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I am a **Technical manager** and **Lighting Designer** with over 15 years of experience in Technical management for live entertainment events, and over 20 years in Multimedia Design/Graphic Design. I have served as Technical consultant for GEA/SELA in the 2019 Riyadh Season. I have also managed the Lighting Department on Sheikh Jaber Al Ahmad Cultural Center, during their handover and startup periods. My responsibilities extend over the lighting, the video, and the stage management teams. My duties included production communication and sourcing, System specification and testing, supervision and logistics of the installation. I maintain a wide contact list of production and technical sources, both internationally and in the Gulf area.

## Professional Experience:

## October 2021 till Present:

Technical Manager / Lighting Designer - Hwadi Events / Mayadeen Venue

**Some of the projects:** Dragon Terhal - Unesco World Heritage Convention -Film in Concert - JAZZ Riyadh International Festival - Common Ground - Caracalla -Culture Square - Al Nahham event - Car Auction - Isesco - Saudi Cup -KAFD Wadi concerts - Omrou Al Qais poetry nights Event - Rousoom w Telal poetry nights event - Al Hassa Poetry Nights event - STF Jeddah - RTF Riyadh 2 and 3 -And many more...

## August 2019 to January 2020:

Consulting Technical Manager - Sela Sports - Riyadh Season Zone 11 A purpose-built facility of 100,000 sq.m.

Technical and event management of Riyadh Wild Safari. (communication, land Survey, security, restaurants, Safari Rides, Food and Beverage, Event Planning, Ticketing, etc ...)

## January 2019 to July 2019:

Head of Lighting Department - Sheikh Jaber Al Ahmed Cultural Center - Kuwait. Management of the Lighting across nine stages. Design, Programming, Equipment management and stock, Purchase orders of equipment, and equipment upgrades. Communication with visiting Lighting designers, Stage design setups, and strikeouts.

## April 2013 to October 2018:

Head of Lighting department - Al Kass TV - Doha, Qatar. Management of the Lighting across five studios, Design, and implementation of the technical schedule, procedures, and practices. Equipment management and stock. Purchase orders of equipment and equipment upgrades. Studio design, Promotions shooting. Lighting design and maintaining picture quality

#### June 2011 to April 213:

Fabrication Manager - Printworks - Krantina, Lebanon. Implementation of the technical schedule, Podium design, POS design, Fit Layout execution for International brands ( Chanel, Fendi, L'oreal, Louis Vuitton and more), Local brand and duty-free airport in Beirut.

#### September 2010 to June 2011:

Graphic and Multimedia designer (Freelancer). Design logo, Business Card, Brochure, Posters, Catalogues, Menu, Illustration, 3D rendering, Editing.

## February 2007 to September 2010:

Head of the lighting dept. OTV - Lebanon.

Management of the Lighting across 3 studios, Design, and implementation of the technical schedule, procedures, and practices. Equipment management and stock. Purchase orders of equipment and equipment upgrades. Studio design, Promotions shooting. Lighting design and maintaining picture quality.

#### November 2003 to February 2007:

Multimedia & Lighting Designer - Avolites and Prolites ME - UAE. Design logo, Business Card, Brochure, Posters, Catalogues, Menu, Illustration, 3D rendering, Wedding Ceremonies (Private & Public), Events & Concerts.

March 2001 to August 2003:

Graphic & Web Designer - Fiberlink Networks - Raouche, Lebanon. Web Design, Design logo, Business Card, Brochure, Posters, Catalogues.

#### March 1999 to October March 2001:

Graphic & Web Designer - Data management - Lebanon. Web Design, Design logo, Business Card, Brochure, Posters, Catalogues

#### October 1998 to March 1999:

Graphic Design - HDR Group - Zouk Mosbeh, Lebanon. Design logo, Business Card, Brochure, Posters, Catalogues, Menu, Illustration

#### Education:

Master's Degree in Graphic Design - USEK Holy Spirit University Kaslik, Lebanon. Self-educated by reading and personal research.

Language: Fluent in Arabic (native), English, and French.

Hand skills: Illustrator, painter.

#### Computer Software:

Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Premiere, Rhino 3D, Twinmotion, Autocad Final cut pro, Mac Os & Windows Office

# Dimmers and Lighting Console:

ETC, Avolites, Grand MA.