

# Max Okst

## Lighting Designer

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### Design Experience

Show Title	Position	Company   Theatre	Director	Year
<i>Fefu and Her Friends</i>	Lighting Designer	CalArts   Walt Disney MOD Theatre	Tatou Dede	2024
<i>Wealth &amp; Hellness</i>	Lighting Designer	CalArts   Butler Building 2	Luna Izpisua Rodriguez	2023
<i>Everybody</i>	Lighting Designer	CalArts   E407	Damian Lewis	2023
<i>Every Brilliant Thing</i>	Lighting Designer	CalArts   Coffeehouse Theatre	Yameng Deng	2023
<i>Fun Home</i>	Lighting Designer	Ithaca College   Clark Theatre	Gavin Mayer	2022
Various Events	Lighting Designer	Hangar Theatre Company	Adam Zonder	2021
<i>Head Over Heels</i>	Lighting Designer	Ithaca College   Hoerner Theatre	Gavin Mayer	2021
<i>This Is Me</i>	Lighting Designer	Amy Tyler School of Dance	Amy Tyler	2018
<i>Bon Voyage</i>	Lighting Designer	Shine Dance Studio	Sharon Philbrick	2018
<i>Me and My Girl</i>	Lighting Designer	Earl L. Vandermeulen High School	Anthony Butera	2018
Andy Fortier Concert	Lighting Designer	United Methodist Church	Andrew Fortier	2017

### Assistant Design Experience

Show Title	Position	Company   Theatre	Supervisor	Year
USIA Irish Awards	Asst. Lighting Designer	Mastermind Prod.   Bad Robot	Violet Smith	2024
STARZ Talks	Asst. Lighting Designer	Mastermind Prod.   The London Hotel	Violet Smith	2023
<i>The Seagull</i>	Asst. Lighting Designer	CalArts   E400	Jackson Funke	2022
<i>Roberto Zucco</i>	Asst. Lighting Designer	CalArts   Disney Modular Theatre	Alejandro Melendez	2022
<i>Everybody</i>	Asst. Lighting Designer	Ithaca College   Clark Theatre	Steve TenEyck	2019

### Employment

Company	School   Department	Position	Year
CalArts Work Study	School of Theatre   Lighting	TA to Anne Militello	2023 - Present
CalArts Work Study	School of Theatre   Lighting	Theatrical Electrician	2022 - Present
CalArts Work Study	School of Theatre   XDP	TA for Foundations Lab	2023
Ithaca College Work Study	Earl McCarroll Studio Theatre	Technical Supervisor	2021 - 2022
Ithaca College Work Study	Lighting and Sound Shop	Office Assistant	2019 - 2022

### Education

California Institute of the Arts	MFA Experience Design & Production – Lighting Design	Class of 2025
Ithaca College	BFA Theatrical Design & Production – Lighting Design	Class of 2022

### Additional Skills & Certifications

ETC Eos Levels 1-4	Lightwright 6	Cinema 4D
GrandMA2 & 3	ETC Mosaic	Soldering
Vectorworks 2024	Microsoft Office & Google Suite	Machine & Hand Sewing
AutoCAD 2024	Adobe Photoshop & Illustrator	CA Drivers License

### References

<b>Anne Militello</b> Head of Lighting Design California Institute of the Arts	<b>Violet Smith</b> Lighting Designer Ultraviolet Designs	<b>Michael Darling</b> Head of Technical Direction California Institute of the Arts
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*\*References available upon request\**