

PATRICK FRETWELL

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TEACHING

Teaching Assistant and Leader of “Fight Club”

08/2022 – 05/2023

University of Houston School of Theatre and Dance

Coached fights under the leadership of Adam Noble for SAFD Certifications (each student passed their Skills Proficiency Test from the SAFD).

Teaching Assistant – Texas Intensive (TXI)

09/2023, 09/2024

University of Houston – Downtown

Assisted SAFD Fight Directors in classes on knife, intimacy, rapier & dagger, and unarmed combat.

Guest Artist – Intimacy Direction Workshop

03/24

Texas A&M University

Assisted Adam Noble with implementing “The Noble Method” in a morning workshop, covering boundaries, blessings, blueprints, and bookmarks; coached undergraduate scenes involving intimacy.

FIGHT DIRECTION

<i>Fiddler on the Roof</i>	Unarmed	A.D. Players
<i>All's Well That Ends Well</i>	Unarmed	University of Houston
<i>Dracula*</i>	Unarmed and Knife	Classical Theatre Company

*Assistant Fight Direction

ACTING/COMBAT

<i>Macbeth</i>	Knife	Houston Shakespeare Festival
<i>Much Ado About Nothing</i>	Unarmed	Houston Shakespeare Festival
<i>Cymbeline</i>	Quarterstaff	Houston Shakespeare Festival
<i>Romeo and Juliet</i>	Unarmed/Knife	Furman Playhouse
<i>Shakespeare in Love</i>	Rapier	Wortham Theatre
<i>Fidelio</i>	Unarmed	Glow Lyric Theatre (SC)

FIGHT CAPTAIN

<i>Taming of the Shrew</i>	Unarmed	Classical Theatre Company
<i>Macbeth</i>	Knife/Broadsword	Houston Shakespeare Festival
<i>Much Ado About Nothing</i>	Unarmed	Houston Shakespeare Festival
<i>Cymbeline</i>	Quarterstaff/Sword & Shield	Houston Shakespeare Festival
<i>King Lear</i>	Quarterstaff/Broadsword/Unarmed	Houston Shakespeare Festival
<i>The Learned Ladies</i>	Unarmed	Wortham Theatre

CERTIFICATIONS (SAFD) – ACTOR COMBATANT

Rapier & Dagger	Recommended Pass	J. David Brimmer
Unarmed	Recommended Pass	J. Allen Suddeth
Single Sword	Basic Pass	J. Allen Suddeth

(Experience as well in knife, quarterstaff, and sword and shield)

TRAINING

University of Houston M.F.A. – Professional Actor Training Program

Furman University B.A. – Theatre Arts & Communication Studies