

# MICHAEL BLAGYS

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## ENTERTAINMENT PRODUCTION MANAGER AND DESIGNER

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### EDUCATION

University of  
Massachusetts,  
Amherst  
MFA Lighting Design  
2015

Le Moyne College  
BA Theatre Arts  
2011

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### SKILLS

Vectorworks  
Wrike  
MS Office  
AutoCAD

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### INTERESTS



### PROFILE

Michael has 12 years of experience in the entertainment industry. He started his career as a professional theatrical lighting designer and 5 years ago transitioned to production management. He is passionate about all things entertainment and the collaboration it inspires.

### EXPERIENCE

#### RWS Entertainment Group | NYC | 2019 - Present

##### Manager, Production Operations | 2022 - Present

Responsible for client communication, internal collaboration, maintaining budgets, and overall project deliverables. Notable clients: Legoland NY, Phoenix Zoo, Westfield malls.

##### Technical Project Manager | 2021 - 2022

Responsible for the installation of holiday decor across multiple Westfield mall centers. Assisted in managing communication with the Westfield client.

##### Production Manager | 2019 - 2020

Responsible for client communication, internal collaboration, maintaining budgets, and overall project deliverables. Notable clients: Holland America, Stone Mountain Park, Disney Cruise Lines.

#### Summer Theater of New Canaan | New Canaan, CT | 2019 - 2021

##### Production Manager

Responsible for the 2019 & 2021 summer outdoor theater seasons. Managed budgets and staff of interns and seasonal employees.

#### Wesleyan University | Middletown, CT | 2018 - 2019

##### Assistant Production Manager/92' Theater Manager

Responsible for the 92' Theater and all events within. Assistant Production Manager to the university theater department, helping manage all production aspects of each semester's shows.

#### Freelance Lighting Designer | 2010 - 2021

10 years as a freelance lighting designer for various theatrical productions. Notable organizations: Le Moyne College, Trinity College, Mountain Playhouse, Seven Angels Theater. Associate designer for LDs Matthew Richards and Dawn Chiang.

#### Mind Factory Escape Games | Bridgeport, CT | 2019 - Present

##### Experience and Design Consultant

Responsible for design and guest experience of 3 original escape rooms.