long Beach, CA 2009  
RUBICON THEATRE, Ventura, CA 2005  
LATC, Los Angeles, CA 2003 (West Coast Premiere)  
Music Director / Piano-Conductor  
2010 LADCC Award nomination for Best Musical Direction  
2005 Ovation Award nomination for Best Musical Direction

### It's Only Life (World Premiere)

RUBICON THEATRE, Ventura, CA 2008  
Music Director / Piano-Conductor  
*dir. Daisy Prince, prod. Michael Jackowitz*

### Tick, Tick...BOOM!

CORONET THEATRE, Los Angeles, CA 2006  
RUBICON THEATRE, Ventura, CA 2005 (West Coast Premiere)  
Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor  
*dir. Scott Schwartz, prod. Michael Jackowitz*

## PIANIST • MUSIC DIRECTOR

## PIANO / KEYBOARD

**New York's Finest** Upright Cabaret, Henry Ford Theater 2011  
**American Icon Series** Upright Cabaret, La Mirada 2011  
**Nmon Ford at the Broad Stage** Santa Monica 2008  
**Master Classes with Stephen Schwartz, John Bucchino, and Michael Donovan**

## ORCHESTRATION / ARRANGEMENT / VOICE

**Singing Revolution, The Musical** 2022  
**Scary Musical: The Musical (Orchestration)** 2014  
Stele Spring Stage Rights  
**Bubble Boy (Orchestration)** 2013  
Dramatists Play Service  
**When Garbo Talks! (Orchestration)** 2010  
**Nintendo Wii: Gold's Gym Dance Workout (Arrangement)** 2010  
**Nintendo Wii: The Smurfs Dance Party (Voiceover)** 2011

## RECORDINGS

### Lubella

Self titled  
Peak Artforms

### Music of Nights Without Moon or Pearl

by Michael Byron  
Cold Blue Music CB0002

### Essencia

CalArts 1997 Performance and Composition CD

## EDUCATION

MFA California Institute of the Arts, Valencia, CA 1997  
BM Loyola University, New Orleans, LA 1995

**Piano** with Vicky Ray, Bryan Pezzone, Janet Swanzy, and Raymond Gitz

**Voice** with Rene Urbanovich, Kimball Wheeler, and Lynn Sjolund

**Composition** with Sylvia Pengilly

## SPECIAL SKILLS

**Excellent sight reading and accompanying skills**  
covering a wide range of styles

### MIDI, sequencing, and recording abilities

Logic Pro X, Mainstage 3, Ableton Live

### Copyist / Publisher / Arranger

Finale

## AFFILIATIONS

Member AFM Local 47

**2022****In the Heights**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor

**Singing Revolution, The Musical  
(World Premiere)**

THE BROADWATER THEATRE, Los Angeles, CA  
Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor /  
Orchestrator / Mainstage Programmer

**2021****Mamma Mia!**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
Rehearsal Pianist / Keyboard 3

**2020****The Andrews Brothers**

INTERNATIONAL CITY THEATRE, Long Beach, CA  
Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor

**2019****The Sound of Music**

ALASKA CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS,  
Anchorage, AK  
Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor

**Singin' in the Rain**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
Associate Music Director / Keyboard / Conductor

**Katy Cruel**

OVERTONE INDUSTRIES  
Music Director / Clarinetist

**Beauty and the Beast**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
Keyboard Programming

**Oklahoma**

BROADWAY AT MUSIC CIRCUS, Sacramento, CA  
Rehearsal Pianist

**Guys and Dolls**

BROADWAY AT MUSIC CIRCUS, Sacramento, CA  
Rehearsal Pianist / Keyboard

**In the Heights**

BROADWAY AT MUSIC CIRCUS, Sacramento, CA  
Rehearsal Pianist / Keyboard 1

**Grumpy Old Men**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
Associate Music Director / Rehearsal Pianist /  
Keyboard 2

**Peter Pan**

Riyadh, Saudi Arabia  
Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor  
*Produced by McCoy / Rigby Entertainment*

**2018****South Pacific**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
THE SORAYA, Northridge, CA  
Music Director / Conductor

**Newsies**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor

**Cynosemma**

SON OF SEMELE THEATRE, Los Angeles, CA  
Music Director

**A Night with Janis Joplin**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor

**Iceland (Concert reading)**

BOSTON COURT, Pasadena, CA  
Pianist

**South Pacific**

RUBICON THEATRE, Ventura, CA  
Music Director / Piano-Conductor

**2017****The Last 5 Years**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
Music Director / Piano-Conductor

**West Side Story**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
VALLEY PERFORMING ARTS CENTER,  
Northridge, CA  
Music Director / Conductor

**Tarzan**

JPAS, New Orleans, LA  
Keyboardist

**A Funny Thing Happened on the Way  
to the Forum**

GARRY MARSHALL THEATRE, Burbank, CA  
Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor

**2016****Spitfire Grill**

MUSIC THEATRE GUILD, Glendale, CA  
Music Director / Piano-Conductor

**The Iceland Concert**

THE FORD AMPHITHEATRE, Hollywood, CA  
Pianist

**The Fantasticks**

PASADENA PLAYHOUSE, Pasadena, CA  
Associate Music Director / Piano-Conductor

**THEATRE EXPERIENCE****Dreamgirls**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
VALLEY PERFORMING ARTS CENTER,  
Northridge, CA  
TOKYO ORB THEATER, Shibuya, Tokyo  
Keyboard-Conductor  
*dir. Robert Longbottom*

**A Class Act**

MUSIC THEATRE GUILD, Glendale, CA  
Music Director / Piano-Conductor

**Empire (World Premiere)**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
Associate Music Director / Pianist / Copyist

**2015****Breaking Through**

PASADENA PLAYHOUSE, Pasadena, CA  
Associate Music Director / Copyist

**First Date (West Coast Premiere)**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor

**The Last Five Years**

RUBICON THEATRE, Ventura, CA  
Music Director / Piano-Conductor

**Mary Poppins**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
Keyboardist

**Carrie**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
Keyboardist

**The Freedom Machine**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
Associate Music Director / Copyist

**2014****Scary Musical: The Musical (World Premiere)**

NOHO ARTS CENTER, North Hollywood, CA  
Music Director / Orchestrator /  
Keyboard-Conductor

**Les Misérables**

ALASKA CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS,  
Anchorage, AK  
LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
Conductor / Keyboardist

**Triumph of Love**

MUSIC THEATRE GUILD, Glendale, CA  
Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor

**2013****Bubble Boy: The Musical (World Premiere)**

AMERICAN THEATRE GROUP, Rahway, NJ  
 Music Director / Orchestrator /  
 Keyboard-Conductor  
*dir. Scott Schwartz*

**A Catered Affair**

MUSIC THEATRE GUILD, Glendale, CA  
 Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor

**2012****Bubble Boy: The Musical**

PRODUCER WORKSHOP, New York, NY  
 Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor  
*dir. Scott Schwartz*

**Helen**

GETTY VILLA, Malibu, CA  
 Keyboardist

**2011****The Devil and Daisy Jane**

ACTOR'S CO-OP THEATRE, Hollywood, CA  
 Music Director / Orchestrator /  
 Keyboard-Conductor

**Tick...Tick...BOOM!**

INNOVATION THEATRE WORKS, Portland, OR  
 Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor

**On the Town**

USC BING THEATRE, Los Angeles, CA  
 Pianist  
*dir. John Rubinstein*

**Little Shop of Horrors**

LA MIRADA THEATRE, La Mirada, CA  
 Keyboardist / Thereminist  
*dir. Brian Kite*

**Snapshots (workshop)**

NOHO ARTS CENTER, Hollywood, CA  
 Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor

**2010****Songs and Dances of Imaginary Lands**

OVERTONE INDUSTRIES, Culver City, CA  
 Keyboardist

**Jacque Brel is Alive & Well & Living in Paris**

COLONY THEATRE, Burbank, CA  
 Music Director / Piano-Conductor / Vocalist  
 / Clarinetist  
 2011 NAACP Theatre Award nomination for Best  
 Musical Direction  
*dir. Jon Lawrence Rivera*

**Snapshots (World Premiere)**

LYRIC THEATRE, Oklahoma City, OK  
 Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor  
*dir. Richard Maltby, Jr.*

**Toy Story: The Musical (workshop)**

DISNEYLAND, Anaheim, CA  
 Assistant Music Director / Rehearsal  
 Performance Pianist / Thereminist

**2009****Bubble Boy: The Musical (workshop)**

PRODUCER WORKSHOP, New York, NY  
 Foundation of New American Musicals / ASCAP  
 Los Angeles, CA  
 Music Director / Piano-Conductor  
*dir. Scott Schwartz*

**My Way**

INNOVATION THEATRE WORKS, Portland, OR  
 Music Director / Pianist

**Luisa Fernanda**

MONTALBAN THEATRE, Los Angeles, CA  
 Rehearsal Pianist

**Songs For a New World**

INTERNATIONAL CITY THEATRE, Long Beach, CA  
 Music Director / Piano-Conductor  
 2010 LADCC Award nomination for Best  
 Musical Direction

**2008****Gulls**

BOSTON COURT, Pasadena, CA  
 Pianist  
*dir. Jessica Kubzansky*

**It's Only Life (World Premiere)**

RUBICON THEATRE, Ventura, CA  
 Music Director / Piano-Conductor  
*dir. Daisy Prince, prod. Michael Jackowitz*

**2007****The History Boys**

AHMANSON THEATRE, Los Angeles, CA  
 Assistant Music Director / Vocal Coach

**Snapshots**

HUMAN RACE THEATRE, Dayton, OH  
 Music Director / Piano-Conductor  
 2008 DayTony Award for Best Musical Direction

**2006****Tick...Tick...BOOM!**

CRONET THEATRE, Los Angeles, CA 2006  
 Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor  
*dir. Scott Schwartz, prod. Michael Jackowitz*

**THEATRE EXPERIENCE****Into the Woods**

ACTOR'S CO-OP THEATRE, Hollywood, CA 2006  
 Music Director / Piano-Conductor  
*dir. Jon Lawrence Rivera*

**2005****Yeepad!**

EDINBURG THEATRE FESTIVAL, Edinburg  
 Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor  
*dir. Jon Lawrence Rivera*

**Tick...Tick...BOOM! (West Coast Premiere)**

RUBICON THEATRE, Ventura, CA  
 Music Director / Keyboard-Conductor  
*dir. Scott Schwartz, prod. Michael Jackowitz*

**Songs For a New World**

RUBICON THEATRE, Ventura, CA  
 Music Director / Piano-Conductor  
 2005 Ovation Award nomination for Best  
 Musical Direction  
*dir. Jon Lawrence Rivera*

**2004****Bark!**

COAST PLAYHOUSE, Los Angeles, CA  
 Keyboardist  
*dir. Kay Cole*

**Peach Blossom Fan (World Premiere)**

REDCAT (WALT DISNEY HALL), Los Angeles, CA  
 Assistant Music Director / Rehearsal Pianist  
*dir. Chen Shi-Zheng*

**2003****Judy's Scary Little Christmas**

COURT THEATRE, Los Angeles, CA 2003  
 Music Director / Piano-Conductor  
*dir. Kay Cole*

**Songs For a New World (West Coast Premiere)**

LATC, Los Angeles, CA  
 Music Director / Piano-Conductor  
*dir. Jon Lawrence Rivera*

**Passion**

EAST WEST PLAYERS, Los Angeles, CA  
 Keyboardist

**2001****Flower Drum Song (Revised/Pre-Broadway Run)**

MARK TAPER FORUM, Los Angeles, CA  
 Assistant Music Director / Keyboardist