

August Santos Resume

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EDUCATION

Northampton High School (2021-2025)

- GPA: 3.923
- National Honors Society

Northeastern University (2025-)

- **Major:** Media and Screen Studies and Theater
- **Clubs:** Unisons A-Cappella, NUStage Musical Theater Co.

THEATER
EXPERIENCE

Assistant Director of NUStage’s Production of *Merrily We Roll Along*

NUStage Musical Theater Co. (September-December 2025)

- Staged many scenes independently, attended numerous production meetings, and took over for the director in their extended absence.

Assistant Director of NHS’s *Hadestown*

Northampton High School Theater (December 2024-March 2025)

- Helped design key elements of the show with the director, assisted and sometimes fully ran rehearsals, and gave detailed notes for actors during tech week.

Assistant Improv Leader

Take Two Theater Workshops (September 2023-May 2024)

- Helped lead and design improv games for middle schoolers, keeping them engaged and focused.

Director of Senior Capstone: “One Night Only”

December 2024-May 2025

- Directed and produced 17 solo musical theater pieces in a black box space, overseeing all aspects of production from concept to performance, including scheduling, rehearsals, staging, set design, props, and lighting elements.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Camp Counselor

Arcadia Wildlife Sanctuary (June-August 2026)

- Designed and led daily nature-based lesson plans, guided hikes, and interactive activities for children aged 4-9. Fostered environmental awareness, teamwork, and ensured safety of campers. Previous experience as a Counselor in Training from 2022-2025.

Associate News Producer

Northampton High School's "The Transcript" (February 2023-January 2025)

- Led pitch meetings, ensured timely broadcasts, and assisted with production. Interviewed Rachel Maddow on her book tour. Developed and produced multiple recurring segments, including Weekday Wake-Up, Cold Open, and many other one-off entertainment and news related segments. Featured as a performer in many narrative shorts.

SKILLS

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| • Leadership | • Directing/Blocking |
| • Premiere Pro/After Effects | • Interviewing Skills |
| • Google/Microsoft Suite | • Scheduling Coordination |
| • Canva | • Improv |
| • Youth Supervision (Ages 4-13) | • Social Media |
| | • First Aid/CPR Certified |

AWARDS AND
NOMINATIONS

- AP Scholar
- NATAS Student Production Award: Arts and Entertainment/Cultural Affairs, Boston/New England Chapter
- NATAS Student Production Award: Talent-Performer, Boston/New England Chapter
- NATAS Student Production Award Nomination: Talent-Performer, National