

Megan Wells

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Megan Wells combines real world entrepreneurial experience with charismatic presentation gifts and leadership skills.

Megan Wells Tells, National Award Winning Story Artist, 1990 - Present

2016 National Storytelling Network Oracle Award: Circle of Excellence

Write, adapt and perform stories for National, Regional and local festivals, Museums, Libraries, Assisted Living Facilities, Women's Clubs, Churches, live city venues, etc. (Now on-line Zoom programming)

Write, adapt and perform stories with business objectives for Corporations

Write, adapt, and perform stories with learning objectives for all levels of schooling from K-12 through college.

FIRE IN BOOMTOWN winner of 3 National Awards

Leadership Training and Corporate Story Consultant, 2007 - Present

Training Consultant with Ovation Communications: teaching presentation skills, emotional intelligence and storytelling

Story Facilitator with Witmer & Associates, Unleashing the Leader Program: teaching business storytelling skills.

Story Consultant to Scot Forge: interpreting culture through live story collection and presenting captured stories to shape future culture integrity.

Story Consultant to Energy Infuser: interpreting brand stories as a guide to clarify identity as well as new product development.

Resident StoryArtist, Chicago Symphony Orchestra, 2011 - 2017

Create and perform pre-school family programming of storytelling with classic music

Story/Teacher/Presentation Coach and Teacher, 1987 - Present

Coaching/Teaching individuals and classes in the art of storytelling structure, writing and delivering effective stories, speeches, presentations, and workshops.

Creator/Teacher/Director of Elementary School Drama Club, 2007 – 2013

Creator of a highly successful drama program for 5th and 6th grade students; wrote customized scripts adapting folktales and classical literature.

Artistic Director and Artistic Consultant, 2005 to present

Madison Street Theater, Oak Park, IL / Ray Bradbury Storytelling Festival, Waukegan, IL

MFA Directing, Illinois State University, 1985 Recognized as a teaching degree

BFA Theater, Illinois Wesleyan University, 1981

Ed Press Distinguished Achievement Award, Parent's Choice Gold Award, Parent's Magazine award for 25 best educational CD's in 25 years, Joseph Jefferson award for Direction, Chicago Theater; Joseph Jefferson nomination for Solo Performance 2020