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## Key skills

- Automation operation
- Performer Flying operation and maintenance (both manual and automated)
- Rope access and rescue (working at height)
- Production management
- Stage management

## Training (ID & certificates available on request)

- Access & Rescue for Theatre & Stage (A.R.T.S.) Levels 1 & 2
- Sigma Access (IPAF) Safe use of Elevated Work Platforms
- Practical Pyrotechnics and Safety Awareness (Just FX)
- Member of The Association of Stage Pyrotechnicians

#### **Recent Career Summary – Key Roles**

Theatre Royal Drury Lane The Lord of the Rings Crew – Swing Automation cover (March 2007 - Present)

*St. Pancras International Royal Gala Opening Stage Management November 2007* 

Lyceum Theatre The Lion King Crew - Swing (October 2005 - March 2007)

(October 2005 - March 2007)

Royal Albert Hall BBC Proms Assistant Stage Manager (June 2005 - Sept. 2005) Short term contract

Mirificus Ltd Co-Producer/ Production Manager (2004 - Present)

- Helping to create show plots
- Responsibility for aerial performers (ESS)
- Appointed Crew Swing (9 plots)
- Automation cover (Silicon Theatre Scenery)
- Show maintenance
- Cast movement
- VIP Liaison
- Appointed Crew swing (14 plots)
- Operation of all of the shows' manual performer flying cues (Flying by Foy)
- LX Board op cover
- Automation system training (Jetter)
- Show maintenance
- Responsible for a crew in the preparation, load in and orchestral layouts and load outs.
- Liaising with orchestra managers to ensure all needs are met
- Mounting large scale theatrical projects
- Negotiating advertising contracts (e.g. Magic 105.4)
- Production management
- Budget and finance control

I have also worked on many other shows in the past in varying roles. A full list of the shows worked and the technical positions held is available on request. In addition, I have also done a large amount of freelance work in the areas of production load-ins/outs, working at height and stage management.

#### References

Kieran McGivern Lord of the Rings Theatre Royal Drury Lane Stage Door Russell Street London WC2B 5JF

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