

*The Broward Center builds community through the arts by delivering quality entertainment, educational opportunities and memorable moments that engage and inspire audiences, nurture collaboration and drive economic vitality.*

**Revision Date:** 5.30.2025

**Job Title:** Assistant Head/Electrics

**Salary:** \$35.09 per hour

## **ABOUT THE AMATURO THEATRE**

The Amaturo Theatre is a 584 seat theatre located on The Broward Center for the Performing Arts main campus located in Fort Lauderdale, FL. This venue is a fast-paced venue hosting a variety of events throughout the year including large scale musical productions, Student Enrichment Through the Arts shows, Education Department productions, summer camp musicals, ballets, concerts of various genres, comedians, awards shows, symphonies, galas and other shows varying in size and scale a season. All shows & events are staffed through a non-departmentalized contract with IATSE – Local 500.

## **POSITION SUMMARY**

The Assistant Head/Electrics will work in conjunction with BCPA Production Management, Stagehands, and traveling production personnel while supporting the successful execution of shows/events to enhance efficiency and effectiveness in providing excellent customer service to clients. This position is part of a five-person crew and will be responsible for sharing the workload by relieving other crew members in a rotational schedule, as well as stepping into leadership roles across other departments – including audio, carpentry, and video. This position is a Union House Crew position and will not be a direct, benefits eligible employee of the Broward Center. Candidates do not have to be Union members to apply, but will be asked to join the Union work list if the offer is accepted.

## **ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS**

- Experience working with various systems of lighting equipment such as moving light fixtures (Elation, Chauvet, High End Systems) conventional lighting, LED Instruments ColorSource Spot V, Chroma Q, etc.
- Proficiency with the APEX 5 lighting console, including programming, patching, and operating.
- Must be comfortable crossing departmental lines in the areas of carpentry, video, properties and sound.
- Troubleshoot DMX/network signal paths, addressing, and configuration of lighting networks and nodes.
- Comfortable operating and maintaining lighting systems, inventory, as needed including fixture cleaning, lamp replacement, and diagnostics.
- Work a flexible schedule including nights, weekends, and holidays is required.
- Able to effectively multitask, set priorities, shift priorities, and adapt to changes in situations.
- A willingness to mentor or educate members of their team/crew.
- A proactive approach to problem-solving with strong decision-making skills.
- Able to- crouch, twist, bend, reach, lift up to 50lbs, climb stairs/ladders, and work at various heights.
- Have knowledge of best practices to promote/cultivate a safe work environment.
- Comfortable working in a fast-paced environment, with the venue primarily hosting children's programming, including school field trip performances, summer camp productions, and family-oriented shows.

## **DESIRED EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE**

- 5 years of professional entertainment industry experience.
- 2-3 years of experience as a Head or assistant Head
- Experience working with students and young adults is preferred.
- Union membership not required to apply however candidates will be asked to join the union list upon start of position.

Individuals interested in this position must apply by emailing their resume to [dept\\_hr@browardcenter.org](mailto:dept_hr@browardcenter.org).