

# Matthew Burgher

## Audio Visual Production Specialist

A1, A2 with Expertise in Client Relations, Event Production, & Innovative AV Solutions

### INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

#### OWNER | AV CONSULTANT | A1

##### SOUND LEGACY PRODUCTIONS

1998–current | Atlanta, San Diego

- Provide seamless live audio-visual event services with a focus on the customer
- Work closely with clients to achieve a desired finished product—including talent, bands, vendors, executives, contractors, job foremen, guest hospitality & hotel staff
- Operate audio consoles for bands & events up to 1500 attendees (expanding digital console experience)
- Set, install, operate thousands of sound & projection systems
- Instruct audio & AV tech training seminars

#### SENIOR AUDIO VISUAL TECHNICIAN | A1 | A2

##### EVANS HOTELS PROPERTIES

2014–2021 | San Diego

##### CATAMARAN & BAHIA

##### EVANS GARAGE

##### WILLIAM D. EVANS & BAHIA BELLE

##### BEACH RESORTS & VENUES

##### AUTOMOTIVE MUSEUM & EVENT SPACE

##### STERNWHEELER FERRIES & EVENT SPACE

- Hospitality-centered relations with guests, vendors, bands & high-profile clients
- Recommended measures to improve work procedures & increase quality of services
- Operated FOH audio consoles for weekly summer beach productions with bands
- Tech conference AV, 14k projection, PowerPoint, teleconference mix-minus, truss rigging, lighting, fast-fold, air-screen, P&D, equipment upkeep/repair
- Project team lead, created SOP's, performed daily safety checks
- Trained all new-hire techs in industry practices & equipment operation

#### DIRECTOR OF AV | SENIOR FRONT OF HOUSE OPERATOR | A1

##### VENUES LIBERTY STATION

2013–2020 | San Diego

##### THE CELEBRATION | VENUE

2008–2013 | San Diego

##### THE VINEYARD | VENUE

1998–2002 | Atlanta

##### WATC TELEVISION STUDIOS

1997–1998 | Atlanta

- Operated audio consoles for weekly shows, live concerts & events
- Designed & installed multiple sound systems, stage lighting, projection, CCTV, including venue build-out & stage design
- Trained all interns & new-hire techs in industry practices & equipment operation

### EDUCATION

Electronics Technical Seal | 1995

Maxwell High School of Technology (CTAE), Atlanta

Recording Education Graduate | 1996

Phoenix High School (CTE), Atlanta

Goldberg School of Recording, Atlanta

Attend industry trade shows, tech trainings & conferences | 1996–current

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### SELECTED SKILLS

- High-Profile Client Relations
- Creative Problem Solving
- Leadership & Training
- Hospitality & Detail Focused
- Mac, PC, MS Office Suite
- Drive Trucks (up to 26')
- OSHA Certified Ariel Platforms

### SPOTLIGHT

**Live music production**  
Served over 50 award-winning artists such as Bruno Mars, Sting, CeCe Winans, Leonard Patton, Billy Joel, Peter Dinklage, Krishna Das, TJ Moss, Kevin Toney, Yolanda Adams

**Corporate**  
Served over 80 Fortune 500 corporations, including Google, Apple, Disney, IBM, Sony, Amazon, Delta, CBS, NBC, Cisco, CNN, Chevron, GE

**Musician**  
Score original music featured in United Nations commercials, The Sundance Film Festival, "Best Documentary" Award Astoria National Film Festival, and over 70 music compilations