

# **Dan Johnson**

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I'm an AV & Theatre technician (and actor, fight director, and tutor/teacher). From an early age I've had a passion for teaching and the arts and began training as an actor. With a thirst for the backstage knowledge of the way things work; I found an interest behind the scenes in the technical world - leading to becoming a technician for countless theatre shows and corporate events. Primarily an all round, but with slight favouring towards Lighting and Video/Data (incl. LED walls). I'm an outgoing and imaginative person, with a flair for thinking on the spot and always willing to commit to any challenges thrown at me.

## **Education**

2016 - 2017

- Drama Centre, Central Saint Martins (University of Arts London) : *Distinction* - 'MA Acting'

2011 - 2014

- East 15 Acting School (University of Essex) : *1st Class Hons.* - 'BA Acting & Stage Combat'

2002 - 2009

- Calday Grange Grammar School : *9 GCSE's and 3 A Levels* - (Theatre Studies, English Language & Literature, General Studies)

1995 - 2002

- Bedford Drive Primary School : *Passed 11+ Exam*

## **Self-Employment (Freelance)**

Currently working at varying locations as a Teacher and Technician - alongside Acting and Fight Directing

### **Technician - Employment**

2019 - Present

The Hope Theatre, London

Technical Manager

2018 - Present

The Exchange Theatre, Twickenham

Theatre Technician

2017 - 2018

Icarus Theatre Collective

Assistant Stage Manager

2015 - 2016

London Audio Visual, London

AV Technician & Warehouse Manager

2011

'R' Discos, Merseyside

Mobile DJ

### **Technician - Freelance/Casual**

#### Corporate:

London Audio Visual

PSPAV

Rosco

Event Concept

Creative Staging

Aztec

Eclipse Global

Equip

ATCommunications

#### Arts:

Step On Stage Theatre Company

Instant Opera

New Light Productions

Heroine Addicts Podcast

Creative Nights Variety Show

MetaMorph Theatre Company

Sketchy Ladies Comedy Nights

Capa Taro Theatre Company

## **Hobbies and Interests**

Acrobatics, Aikido (Blue Belt), Climbing, Fencing, Guitar, Movies, Reading, Running, Yoga

Constantly working in creative, ever-changing environments; either performing or teching in hundreds of performances and events - ranging from Shakespeare to pantomimes and exhibitions to corporate events. Each job has aided me in furthering advanced problem solving skills, staying calm in a crisis and a great understanding and respect of deadlines and professional etiquettes.

*References available upon request*