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PROJECTS

[Knott's Berry Farm](#), Buena Park, CA — FX Technician
May 2022 — Present

Fabricate, program, install, and maintain pneumatic and electrical animatronic systems and special effects for events and park shows.

[Pirate's Cave Haunt](#), Orange, CA — Creative Director
September 2019 - Present

2019: Constructed walk-through attraction, installed lighting, program show controllers, manage 5 social media platforms and our website, film and edit various videos for Youtube channel.

2020: Wrote a 7-minute story for the live stage show "Pirate's Cave Origins". Edited multi-screen video presentation including sound effects pass. Other duties included set design and construction, DMX lighting installation, and programming for show control via Director software. The completed show included 20 DMX lights, 2 video projectors, 2 fog machines, dimmable lights, and automated props & lighting. Manage 5 social media platforms and redesigned our website. Create a storyboard, script, film, and edit announcement trailer for "Pirate's Cave Origins". Film and edit 4 part docu-series "Origins Behind the Screams" for our Youtube channel.

2021: Designed & constructed walkthrough haunted attraction 3X the size of our previous walkthroughs. The highlights being: computer controlled simulated elevator, dropping bridge, and DMX lighting. My Duties included: develop storyline, concept art, sound design, video editing, construction, scenic painting, programming DMX lighting & show scenes, website design, social media marketing, set up ticket reservation system, lighting design, and prop fabrication. 4,700 people attended the event over 9 nights and the attraction was well received.

SKILLS

Production Design
Graphic Design
Multimedia Editing
Social Media Marketing

EDUCATION

[Villa Park High School](#)

Villa Park, CA
Aug 2018 - Jun 2022

[The Essential Art
Department Online
Crash Course 101](#)

February 2021 -
March 2021

Midsummer Scream, Pasadena, CA — *Construction & Lighting Supervisor. December 2021*

Installed sets, show lighting, and set pieces for Calhaunts "Christmas Carol" Themed display. Seasons Screaming is a Halloween convention in Pasadena, CA where 15,000 guests attended over three days. Calhaunts expressed the need for extra help, in which I volunteered my time over two days prior to the convention opening.

Creative Commotion, Orange, CA — *Youtube Documentary Director and Editor. November – February 2020*

Produced and edited a five part documentary series titled, "Origins: Behind the Screams". The documentary follows the creation of the highly lauded live stage show "Pirate's Cave Origins" from concept to reality.

Corona Haunt, Corona, CA — *Show control and DMX Lighting Supervisor. November – December 2020*

Provided equipment and training for the design team at Corona Haunt for their Christmas show, "[Dark Magic](#)". Helped train the team to install and troubleshoot DMX lighting. Further training included utilizing the [Director software](#) to sync lighting and props to a projection mapped show.