

## **SET DESIGNER:**

Some examples of each element given to start you off...

| Practitioner/<br>Theatre<br>Company or<br>Style | Research:<br>Key Findings  | Key elements  | Colour   | Materials  | Design<br>Specifics  | Collaboration<br>with other<br>designers                              | Collaboration with actors  | Specification<br>Implications   |
|---|--|---|--|--|--|---|--|---|
| BERTOLT<br>BRECHT                               | Epic theatre  Theatre to educate and/or prompt debate  Set changes made in full view of audience | Open, bare uncluttered spaces; Props only present if used; Certain detailed items e.g. cart in <i>Mother Courage</i> ; Use of text, slogans, placard; Projection and AV | Overall style of scene or devised piece - Natural colours of materials for certain elements of furniture? Props? | Real re: locations - Industrial location: corrugated iron etc Rural location: Sacking material Modern day? | Creating an environment - No need for realism - No need for set dressing | Style of costume - Lighting style e.g. stark, bold, non-naturalistic? | Non-naturalistic - Audience address? - Interaction with audio-visual elements? | Minimal requirements re: uncluttered space - Levels? - Projection screen or surface to project onto |





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| FRANTIC<br>ASSEMBLY                             |                           |              |        |           |                     |  |                              |                               |
| ANTONIN<br>ARTAUD                               |                           |              |        |           |                     |  |                              |                               |
| KATIE<br>MITCHELL                               |                           |              |        |           |                     |  |                              |                               |
| KNEE HIGH                                       |                           |              |        |           |                     |  |                              |                               |





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| STANISLAVSKI                                 |                           |              |        |           |                     |  |                           |                               |
| COMMEDIA                                     |                           |              |        |           |                     |  |                           |                               |
| RESTORATION<br>COMEDY                        |                           |              |        |           |                     |  |                           |                               |