

SAMUEL MAYNARD
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Extremely hard-working college student with a GPA of 3.81. Highly motivated with a strong drive for success and a passion for delivering high-quality service. Can perform well in a group or individually. Quick learner who is always willing and eager to acquire new skills.

EDUCATION

Alleman High School, Rock Island, Illinois

Graduated: May 2021

- GPA: 4.1/4.0
- Honors and Achievements: Principal's List all 8 semesters, Honor Roll all 8 Semesters, John O'Connor Scholar, Prudential Spirit of Community Award (State Level), QC Times Salute to Academics Award, Achieved the Rank of Eagle Scout

Black Hawk College, Moline, Illinois

Graduated: December 2022 (Associate in Arts)

- GPA: 3.81/4.0
- Honors and Achievements: Member of Phi Theta Kappa
- Clubs and Activities: Member of Kiwanis Club International

Pace University, New York, NY

- Earning a BFA in Technical Design for Stage and Screen

Certifications

- Dante I and II
- Driver's License
- First Aid/CPR

EXPERIENCE

Usher

Lyric Theater

- Lead patrons to seats and assist with various needs throughout the show
- Manage large groups of people effectively and efficiently
- Watch for camera and cell phone use during shows and address any issues that may arise
- Assist house manager in case of emergency

August 2023-Present

Manhattan, NY

Audiovisual Technician

Self-Employed

- Design, install, and repair audiovisual systems for clients
- Disc Jockey for weddings, dances, races, sound events, etc.
- Videograph events for clients, capturing special moments, and public events
- Design lighting and sound for local theaters
 - QLab Programming and operating
 - Evaluate and adjust lighting and sound systems based on needs of performers and facility
 - Provide and adjust hearing assistance devices for those who are hard of hearing
 - Work with a variety of lighting and sound consoles, program cues, and make adjustments as needed
- Direct lighting and sound design at local high schools
 - Educate Students about lighting design in performing arts spaces such as auditoriums, black box theaters, and gymnasiums
 - Assist students with sound and lighting design for musicals, plays, and special events.
- Technical Director at local theaters
 - Coordinate and assist with set design/construction in theater
 - Coordinate painting of set
 - Coordinate strike of set

May 2017 – Present

Lighting/Sound Assistant

Two River Theater

- Assist with load in and load out of shows
- Focus and adjust lighting for productions in both the black box theater and the mainstage theater
- Operate sound board and Qlab for productions
- Assist with the installation of sound specials
- Run routine sound checks before each performance and rehearsal to make sure system is running properly
- Troubleshoot and fix any lighting or sound issues that may arise before a production

January 2023-July 2023

Red Bank, NJ

Director of Operations

Bartlett Performing Arts Center

- Maintain lighting equipment by replacing bulbs, cleaning lenses, programming presets for basic use, and checking safety cabling
- Maintain sound equipment by routinely checking cabling, rebooting facility automation system routinely, and sorting cabling
- Set up/tear down for events and reset equipment back to base setup for generic use
- Assist with use of recording studio equipment in band and choir room
- Operate lighting/soundboard when needed
- Open and close building for events
- Provide both in-person and virtual tours to potential clients
- Prepare estimates and contracts
- Recommend upgrades and ideas to board representatives, providing pricing, alternatives, and project phases

June 2022 – December 2022

Moline, IL

Landscaper

Self-Employed

- Routinely service 11-15 yards on a weekly basis
- Developed a system to complete each yard efficiently while also providing quality service
- Provide snow removal services

May 2016 – December 2022

Moline, IL

Cashier

Menards

- Assist guests with questions
- Clean facility and take returned goods back to store departments
- Refill RV's, tanks, and vehicles with propane when requested
- Train new employees on cleaning, money handling, customer communication, POS, etc.

June 2021 – May 2022

Moline, IL