

## CV (Internet)

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### Relevant Education

1990 - 1992 Bristol Old Vic Theatre School  
(Stage Management & Technical Course)

### Professional Experience

Since leaving college I have been a freelance lighting designer, programmer and operator, gaining particular experience in intelligent lighting systems and control. I have designed lighting and operated conventional and intelligent lighting systems for a variety of different events in the entertainment and corporate industries, including theatre, conference, concert, fashion and road shows. I am used to travelling in the course of my work, and have done considerable work internationally.

### Technical Experience

I am well versed in a wide range of equipment, particularly the following.

#### Control

- Wholehog II & III.
- LSD Icon.
- Avolites Pearl , Sapphire & Diamond.
- Lightwave Research Intellabeam & Cyberlight LCD.
- Various Strand Desks including GSX, LBX, Gemini II and Galaxy.
- Arri Mirage & Imagine.
- Zero 88 XL, XLS and Sirius.
- Celco Baby, Series II, Navigator and Pathfinder.
- Various Other Control Desks.
- Remote MIDI / SMPTE Control.

#### Intelligent / Moving Lights

- HES / Lightwave Research Trackspot, Intellabeam, Cyberlight CX, Cyberlight , Studio Color, Technobeam, Studio Spot, Studio Beam, X Spot.
- Vari\*Lite Series 300 (VL5 and VL6). I have completed the Vari\*Lite DMX training course.
- Vari\*Lite 2500 & 3000
- Clay Paky Miniscan, GoldenScan III, Goldenscan HPE, Superscan Zoom and Stage Scan.
- Martin Professional, MAC 250, MAC 300, MAC 500, MAC 600 & MAC 1200
- MAC 2000 Wash, Performance & Profile.
- Light & Sound Design trained Icon & Washlight Technician. Icon Control Desk
- A Range of colour scrollers.

#### Conventional Lighting

- Almost Everything.

**CAD**

- Starlite Systems Stardraw 2D & 3D.
- WYSIWYG R.17

**Secondary Skills & Further Information**

Full, clean driving licence.

Experience with PCs and The Internet and computer networking.

Basic rigging experience.

Some LASER experience.

Basic Spoken French.

British Passport.

IPAF Drivers Licence (S & B)

PADI Open Water Diver

Private Pilots Licence (A)

**A Selection Of Shows & Credits.**

KPMG Corporate Event:	Lighting Designer, Programmer & Operator. LASER show designer.
Barclays Bank Conference:	Moving Light Programmer & Operator.
Boots Healthcare Conference:	Lighting Technician / Operator.
Jasper Carrot / Phil Cool Tour:	Lighting Designer / Operator. (3 UK Tours).
Midland Theatre Services:	Regular programming & Operation of Intelligent Lighting Systems.
Next Fashion Shows:	Programmer & Operator (Vari*Lite VL5). (Several Events).
Southampton Institute Summer Ball:	Lighting Designer, Programmer & Operator. (Several Events).
Charing Cross & Westminster Medical School:	Lighting Designer, Programmer & Operator. (2 Outdoor Events).
HBC Events:	Lighting Designer, Programmer & Operator. (Several Events).
Design Built Exhibitions:	Intellabeam Programmer.
Arena Productions:	Various Designs and Operation. (Several Events).
Stage Techniques:	Lighting Technician (1 Week Fashion Show Tour).
Birmingham Fireworks Spectacular:	Lighting Technician (Scans, Dimming & LSD Colourmag).
NEC Group:	I wrote and presented the lighting training course for the NEC Production Department.
Round Table National Conference:	Lighting Designer & Operator.
Lipotor Conference (Rotterdam):	Lighting Programmer & Operator.
ICL Conference (Brussels):	Lighting Designer & Operator.
Dunn & Bradshaw Conference:	Lighting Designer & Operator.
Citroen Xsara Launch:	Lighting Programmer & Operator.
Light & Sound Design:	Icon Prep. Rolling Stones (Europe).
Crown Product Launch:	Lighting Designer, Programmer & Operator (Marbella, Spain). Generics & Goldenscan HPES

EphMRA Conference (Munich):	Lighting Operator.
BBC Gardeners' World Live:	Lighting Programmer / Operator.
CIS Conference Road Show:	Lighting Designer, Programmer & Operator. (Generics, MAC500 / MAC600 / Miniscan HPE.
Fantasia Incrediball:	Lighting Designer & Operator. Generics, Intellabeam 700 & Trackspot
Citroen Xantia Launch:	Lighting Designer, Programmer & Operator. CP Miniscan HPE, MAC500 & Generics.
Son et Lumiere (Worcs Cathedral):	Lighting Designer, Programmer & Operator. Generics, HE Studio Color, CP Gscan HPE.
Marconi Communications	Lighting Designer.
Sky Digital Exhibition Stand (NEC)	Lighting Designer / Programmer & Operator.
BBC Home Front Celebrity Theatre (NEC)	Lighting Designer & Operator.
VDO Factory Opening	Lighting Designer & Operator.
Onyx Communications	Lighting Designer & Operator.
Sony Playstation Stand (ECTS)	Lighting Designer & Operator.
Compaq Stand (CeBit '99, Hanover)	Lighting Designer & Operator.
Sun Microsystems Paris Conference	Lighting Designer & Programmer.
Siebel European Roadshow	Lighting Engineer & Rigger.
Our House TV Studios (Carlton TV)	Lighting Programmer & Operator.
Independent Conference (Spain)	Lighting Designer & Operator.
Pop 2000 (NEC)	Lighting Programmer & Operator.
BP / Castrol Conference (Cyprus)	Lighting Designer.
Orange Telecom	Architectural Lighting Designer (Sky Beam)
Chance Promotions	
Legends Of Rock	Lighting Designer
Stage Electrics NEC (various)	Lighting Designer, Moving light programmer Operator
NEC Creative Department (various)	Lighting Designer
Upton Water Festival (Son et Lumiere)	Lighting Designer & Operator
Baptists World Conference (NIA 2005)	Lighting Designer & Operator
Round Table Centenary (NIA 2005)	Lighting Designer & Operator
ATOS Corporate Tour 2005	Lighting Designer & Operator
The Streets Tour 2005	Lighting Designer & Operator
V Festivals (The Streets) 2005	Lighting Operator
T in The Park (The Streets) 2005	Lighting Operator
Oxygen Ireland (The Streets) 2005	Lighting Operator
ATOS Tour 2006	Lighting Designer & Operator
Boots Conference (MediaMaker)	Production Management

Referees:

Available on request

Portfolio:

There are a large selection of photos of lighting designs I have realised on [www.lightunlimited.co.uk](http://www.lightunlimited.co.uk). Just follow the Gallery link at the top of the web page.