



ANDREW OKERSON

CREATIVE. DESIGNER. EDUCATOR

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EDUCATION

2024-2027 (EXPECTED)
UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO

- Master of Arts
 - Theatre Design

2011-2015
BALL STATE UNIVERSITY

- Bachelor of Arts
 - Telecommunications

SKILLS

- Project Management
- Safety
- Teamwork
- Time Management
- Design
- Effective Communication
- Critical Thinking

CERTIFICATIONS

- ESA Crowd Safety
- Dante 3
- Fork Lift/AWPs/MEWPs
- CPR

PROFILE

Andrew Okerson is a Theatre Designer based in Indianapolis, Indiana. He is currently the Technical Director for the Performing Arts Department at Carmel High School. Andrew is a proud advocate for theatre education. He enjoys sharing the world of technical theatre with the next generation of artists.

WORK EXPERIENCE

● **Carmel Clay Schools** 2018-PRESENT
Instructor of Light and Sound - Carmel HS

- Manage theatrical facilities including a 1400-seat Mainstage and a blackbox theatre.
- Teach Technical Theatre classes.
- Design and construct sets, lights, and sound for all productions.
- Coordinate within the department to ensure mutual success.

● **Mt. Vernon Community Schools** 2014-2018
Auditorium Manager

- Coordinated facility rentals, maintenance, and internal events.
- Led the student tech crew.
- Designed and built sets, lights, and sounds for all productions.
- Implemented organizational processes to enhance safety and time management.

● **Andrew Okerson Creative Design** 2014-PRESENT
Freelance Design Specialist.

- Created sound designs for NBA halftime shows
- Produced Interactive display pieces for arts festivals.
- Work with varied clients to provide creative solutions for live events.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

EDTA

Member

USITT

Member

Student Chapter Advisor