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### FILM & TELEVISION

The Grid - News Network, January 2014

Production Designer: Yoojung Han, Los Angeles CA. Indie Cable Broadcast News Program: Created Design Drawings for Newsroom Set pricing and construction.

Little Rascals, NBC/Universal Studios, September/October 2012

Musical Instrument, Prop Design/Construction. & Design Drawings/Waldo's Tree-house.

Production Designer: Rusty Smith, Art Direction: Rosario Provenza, Props Lead: Cynthia Nibler

Hip Hop Squares: Art Director (MTV2)

New Remote Productions Inc.

Zombies and Cheerleaders (Disney Pilot)

Design/Draw Period Pieces

Danni Lowinski (CW Pilot) Art Dept. Asst., Draftsman/Model Builder CBS Productions (CW)

BEASTLY (Reshoots, CBS Back-lot) Art Dept. Asst., Draftsman/Researcher

**CBS Film Productions** 

February/March 2012

Production Designer, John Gilles.

January, 2012

Production Designer: Rusty Smith

October, 2010 & January 2011

Production Designer: Rusty Smith

December, 2010

Production Designer: Rusty Smith



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# **CORPORATE ENTERTAINMENT EMPLOYMENT CLUB MED - Turquoise Holiday Village**

Club Med <sup>‡</sup> Providenciales, Turks and Caicos Islands, British West Indies

Entertainment Manager: Corentin Rioche

HR Manager: Hany Ghobrial (649) 946-5500 ext. 35313 - Chef De Village/General Manager: Michael Clarke

**Resort Set Designer** 

Responsibilities: Daily Set-up, Teardown, and maintenance of all nightly Main-stage Productions, Special Event and Holiday Presentations, nightly Restaurant Entrance Décor and Bar Parties, **Duration of Employment** as well as the design, construction, fabrication and painting of Hire Date: June 3, 2013 new productions while in residence. Departure Date: Nov 21, 2013

### **NEW PRODUCTIONS** from scratch while at Turquoise:

- CARNEVIL, A Poolside Spectacular. (Main-stage inclement weather version as well)
- A LION RISES, an African Show. (Main-stage)
- Pirate Night Restaurant Entrance & Party Décor.

### **NEW DESIGN for Existing Production & Events:**

- MUSIC FACTORY, A Pop Music Tribute, Beatles to Today. New Scenery/ Projections.
- FASHION SHOW: Weekly Village Square Stage & Main-stage inclement weather version.
- Special Event Main-stage FASHION SHOW (Diner, Drinks, Fashion Show & After Party)
- Club Med Children's Foundation Day of Giving. (Special Event)

### **AUGMENTATIONS**, updates, and revisions to existing resort productions:

- LOVE IS IN THE AIR, an Adult Game-show live on stage.
- DAKARA, White Night Cirque (indoor). Provided new Rear Wall Header.
- **BETWEEN TWO WORLDS**



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### **CORPORATE EMPLOYMENT**

Mattel Inc.

International Headquarters El Segundo, CA 310.252.2000

Contact: VP: Sean Sanders



#### **Duration of Employment**

Hire Date: June 1995Departure Date: Nov 2008

### **Manager / Art Direction: Worldwide Tradeshow Services**

2007 - 2008

Continue as Art Director of all Mattel Showrooms and Tradeshows generated through Tradeshow Services. Expanded responsibility for "Blue Sky" projects and conceptual non-showroom design including the following:

- Design and created 2007 updates of Mattel NY Showroom. (28 W. 23<sup>rd</sup> ST, NYC)
- Refurbish of Mattel Barbie Float for Macy\*s Thanksgiving Parade 2007
- Remodel of Mattel Corp Office for Mattel Venezuela.
- Décor Design for new Mattel Corp Office in Miramar FL. (Miami)
- Created Conceptual Designs of updated Corp look for Mattel HQ Lobbies.
- Design special event for Mattel Campus to reflect Mattel as Fortune Magazine 100 Best Places to Work.
- Design and oversee proposal for Mattel areas in new Dubai Hamleys Toy Store. (Barbie, Hot Wheels, Fisher-Price)
- Design and supervise new Radica Showroom for Mattel Toy Fairs. (Electronic Games)
- Design and create overall space concept & Décor for new 2008 NY Toy Fair Showroom at Jacob Javits Center, NYC.

2006

Art Director creative supervision over all Mattel Showrooms and Tradeshows generated through Worldwide Tradeshow Services. Responsible for "Blue Sky" projects and conceptual non-showroom design including the following:

- Design and created overall layout & Design of new Mattel NY Showroom. (28 W. 23rd ST, NYC)
- Refurbish of Mattel Barbie Float for Macy\*s Thanksgiving Parade 2006
- · Remodel of Mattel Corp Office in Minneapolis, MN
- Remodel Office for Corp Office in Japan

### **Gallery Design Specialist: Worldwide Tradeshow Services**

2001 - 2005

Designed and managed the <u>Barbie</u>, <u>Girls</u>, and <u>Ello</u> Brands for Mattel Toy Fairs, Pre-toy Fair, New York Toy Fair, Hong Kong Toy Fair and Nuremberg Toy Fair.

2000

Added to below: Designed Showroom for WB Entertainment Harry Potter Showroom.

1995 - 2000

Designed and managed the Showrooms for <u>Disney Entertainment</u>, <u>Disney Infant & Preschool</u>, <u>Polly Pocket</u>, <u>Cabbage Patch Kids</u>, <u>Large Doll</u> Brands for Mattel Toy Fairs, Pre-toy Fair, New York Toy Fair, Hong Kong Toy Fair and Nuremberg Toy Fair. Designed and organized Tradeshow Exhibits for:

- NY Licensing Show
- Intl Collector's Expo (Chicago & Long Beach)
- Western Toy & Hobby

Skill set for the above includes: Staff Management, Adobe Illustrator, Photoshop, Vectorworks Drafting, Sketching & Model Building. Word, Excel, etc.



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### THEATRICAL EMPLOYMENT

#### **SCENIC DESIGN EXPERIENCE**

### **BROADWAY**

Production Fences

Theater Company

**Director** Lloyd Richards

46th Street Theater (Richard Rogers)
American Theater Wing Award for Outstanding Design in the Theater

**OFF-BROADWAY** 

Production
Stars 'n Stripes
Our Lady of the Tortilla
The Poodle Sisters...

Rough Crossing (American Premier)

<u>Ariano</u>

One Two Three Four Five

Lady with a View

**Theater Company** 

The Wings Theater
Intar Theater
The Wings Theater
New Theater of Brooklyn
PR Traveling Theater

Manhattan Theater Club, 2nd Stage

PR Traveling Theater

Director

Max Ferra

Claude Purdy

Michael Hillyer Max Ferra Michael Hillyer Stephen Stetler Vincente Castro Gerard Gutierrez

**REGIONAL THEATERS** 

Ma Rainey's Black Bottom Pill Hill Miss Ever's Boys

Pecong A Sunbeam Speed-the-Plow

The Night of the Iguana
Joe Turner's Come and Gone

The Incredible Murder of Cardinal Tosca

The King and I
Citizen Thom Paine
Forces (Original Produ

Fences (Original Production)

Missouri Repertory Theater Hartford Stage Company

Alley Theater (Houston)/Dallas Theater Center

Newark Symphony Hall

Pittsburgh Public Theater (Premier)
Philadelphia Theater Company
Pittsburgh Public Theater
Pittsburgh Public Theater
Players Theater of Columbus
Burt Reynolds Jupiter Theater

Kennedy Center/Philadelphia Theater Company Curran Theater (San Francisco Try-out) James A. Doolittle Theater (LA Production)

Seattle Repertory Theater The Goodman Theater, Chicago Yale Repertory Theater (Premier) Pittsburgh Public Theater

Pittsburgh Public Theater
Missouri Repertory Theater
St. Louis Repertory Theater
Actor's Theater of Louisville
Yale Repertory Theater
Pittsburgh Public Theater
Queens College, Ontario Canada

STAGES, St Louis, Young Persons Theater

Marion McClinton Claude Purdy Dennis Zacek Claude Purdy Lynn Thompson Claude Purdy Claude Purdy Ed Grayck Crandall Diell Jim Simpson Lloyd Richards Lloyd Richards

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Claude Purdy
Claude Purdy
Tony Kushner
Rob Spera
Wole Soyinka
Claude Purdy

Michael Hamilton

<u>Fences</u> (Regional Post NY) <u>Fences</u> (Regional Post NY) <u>Golden Boy</u>

And a Nightingale Sang... A Play of Giants

Two Trains Running

The Good Woman of Setzuan

Alice In Wonderland

STOCK

The American Clock
The Homecoming
Citizen Thom Paine\*

\* Designed Costumes also.

The Downside

Williamstown Theater Festival (Main Stage) Williamstown Theater Festival (Man Stage) Williamstown Theatre Festival (2nd Stage)

New York Stage and Film Company

Austin Pendleton Jim Simpson

Ken Frankel

Jim Simpson

Tim Fort



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### STOCK EXPERIENCE CONTINUED

**Production** Into the Woods **Broadway Bound** The Music Man A Little Night Music

She Loves Me Hay Fever

A Life in the Theater Fiddler on the Roof Romance, Romance

A Day in Hollywood/A Night in the Ukraine

**Bad Dates** A Chorus Line

The Man of La Mancha

**Theater Company** Director Weston Playhouse, Vermont Malcolm Ewen Weston Playhouse, Vermont Stephen Stettler Weston Playhouse, Vermont Tim Fort

Weston Playhouse: Other Stages, Vermont Tim Fort Weston Playhouse, Vermont Malcolm Ewen Weston Playhouse, Vermont Tim Fort

#### **NATIONAL TOUR**

**Daedalus Productions** Gale Salus **Evita** 

**TOURING PRODUCTIONS** 

thea re Just Too Cool The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe

Charlotte's Web Dancing at Lughnasa

<u>Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood – King for a Day</u>

Theater West, LA School Tour Theaterworks USA Theaterworks USA

Rob Barron Weston Plavhouse & Fall Tour Stephen Stettler Mills Entertainment Jenn Rapp

**CONCERT PRODUCTIONS** 

Seasons In The City PROM

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Gateway Men's Chorus of St Louis Gateway Men's Chorus of St Louis Al Fisher, Artistic Dir. Al Fisher, Artistic Dir.

Susan Morgenstern

John Henry Davis

**DESIGN ASSISTANT EMPLOYMENT** 

**Production / Project Lead Designer Production Venue** Robin Wagner Chambers Street, NYC Hamburger Harry's Robin Wagner **London Production** Chess Robin Wagner **Pandemonium BR** Jupiter Theater Teddy and Alice Robin Wagner **Broadway Production** Robin Wagner Broadway Production City of Angels Robin Wagner Broadway Production Victor/Victoria Big, The Musical Robin Wagner **Broadway Production** Legs Diamond David Mitchel Broadway Production David Mitchel Broadway Production Meet Me in St. Louis Ain't Broadway Grand David Mitchel **Broadway Production** David Mitchel MGM Grand, Las Vegas **EFX** NY City Opera The Music Man **David Jenkins** The Garrison Keeler Show Live **David Jenkins** Radio City Music Hall Khovanshchina (Mussorgsky) Metropolitan Opera Ming Cho Lee

OTHER THEATER RELATED EXPERIENCE

Lead Scenic Artist 1981 Season Houston Shakespeare Assistant Property Man 1981 Season McCarter Theater, Princeton Lead Property Man 1985 Season Williamstown Theater Festival



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Skills for all above Theatrical Work include: Scene Painting, Sketching, Propping, Shopping, Researching, Project Management, etc.

# **FORMAL EDUCATION**

Yale School of Drama: MFA 1985
Donald Oenslager Scholarship

Scenic Design: Ming Cho Lee
Costume Design: Jane Greenwood
Lighting Design: Jennifer Tipton



Southern Methodist University: BFA 1981

• Scenic & Costume Design: Bill & Jean Eckart



<u>University of Kansas</u>: Lawrence Kansas, 1976 - 1978

• Honor Sophomore Society School of Drama, School of Architecture



Kirkwood High School: Graduate with Honors, 1976



### REFERENCES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST

