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PROFILE

Experienced Project Manager and Producer with over 10 years experience in themed entertainment. Particularly strong technical design, resource management, and decision-making skills. Driven and dedicated team leader who excels at working across disciplines to create innovative solutions that support and enhance the guest experience.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Backpack Creative (Los Angeles, CA) 2017-present
(formerly Granaroli Design and Entertainment)

Project Manager, Technical Director

- Current:
 - Dedicated Project Manager for major studio client LBE team
 - Manages Creative, Story, Architectural, Design, and Technical teams in tandem to ensure all elements of the project are telling a coherent story.
- Previous: Managed On-site reviews, installation, and design team for a major project located in the Middle East

RoseWell Entertainment (Glendale, CA) 2012-2017

Founder; Project Management, Technical, and Design Consultant

- Project Manager - Hershey's Chocolate World – Factory Tour Ride
(for Granaroli Design and Entertainment)
- Project Manager - Warner Bros Abu Dhabi
(for Wyatt Design Group and Granaroli Design and Entertainment)
- Technical Director - Paramount Parks and Resorts – Star Trek Jordan
(for On Track Themes)

Piedmont Airlines (Salisbury, MD) 2008-2011

First Officer, DHC-8

Orlando Flight Training (Kissimmee, FL) 2005-2008

Flight Instructor and Commercial Pilot Training Course Director

EDUCATION

Purdue University (West Lafayette, IN) 2001-2003

Completed 69 credits in Aviation Flight Technology (BS)

Marist College (Poughkeepsie, NY) 2000-2001

Completed 24 credits in core subjects as part of a high school bridge program

Our Lady of Lourdes High School (Poughkeepsie, NY) 1996-2001

NYS Regents Diploma

SKILLS

Project Management, Technical Design, Project Scheduling, Data Organization, Cost Analysis, Design Review and Direction, Park and Attraction Programming, Park Operations.

Software: Office Suite + Project, Adobe Suite, SketchUp, AutoCAD, Revu, Slack, Teams, Basecamp, ClickUp, Wrike.