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Profile

I am a qualified freelance lighting technician and designer with 5 years professional experience in the industry. I work on a wide variety of productions, from corporate events to theatrical productions, concerts, and award ceremonies. I am also a skilled truss climber and am comfortable at heights; I hold an IPAF licence for scissor lifts and self propelled booms. Additionally I am proficient in AutoCAD and Vectorworks.

Employment

SELF EMPLOYED SOLE TRADER, — 2006 - DATE

Freelance lighting technician and lighting designer working on a vast variety of projects, including live events, conferences, and theatre.

CASUAL VENUE TECHNICIAN, THE COCKPIT THEATRE, LONDON — APRIL 2006 - 2008

Held primary responsibility for all technical aspects of productions including lighting, sound, and scenic construction. Liaised with visiting companies for all their technical requirements. Was also appointed as the sole venue technician.

MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN, LIGHTING PARTNERS, LONDON — 2004 - 2005

Responsible for maintaining, cleaning and repairing second hand lighting equipment as well as preparing and dispatching orders.

LIGHTING TECHNICIAN FOR AUKES THEATRETECHNIEK, THE NETHERLANDS. — 2002

Responsibilities included preparation and returns of hire equipment, maintenance of hire stock as well as working as a lighting technician on numerous events.

Education

- 2006 City and Guilds 1810 Part 1 & 2: Entertainment and Theatre Electrician - City of Westminster College
- 2005 2:1 BA Hons Lighting Design - Rose Bruford College
- 2002 International Baccalaureate (32 Points) - The American School of The Hague, The Netherlands.

Additional information and skills

- 2008 Vari*Lite series 300, 500, 1000, and 3000 Technical Training
- 2007 IPAF Powered Access Licence: Scissor Lifts and Self Propelled Booms.
- 2007 Safety Pass Alliance (SPA) Event Production Industry Safety Passport.
- 2006 Basic Truss Climbing, Rope Access and Rigging Course complying with the European Council Directive 2001/45/EC.
- 2003 Full clean UK Driving License
- Comprehensive computer skills. Proficient using AutoCAD 2007 and Vectorworks Spotlight 11.5, Adobe Photoshop, Dreamweaver, Excel, Word, etc.
- The Association of Lighting Designers: Associate member (ALD # 1421)
- Fluent in French and intermediate in Dutch.

Interests & Hobbies

Photography, web design, mountaineering, and skiing.

Further information and references

A detailed portfolio of work can easily be viewed online at www.willgallegos.co.uk

Referees are available on request.

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Experience Portfolio

THE LISTS BELOW REPRESENT A SELECTION OF WORK DONE OVER THE PAST FIVE YEARS.

Lighting Engineer

2010	Katherine Jenkins Believe Tour	UK Arena Tour
2010	Hope for Haiti Now London recording	The Hospital Studios, Covent Garden
2010	The National Television Awards	The O2 Arena, London
2009 - 10	The Sound of Music Tour (moves only)	UK Tour
2009	U2 360° tour	Camp Nuo, Barcelona, San Sero, Milan
2009	The King and I	The Royal Albert Hall
2009	G20 London Summit	ExCel Centre, London
2009	Classical Spectacular	Albert Hall, Echo Arena, MEN Arena,
2009	Carmen	The Royal Albert Hall
2008	Sports Personality of The Year	Echo Arena, Liverpool
2008	Strictly Gershwin	The Royal Albert Hall
2008	Fiat 500 Launch	The London Eye
2008	The Classic Rock Awards	Park Lane Hotel, Picadilly
2008	Afrika! Afrika!	The tented places at the O2 Arena
2008	Nicole Farhi Fashion Show	The Royal Opera House Floral Hall
2008	Toyota Exhibition	ExCel Centre, London
2008	KPMG Roadshow	National Tour
2007	Swan Lake	The Royal Albert Hall
2007	Dancing on Ice	Elstree Film Studios
2007	Coca Cola conference	Wembley National Stadium
2007	Phillips Future World Exhibition	Earls Court 2
2006	Various productions	Opera Holland Park
2006 - 10	Corporate Functions: Various. The Natural History Museum, Tate Modern, Somerset House, City Hall, The Tower of London, The National Portrait Gallery, The Bank of England, Grosvenor House, The Science Museum.	

Lighting Design

2009	The Flies	Camden Peoples Theatre	Echange Theatre Company
2008	Huh?	The Pleasance Theatre Studio	Directed by Marinda Botha
2007	Business	The Pleasance Theatre Studio	Echange Theatre Company
2007	The Exchange	Hackney Empire Studio	Echange Theatre Company
2006 - 08	Various productions at The Cockpit Theatre.		

CAD Draughtsperson

2007	Statement of Regret	Royal National Theatre
2006	Sunday in the Park with George	The Wyndhams Theatre
2006	Wolves in the Walls	National tour
2006	George Piper Dances	Sadler's Wells
2006	Mary Stuart	The Citizens Theatre Glasgow
2006	Big Balloon	Oily Cart National Tour