

Brianna Maruco (She/Her)

Lighting Designer and Electrician

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Selected Technical Experience

<i>What the Constitution...</i>	Light Board Operator	KC Repertory Theatre	2023
<i>Pellèas et Mèlisande</i>	Head Deck Electrician	Santa Fe Opera	2023
<i>Tipton</i>	Light Board Operator	KC Public Theatre	2023
<i>Tartuffe</i>	Lighting Designer / Head Electrician	Benedictine College	2023
<i>Faustus</i>	Light Board Operator	KC Public Theatre	2022
<i>Eurydice</i>	Lighting Designer / Head Electrician	Benedictine College	2022
<i>Little Shop of Horrors</i>	Stage Mgr. / Asst. Light Des. / H. E.	Benedictine College	2022
<i>The Trojan Women</i>	Lighting Designer / Head Electrician	Benedictine College	2021

Work Experience

The Santa Fe Opera - Lighting Apprentice 2023

Worked as an electrician to help light five operas in outdoor rotating repertoire. Worked daily with a team to recolor and focus over 250 lights and place fixtures on deck, then struck color and deck fixtures after each show. Led setup of deck for one opera and operated a followspot for select shows. Other responsibilities included updating inventory and creating practical fixtures.

KC Fringe Festival - Venue Technician 2024

Setup lights, sounds, and projections for all six shows at a venue. Communicated with producers to learn and meet needs for each show. Ran lights for all shows and ran sounds for three shows as well. Coordinated between actors, house, and the booth to start shows on time.

Skills

Wiring practical light fixtures and LED tape
Contact and In-Line Soldering
Operating light and sound boards
Conventional followspot operating
Using Batteries and RC4 Wireless Dimming
Working with wood and foam
Can fit into tight spaces
Intimacy Best Practices
Stage Combat
Sewing
Valid driver's license

Technology Proficiencies

EOS Family System
Vectorworks drafting in 2D and 3D
QLab
HTML, PHP
Java, Python, C, Assembly, SQL, Swift
Microsoft Word, PowerPoint, Excel
Premiere Pro
OBS

Education

B.A. Theatre Arts / B.A. Computer Science Benedictine College, Atchison KS May 2023

References

Hannah Mackey Head Electrician The Santa Fe Opera	Nathan Bowman, Ph.D. Producing Artistic Director KC Public Theatre	Derek Trautwein Former Chair of Theatre and Dance Benedictine College
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Contact information for references available on request