

Visual Documentation: Production & Workshop Photos

- **Photo 1: DL3A1016-1.jpg** – An inside look at a dynamic training session with our **ACTivate Youth Company**, demonstrating our commitment to accessible, high-quality youth arts education.
- **Photo 2: DL3A6224-2.jpg** – A production still from the **Rose's Turn Cabaret** (November 2025). This performance used music and comedy to center, celebrate, and amplify the voices of women of a "certain age."
- **Photo 3: IMG_8850.jpg** – The workshop presentation of **Borden: The Musical**, featured in the 2026 **Voices HEaRd Festival**. This presentation engaged local audiences in the creative process, inviting vital feedback to shape a brand-new musical. The creative team originates from Central Kentucky and currently works professionally in New York City.
- **Photo 4: 544A7999_** – A production photo of **Disenchanted: The Musical**, the opening production of the 2026 **Voices HEaRd Festival**. This satirical piece subverts traditional pop-culture tropes, empowering its female characters to reclaim and rewrite their own narratives.

Video Documentation: Director Portfolio & Archival Footage

LINK: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_7QDISlzlzs

*This reel showcases the directorial and artistic vision of Co-Founder and Executive Artistic Director Vanessa Becker Weig, featuring benchmark projects from **Voices Amplified** and our foundational program, **The Girl Project**.*

Section 1 (0:00 – 1:27): Foundational Impact & Community Collaboration

- **0:00 – 0:45:** A curated retrospective of **The Girl Project** (2013–2015), illustrating our early work in youth empowerment through theater.
- **0:45 – 1:27:** Behind-the-scenes footage documenting the development of the **Just Us Moms Performing Project and Documentary** (2014), a deeply collaborative initiative produced in partnership with the *Step by Step* program.

Section 2 (4:45 – 7:03 & 9:00 – 10:15): Intergenerational

- This segment highlights **Bodies Amp'd**, a pandemic-era digital residency that served as the blueprint for our current **Generations Project**. This initiative provided a vital, cross-generational virtual creative space for women of all ages. The culminating documentary was screened in early 2022 at the **Pam Miller Downtown Arts Center**. Featured excerpts include:
 - ***Backstage Romance***: A joyful movement piece celebrating body positivity and sensuality across diverse ages, shapes, and sizes.
 - ***Inheritance and Legacy***: A spoken word and multi-media exploration of ancestral matriarchy and the enduring legacies women leave behind.
 - ***Haunting***: A hauntingly evocative piece confronting shared systemic and personal anxieties.