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Profile

As a highly skilled engineer, I have substantial experience in sound systems, acoustics, electronics, IoT systems, and programming languages. My expertise started in Sound Engineering and then expanded towards Electronics Engineering following a desire to understand the technology in depth. As a detail-oriented and analytical problem solver, I can diagnose and troubleshoot issues in various systems to ensure that projects are completed and excelling in performance. I have professional experience mainly comprised in the production of live theatre and music shows. These range from technical manager to sound engineer and lighting operator. All the work carried out over the years has given me the drive to enhance my skills and expand my knowledge of related technologies. Always looking to provide a good work environment that strengthens efficiency and quality.

Education

BSc Sound Engineering,

University of West London

PgDip Advanced Electronic and Electrical Engineering,

Queen Mary University of London

Dante Certification Level 3, Audinate

Skills

- Audio over IP implementation.
- Proficient in various DAWs such as:
- Pro Tools, Ableton Live and Logic
 Pro
- Experience with various AV systems, including live and commercial sound systems.
- Recording, Mixing and Mastering Audio.
- Proficient in multimedia software such as:
 QLab and Multiplay.
- C, C++, Python and Matlab programming.
- Knowledge of digital and analog electronics.

Highlights

- Exceptional interpersonal and communication skills.
- Attentive to detail.
- Excellent teamwork, collaboration, and leadership.
- Proactive and self-motivated.
- Upbeat, outgoing, and positive.
- Highly responsible and reliable.

Experience

2023-Present - Technical Manager - People's Theatre Company

Sound Engineer and Technical manager. In charge of all the planning and liaising for the show with multiple venues. Coordinating the technical operations, setting up, and producing theatre shows around the UK and Ireland.

2019-Present - Duty Manager - Stonegate Group

Duty Manager/ Team Leader, supervising daily operations, training staff, planning and problem solving at various hospitality venues.

2017-2018 - AV Technician - Elegant Entertainers

Sound and lighting technician in live venues and hotels for all kinds of events.

2015-2016 – Leaflet distribution – Olhão Seafood Festival Distribution of event publicity.

2012-2017 - Freelance Sound technician / Roadie

Assisting various bands and artists with the setup and upkeep of their equipment for various performances.

2010-2016 – Volunteer – Associação Algarvia de Pais e Amigos de Crianças Diminuídas Mentais

Volunteer at a school for children with special needs, assisting in all kinds of activities that promote the student's cognitive development.