

Education

MFA	Theatre Design/Technology Continuing Education	(Lighting & Sound) (Theatre classes)	University of South Dakota (USD) Univ. of Nebraska at Kearney (UNK)	2008 2004-06
BA	Communication Arts	(Theatre)	Wartburg College	1979

Employment

Technical Theatre Associate/Lighting & Set Designer	GTCC - Creative & Performing Arts	2014-2015
Technical Director/Lighting Designer	College of Wooster Theatre & Dance Department	2008-2014

Teaching Experience

Guilford Technical Community College

-2014 to 2015 Oversee Stagecraft-1 class & teach practical construction applications in scene shop, and proper lighting & sound equipment operation & stage management duties & procedures.

College of Wooster

-2008 to 2014 THTD-12103 Stage Management Practicum. Individual & group meetings with stage managers to discuss safety, crew assignments, technical procedures.
Mentor student lighting designers with cue writing for Fall and Spring Dance Concerts using ETC Ion and/or ETC Express Light Board in main stage & black box productions.
Interview, hire, & mentor students for crews for ongoing work in technical theatre areas.
Daily instruction of lab students in scene shop, lighting, sound, and stage management.
-2011 Spring THTD-30208-01 Digital Mediums for Theatre & Stage Management
-2009 Taught sessions of Vectorworks for Lighting Design class & assisted students in drafting and printing class projects.

University of South Dakota

- Taught sections of THEA 100-U015, Introduction to Theatre, THEA 445-U015 Lighting Design, THEA 501-U035 Lighting and Sound Technology, supervised electrics shop areas and assisted in practical exams.

University of Nebraska at Kearney

- Supervised & taught students construction techniques in scene shop, lighting hang & focus and other areas.

Competent in teaching - Lighting Design I & II, Vectorworks, Lighting & Sound Technology, Sound Design, Stage Management, Stagecraft, Technical Direction, Scenic Design, Intro to Theatre, Theatre Appreciation, Production Practicum, other classes upon request.



Professional Membership

IATSE Local 631

Union Member-Stagehands

1997 to present

Lighting Design Experience -(selective)

<u>Production</u>	<u>Company/Venue</u>	<u>Director/Supervisor/Group</u>	<u>Year</u>
<i>Greater Tuna</i>	GTCC	Wm. Perry Morgan	2015
<i>Barefoot in the Park</i>	GTCC	Rosina Whitfield	2014
<i>Willy Wonka, Jr</i>	Medina Summer Theatre	Ansley Valentine	2014
<i>Spring Dance Concert</i>	College of Wooster	Kim Tritt	2009-13
<i>Jack & The Beanstalk</i>	Medina Summer Theatre	Ansley Valentine	2013
<i>The Little Mermaid</i>	Medina Summer Theatre	Ansley Valentine	2013
<i>Equus</i>	College of Wooster	S. Findley	2012
<i>Fall Dance Concert</i>	College of Wooster	Kim Tritt	2012
<i>Marat Sade</i>	College of Wooster	James Levin	2011
<i>Glass Menagerie</i>	College of Wooster	S. Findley	2011
<i>Iphigenia and Her Daughters</i>	College of Wooster	Season Ellison	2010
<i>A Gift of Song</i>	Wayne Center for the Arts	Carrie Culver	2010
<i>Spring Dance Concert</i>	College of Wooster	Student Choreographers	2010
<i>Spring Dance Concert</i>	College of Wooster	Parul Gupta – guest artist	2010
<i>Comedy of Errors</i>	College of Wooster	Season Ellison	2009
<i>A Flea in Her Ear</i>	College of Wooster	Ansley Valentine	2008
<i>The Lieutenant of Inishmore</i>	Univ. of South Dakota	Erik Hagen	2008
<i>Sherlock Holmes</i>	Black Hills Playhouse	Erik Hagen	2008
<i>Chicago</i> (Asst. Ltg. Design)	Univ. of South Dakota	Nanette Hofer	2007
<i>Macbeth</i>	Univ. of South Dakota	Ron Moyer	2006
<i>The Diviners</i>	Univ. of South Dakota	Roberta Rude	2006
<i>A Chorus Line</i>	Black Hills Playhouse	Justin Speck	2006
<i>Faith Healer</i>	Pivot Theatre Company	Stan Bailey	2006
<i>Family Tree</i>	Univ. of South Dakota	Nannette Hofer	2005
<i>The Vagina Monologues</i>	Univ. of Neb. Kearney	Janice Fronczak	2005
<i>Evening of Concert Dance</i>	Univ. of Neb. Kearney	Gary Schaaf	2004
<i>The Eclectic Rollercoaster</i>	The Tassel Theatre	Vicky DeWald	2003
<i>Into the Woods</i>	Univ. of Neb. Kearney	Dan Jones	2002
<i>A Flea in Her Ear</i>	Old Creamery Theatre Co.	Thomas Johnson	1978

Sound Design Experience

<i>The Rivals</i>	Univ. of South Dakota	Roberta Rude	2008
<i>The Taffetas</i>	Univ. SD Playhouse	Charlotte Guyette	2008
<i>The Laramie Project</i>	Univ. of South Dakota	April Hubbard	2007
<i>Cat on a Hot Tin Roof</i>	Univ. of South Dakota	class project	2006
<i>Zoo Story</i>	Univ. of South Dakota	class project	2006

Scene Design Experience

<i>Greater Tuna</i>	GTCC	Wm. Perry Morgan	2015
<i>The Valiant</i> (designed not produced)	GTCC	June Guralnick	2015
<i>The Rivals</i>	Univ. of South Dakota	Roberta Rude	2008
<i>Man of LaMancha</i>	Univ. of South Dakota	class project	2006
<i>Romeo and Juliet</i>	Univ. of South Dakota	class project	2006

Technical Work Experience (selective)

<i>Greater Tuna</i>	Tech Theatre Assoc-GTCC	Wm. Perry Morgan	2015
<i>Barefoot in the Park</i>	Tech Theatre Assoc-GTCC	Rosina Whitfield	2014
<i>Willy Wonka, Jr.</i>	Medina Summer Theatre	Ansley Valentine	2014
<i>School House Rock</i>	Medina Summer Theatre	Ansley Valentine	2014
Theatre & Dance - All productions	TD - College of Wooster	Kim Tritt	2008-14
Guest Artists in Freedlander Theatre	TD - College of Wooster	2-4 each year	2008-14
<i>The Little Mermaid</i>	Medina Summer Theatre	Ansley Valentine	2013
<i>Jack & the Beanstalk</i>	Medina Summer Theatre	Ansley Valentine	2013
<i>Bugsey Malone</i>	Medina Summer Theatre	Ansley Valentine	2013
<i>The Golden Age</i>	TD-College of Wooster	Jimmy Noriega	2013
<i>Life is A Dream</i>	TD-College of Wooster	Jimmy Noriega	2013
<i>Equus</i>	TD-College of Wooster	S. Findley	2012
New Play Festival	TD-College of Wooster	student directors & designers	2012+14
<i>Las Meninas</i>	TD-College of Wooster	Jimmy Noriega	2012
<i>Marat Sade</i>	TD-College of Wooster	James Levin	2011
<i>Glass Menagerie</i>	TD-College of Wooster	S. Findley	2011
<i>Iphigenia</i>	TD-College of Wooster	Season Ellison	2010
<i>Mary Queen of Scots</i>	TD-College of Wooster	Penny Cole	2010
<i>Comedy of Errors</i>	TD-College of Wooster	Season Ellison	2009

<i>Letting Go</i>	TD-College of Wooster	S. Findley	2009
<i>Songs for a New World</i>	TD-College of Wooster	Carrie Culver	2009
<i>A Flea in Her Ear</i>	TD-College of Wooster	Ansley Valentine	2008
<i>The Taffetas</i>	Sound Operator-Univ. SD Playhouse	Charlotte Guyette	2008
All productions	Graduate Research Asst.-USD	Dennis Chandler	2005-08
<i>Of Mice & Men</i>	Master Electrician-USD	Charlotte Guyette	2007
<i>Hay Fever</i>	TD-USD	Nanette Hofer	2007
<i>The Real Thing</i>	Lighting Intern-Guthrie Theatre	Matthew Reihart	2006
<i>Forever Plaid</i>	Electrician/Carpenter-Univ. SD Playhouse	Scott Mollman	2005
<i>Secret Garden</i>	Master Electrician-USD	Matt Nesmith	2005
<i>Cabaret, Rumors</i>	Tech crew-UNK	Janice Fronczak	2001-02
<i>Into the Woods</i>	TD-UNK	Janice Fronczak	2002
<i>How I Learned to Drive</i>	TD-UNK	Janice Fronczak	2002
<i>Barefoot in the Park</i>	Fireside Dinner Theatre	Jack Parkhurst	2002
<i>On Golden Pond</i>	Fireside Dinner Theatre	Jack Parkhurst	2002
<i>The Imaginary Invalid</i>	Fireside Dinner Theatre	Jack Parkhurst	2003
Theatre Drafting	The Tassel Theatre	Vicky DeWald	2003
55 shows including	Carpenter-Oregon Shakespeare Festival	Tom Knapp	1981-86
<i>Two Gentlemen of Verona</i>	Carpenter-Oregon Shakespeare Festival	Tom Knapp	1981-86
<i>Inherit the Wind, Wings</i>	Carpenter-Oregon Shakespeare Festival	Tom Knapp	1981-86
<i>Romeo & Juliet</i>	Carpenter-Oregon Shakespeare Festival	Tom Knapp	1981-86
<i>Man & Superman</i>	Carpenter-Oregon Shakespeare Festival	Tom Knapp	1981-86
<i>Night of the Iguana</i>	Assoc. Carpenter-Missouri Repertory	Douglas Taylor	1981
<i>Lady Audley's Secret</i>	Assoc. Carpenter-Missouri Repertory	Douglas Taylor	1981
<i>Wings, Perfect Gentlemen</i>	Assoc. Carpenter-Missouri Repertory	Douglas Taylor	1981
<i>Talley's Folley, Picnic</i>	Assoc. Carpenter-Missouri Repertory	Douglas Taylor	1981
<i>Nutcracker Suite</i>	Tour SM, ATD-Des Moines Ballet	Kay McElrath	1980
<i>A Christmas Carol</i>	Tour SM, ATD-Des Moines Ballet	Kay McElrath	1980
All Road Shows & Events	ATD-Five Flags Civic Center	Mark Martens	1980
<i>Guys & Dolls</i>	Technician-Five Flags Theatre Co	Frank Sladek	1980
<i>Philadelphia Story</i>	Technician-Five Flags Theatre Co	Frank Sladek	1980
<i>The Drunkard</i>	Technician-Five Flags Theatre Co	Frank Sladek	1980
productions including:	Shop foreman-Indiana State Univ.	Gary Stewart	1980
<i>Can't Take It With You</i>	Shop foreman-Indiana State Univ.	Gary Stewart	1980

<i>What the Butler Saw</i>	Shop foreman-Indiana State Univ.	Gary Stewart	1980
<i>Something's Afoot, Buried Child</i>	Shop foreman-Indiana State Univ.	Gary Stewart	1980
<i>Cold Storage</i>	Technical Intern-Indiana Repertory Theatre	Chris Armen	1980
<i>Toys in the Attic, Descendants</i>	Technical Intern-Indiana Rep Theatre	Chris Armen	1980
<i>Born Yesterday, Twelfth Night</i>	Technical Intern-Indiana Rep Theatre	Chris Armen	1980
<i>Musical Mirage Express</i>	Tour Technician-Indiana Repertory	Bob Barnett	1980
<i>Ten Little Indians</i>	Apprentice-Old Creamery Theatre	Thomas Johnson	1978
<i>Death of a Salesman</i>	Apprentice-Old Creamery Theatre	Thomas Johnson	1978
<i>The Matchmaker</i>	Apprentice-Old Creamery Theatre	Thomas Johnson	1978
8 productions including:	Lighting Tech-Wartburg College	Joyce Birkeland	1976-79
<i>Cinderella, The Wizard of Oz</i>	Lighting Tech-Wartburg College	Joyce Birkeland	1976-79
<i>A Company of Wayward Saints</i>	Lighting Tech-Wartburg College	Joyce Birkeland	1976-79

Related Work Experience (selective)

Horizon Design	Sample & Pattern Maker	Susan Bigg	2000
IATSE Local 42	Stagehand		1999
IATSE Local 558	Stagehand	Donnie Stedman	1994-99

Awards and Honors

<i>Comedy of Errors</i>	Certificate of Merit-Lighting Design	American College Theatre Festival 2009
<i>Field of Dreams</i>	David L. Thayer Lighting Design	American College Theatre Festival 2006

Research and Service

--Consultant for Theatre relocation to High Point, drafted storage layout & construction ideas for High Point Theatre scenery storage, organized & implemented move of scene shop & lighting equipment	GTCC	2015
--Lighting Assistant for ACTF production of <i>Breath, Boom</i>	NC A&T University	Jan 2015
--Co-presenter ACTF workshop of Historical Theatrical Display	NC A&T University	Jan 2015
--Researched & submitted proposals for capital expenses for Theatre and Dance	College of Wooster	yearly 2008-2014
--Attended ETC CUE summer 5 day workshops on lighting	ETC - Madison, Wisc.	2011 & 2013
--Researched, submitted, oversaw bidding, demolition of patch panel and installation of dimmer per circuit in main theatre	College of Wooster	2011
--Co-advisor for student theatre groups	College of Wooster	2010
--Attended Entrepreneurship workshop & submitted proposals for future endeavors	College of Wooster	2010

--Developed and ran the first Tech Olympics for students at the end of the academic year	College of Wooster	2010
--Updated Production Handbook for Theatre & Dance	College of Wooster	2009
--Researched, requested bids, purchased ETC Ion light board	College of Wooster	2009-10
--Reworked sound equipment and lighting grid & equipment for use in Wise Studio and Shoolroy theatre for use by acting, dance, and technical theatre students	College of Wooster	2008-10
--Reorganized and built storage for scenery, furniture, props	College of Wooster	2008-10
--Member of search committees for Theatre & Dance positions	College of Wooster	2008-10
--Instrumental for smooth transition and preparation between COW academic theatre and OLO summer theatre and restore for academics in the fall. Create & update manual for check in/out.	College of Wooster	2008-10
--Participated & organized ACTF participating students to Saginaw, Michigan	College of Wooster	2009
--Participated in Movement & Light workshop with Dana Reitz & Jennifer Tipton	University of Minn.-Duluth	2008
--Oversaw lighting for participating production to Omaha, NE. for ACTF presentation. <i>Of Mice and Men</i>	University of South Dakota	2007
--Researched, bid, purchase, set-up of equipment for light lab	University of South Dakota	2007
--Dean's Student Advisory Committee	University of South Dakota	2007-08
--Created Backstage Safety Handbook	University of Nebraska-Kearney	2003
--Created Fact Book for Theatre Dept.	University of Nebraska-Kearney	2003