

LAUREL LADZINSKI

LIGHTING DESIGNER | ELECTRICIAN

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EDUCATION

PROGRAM | SCHOOL | YEAR

- Bachelor of Theatre Design and Technology | Colorado State University | Graduated Spring 2023
Minor in Creative Writing | Minor in Music
- MA University eLearning | elearning.malighting.com | 2023 – 2024
- Honors Program | Colorado State University | 2019 – 2023
- Theatre & Arts in the United Kingdom | Colorado State University | Summer 2022

LIGHTING DESIGN AND PRODUCTION EXPERIENCE

SHOW | POSITION | PRODUCER | DIRECTOR

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| ■ Finding Nemo Jr Lighting Designer Producer: Patrick Berger Director: Kimberly Jongejan | 2025 |
| ■ Witch Lighting Designer Director: Cody Van Otterloo | 2025 |
| ■ Steel Magnolias Lighting Designer Producer: Dave Clark Director: Shelly Gaza | 2025 |
| ■ Annie Jr Lighting Designer Producer: Carrie Colton Director: Jennifer Bartos | 2025 |
| ■ Frozen Jr Lighting Designer Producer: Carrie Colton Director: Wilson Hettinger | 2025 |
| ■ Something Rotten Jr Lighting Designer Producer: Carrie Colton Director: Fitz Turner | 2025 |
| ■ Zikr "Mysteries" Colorado Tour Lighting Designer Producer: Scott Spradlin Director: David Taylor | 2025 |
| ■ Oklahoma Jr Lighting Designer Producer: Carrie Colton Director: Matthew Dailey | 2025 |
| ■ Into The Woods Lighting Designer Producer: Scott Wright | 2025 |
| ■ Almost, Maine Lighting Designer Producer: Justin Corbe Director: Heather Frost | 2025 |
| ■ Oklahoma Lighting Designer Producer: Dave Clark Director: Kate Vallee | 2025 |
| ■ The Nutcracker Assistant Lighting Designer Producer: Brielle Oakes Director: Annalise Bodamer | 2024 |
| ■ Zikr "Secrets" Colorado Tour Lighting Designer Producer: Scott Spradlin Director: David Taylor | 2024 |
| ■ Reefer Madness Lighting Designer Producer: Sydney Smith Director: Kenny Moten | 2024 |
| ■ James and the Giant Peach Jr Lighting Designer Producer: Patrick Berger Director: Kimberly Jongejan | 2024 |
| ■ Shrek Jr Lighting Designer Producer: Patrick Berger Director: Lauren Lee | 2024 |
| ■ Riders in the Sky Lighting Designer Producer: Joe Patti | 2024 |
| ■ Gary Schmidt Piano Concert Lighting Designer Producer: Joe Patti | 2024 |
| ■ MacKinnon Dance Lighting Designer Producer: Joe Patti Director: Meridith MacKinnon | 2024 |
| ■ Moms Unhinged Comedy Lighting Designer Producer: Joe Patti | 2024 |

▪ Margarita Brothers Tribute Band Lighting Designer Producer: Joe Patti	2024
▪ Gregorian – Pure Chants Lighting Designer Producer: Joe Patti	2024
▪ Studio West Spring Recital Lighting Designer Producer: Matt Schlieff Director: Jennifer Knostman	2024
▪ Just for Kix Spring Recital Lighting Designer Producer: Matt Schlieff Director: Cindy Clough	2024
▪ Henry Dance Academy Lighting Designer Producer: Matt Schlieff Director: Mallory Henry	2024
▪ School of Rock Loveland Spring Showcase Lighting Designer Producer: Joe Patti Director: Mr. & Mrs. Silber	2024
▪ Mountain Dance: Dancing Through Change Lighting Designer Producer: Matt Schlieff Director: Stacy Montes	2024
▪ Beauty and the Beast Assistant Lighting Designer Producer: Matt Schlieff Director: Annalise Bodamer	2024
▪ Zikr “Invocation” Colorado Tour Lighting Designer Producer: Scott Spradlin Director: David Taylor	2024
▪ The Nutcracker Assistant Lighting Designer Producer: Matt Schlieff Director: Annalise Bodamer	2023
▪ Blind Boys of Alabama Lighting Designer Producer: Matt Schlieff Director: Jeff DeLia, Charles Driebe 2	023
▪ BOCO Flamenco Lighting Designer Producer: Matt Schlieff Director: Daniel Torres	2023
▪ Madagascar: A Musical Adventure Jr Lighting Designer Producer: Patrick Berger Director: Kimberly Jongejan	2023
▪ Longs Peak Scottish Irish Festival Busker, Lighting Designer Producer: Price Johnston	2023
▪ The Greatest Showman CDA Assistant Lighting Designer Producer: Matt Schlieff Director: Annalise Bodamer	2023
▪ Tiny Tots CDA Lighting Designer Producer: Matt Schlieff Director: Brielle Oakes	2023
▪ Machinal Lighting Designer Producer: Megan Lewis Director: Debbie Swann	2023
▪ Body Speaks Lighting Designer Producer: Emily Morgan Directors: Grace Gallagher, et. all.	2023
▪ Spring Awakening Head Lighting Designer Producer: Megan Lewis Director: Noah Racey	2022
▪ Longs Peak Scottish Irish Festival Busker, Lighting Designer, and Electrician Producer: Price Johnston	2022
▪ Cosí fan Tutte Head Lighting Designer Producer: Dan Goble Director: Tiffany Blake	2022
▪ These Seven Sickneses Assistant Lighting Designer Producer: Megan Lewis Director: Saffron Henke	2021
▪ Halloween Organ Extravaganza Head Lighting Designer Producer: Steven Workman Director: Joel Bacon	2021
▪ H.O.P.E. Project: F.A.T. Head Lighting Designer Producer: Emily Morgan Director: Chung-Fu Chang	2020

TEACHING AND MENTORSHIP

▪ “How to Get Paid doing Theatre” presentation for Poudre High School’s Drama Club	Spring 2025
▪ “Lighting – More Than Just the Basics” presentation for Poudre High School’s Drama Club	Fall 2023
▪ Teaching Assistant for Lighting Design 1	Spring 2023

INTERNSHIPS

▪ Live Design International – Production Assistant Last Vegas, Nevada	Fall 2023
▪ Live Design International – Production Assistant Last Vegas, Nevada	Fall 2022

LEADERSHIP

ORGANIZATION | POSITION

DATE

- Live Design International – Double Trouble Production Lighting Lead | Las Vegas, Nevada Fall 2024
- Live Design International – Crew Chief | Las Vegas, Nevada Fall 2023
- Student Advisory Council for Theatre | Class Representative Fall 2019 – Spring 2023

RELATED EMPLOYMENT

TITLE AND SHOW | LOCATION

DATE

- Lighting Contact for Rocky Mountain Theatre Kids Space Renovations | Denver and Boulder, Colorado 2025
- Master Electrician for Steel Magnolias | Candlelight Dinner Theatre, Johnstown, Colorado 2025
- Lighting Contact for Contemporary Dance Academy's Studio Renovation | Fort Collins, Colorado 2025
- Production Manager for July 4th City Park Event | City Park, Fort Collins, Colorado 2025
- Stagehand for FoCo MX | Old Town, Fort Collins, Colorado 2025
- Master Electrician for Bright Star | Candlelight Dinner Theatre, Johnstown, Colorado 2025
- Master Electrician for Always, Patsy Cline | Candlelight Dinner Theatre, Johnstown, Colorado 2024
- Production Manager for July 4th City Park Event | City Park, Fort Collins, Colorado 2024
- Master Electrician for Secret Garden | Candlelight Dinner Theatre, Johnstown, Colorado 2024
- Camera/Video Operator for ABBA Euphoria | Lincoln Center Performance Hall, Fort Collins, Colorado 2024
- Spot Operator for Annie | Lincoln Center Performance Hall, Fort Collins, Colorado 2024
- Stagehand for Annie | Lincoln Center Performance Hall, Fort Collins, Colorado 2024
- Master Electrician for Ledisi | Lincoln Center Performance Hall, Fort Collins, Colorado 2024
- Spot Operator for Come From Away | Lincoln Center Performance Hall, Fort Collins, Colorado 2024
- Electrician for Come From Away | Lincoln Center Performance Hall, Fort Collins, Colorado 2024
- Master Electrician for Opera Fort Collins – Marriage of Figaro | Lincoln Center Performance Hall, Fort Collins, Colorado 2024
- Master Electrician for Book Fest | Lincoln Center Performance Hall, Fort Collins, Colorado 2024
- Master Electrician for High Performance Dance Company | Lincoln Center Performance Hall, Fort Collins, Colorado 2024
- Master Electrician for Crazy For You | Candlelight Dinner Theatre, Johnstown, Colorado 2024
- Props Stagehand Show Crew for Book of Mormon | Lincoln Center Performance Hall, Fort Collins, Colorado 2024
- Electrician for Book of Mormon | Lincoln Center Performance Hall, Fort Collins, Colorado 2024
- Master Electrician for Just For Kix Christmas Hoedown | Lincoln Center Performance Hall, Fort Collins, Colorado 2023
- Programmer for CDA's Nutcracker | Lincoln Center Performance Hall, Fort Collins, Colorado 2023
- Master Electrician for Joseph and the Technicolor Dreamcoat | Candlelight Dinner Theatre, Johnstown, Colorado 2023
- Programmer for Canyon Concert Ballet's Dracula | Lincoln Center Performance Hall, Fort Collins, Colorado 2023

- Electrician for Longs Peak Scottish Irish Festival | Estes Park, Colorado 2023
- Strike crew for UNDONE: The Lady M Project | Savoy Theatre, Denver, Colorado 2023

PUBLISHED WORKS, PAPERS, AND PRESENTATIONS

TITLE OF WORK | DATE

- Interacting with Theatre Through a Different Light – Oral Presentation & Paper | 2022
- The Psychology of Color Theory | 2021

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- KCACTF Nomination for Lighting Design of Machinal | 2023
- KCACTF Regional Placement for Lighting Design of Spring Awakening | 2023
- KCACTF Nomination for Lighting Design of Spring Awakening | 2022

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND VOLUNTEER WORK

- Pioneer Days – Equalize Lighting Technician | Burlington, Colorado Fall 2025
- International Beauty Conference – Double Trouble AV Technician | Las Vegas, Nevada Summer 2025
- Assistant Electrician for Festival Hall – Spoleto Festival | Charleston, South Carolina Summer 2025
- Fierce Pharma Engage Conference – Double Trouble AV Technician | San Diego, California Spring 2025
- JBS Holiday Party – Productav L1 | Loveland, Colorado Fall 2024

SKILLS AND RELATED TRAINING

- WYSIWYG, Vectorworks, Lightwright, lift training (Genie and Scissor), comfortable working with heights, Photoshop and Lightroom basic skills, iMovie and Adobe Premiere basic skills, cabling and patching, lighting console skills, costume construction and repair, knowledge of Nikon DSLR cameras, ability to read and play music, Microsoft programs, creative writing training, valid license & passport

RESEARCH

- Interacting with Theatre through a Different Light | 2022