

MATTHEW SMITH

STAGE MANAGER AND THEATRE TECHNICIAN

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Profile

Organised and dependable Stage Manager and Theatre Technician with experience across a variety of productions. Confident in managing rehearsal schedules and maintaining detailed prompt books. Skilled in calling cues accurately during performances and ensuring smooth communication between teams. Has experience with sound and lighting operation, offering technical support when needed. A calm and focused individual with excellent attention to detail, dedicated to the success of every production.

Education

BA (Hons) Production Technologies and Stage Management Royal Central School of Speech and Drama	September 2025 - Present
UAL Level 3 Extended Diploma in Production Arts Gateshead College (Distinction)	September 2024 - July 2025
UAL Level 3 Diploma in Production Arts Gateshead College (Distinction)	September 2023 - July 2024
GCSEs and BTECs St Aidans Catholic Academy (Grades 5-7 and L2 Distinction)	September 2017 - July 2022

Experience

Production	Location	Role	Company
Shrek: Summer Workshop Show	Sunderland College Theatre	Co-Producer / DSM / Sound Designer	Northern Star Theatre Arts (Aug 25)
The Addams Family: Summer Workshop Show	Sunderland College Theatre	Co-Producer / DSM / Sound Designer	Northern Star Theatre Arts (Jul 25)
Grease	Baltic Theatre	Production Manager	Gateshead College (May 25)
Ravers (National Theatre Connections)	Baltic Theatre / Newcastle Theatre Royal	Lighting Designer	Gateshead College (Apr 25)
Stars in the Spotlights	Sunderland Empire	Co-Producer / DSM / Sound Designer	Northern Star Theatre Arts (Mar 25)
Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs	Tyne Theatre and Opera House	LX Operator	Enchanted Entertainment (Dec 24 - Jan 25)
Gerry and Sewell	Newcastle Theatre Royal	Deputy Stage Manager	Eastlake Productions (Oct 24)

Aladdin: Summer Workshop Show	Sunderland College Theatre	Co-Producer / DSM / Sound Designer	Northern Star Theatre Arts (Aug 24)
Mamma Mia: Summer Workshop Show	Sunderland College Theatre	Co-Producer / DSM / Sound Designer	Northern Star Theatre Arts (Jul 24)
City of Stars	Sunderland Empire	Co-Producer / DSM / Sound Designer	Northern Star Theatre Arts (Jun 24)
The Addams Family	Baltic Theatre	Lighting Designer and Operator	Gateshead College (Jun 24)
Consensual	Baltic Theatre	Stage Manager / DSM	Gateshead College (May 24)
Blood Brothers	Baltic Theatre	Lighting Designer and Operator	Gateshead College (Feb 24)
Winter Showcase	Sunderland College Theatre	Sound Designer and Operator	Northern Star Theatre Arts (Nov 23)
Theatre For Children	Tour of Gateshead Primary Schools	Lighting Designer and Operator	Gateshead College (Nov 23)
Legends and Icons	Baltic Theatre	Deputy Stage Manager	Gateshead College (Sep 23)
Six: Summer Workshop Show	Sunderland College Theatre	Co-Producer / DSM / Sound Designer	Northern Star Theatre Arts (Aug 23)
We Will Rock You: Summer Workshop Show	Sunderland College Theatre	Co-Producer / DSM / Sound Designer	Northern Star Theatre Arts (Jul 23)

Other Employment

Casual Technician Phoenix Theatre Blyth and Roker Hotel - Stage Door Events	February 2025 - August 2025
Customer Experience Team Member Sunderland Empire - ATG Entertainment	July 2024 - August 2025
Stage Manager and Theatre Technician Northern Star Theatre Arts	April 2023 - August 2025
Crew Member North Moor Road - McDonald's UK	July 2022 - December 2023

References

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