Hayden Valkema

Lighting Designer, Programmer

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Professional Experience

ACT Entertainment Access Audio Frost Chicago LEC Event Technology Technical Services Intern Freelance LD, Technician Freelance Lighting Technician Warehouse Technician Control Department Technician Hackensack, NJ Cincinnati, OH Chicago, IL Downers Grove, IL

May 2025 December 2024 - Present May - July 2024

May - July 2024 May 2023 - July 2024

Production Experience

| The World Goes 'Round | Production Electrician | UC - CCM | Dec 2025 |
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| Bravesgiving 2025 | Lighting Designer | Access Audio | Nov 2025 |
| The Lightning Thief | grandMA3 Programmer | UC - CCM | Oct 2025 |
| Dark Sisters | Assistant LD 2 | UC - CCM | April 2025 |
| A Midsummer Night's Dream | EOS Programmer | UC - CCM | March 2025 |
| BAAM! | grandMA3 Programmer | UC - CCM | Jan 2025 |
| BLINK! Cincinnati | grandMA3 Programmer | UC - CCM | Oct 2024 |
| The Winter's Tale | EOS Programmer | UC - CCM | Sept 2024 |
| Once On This Island | Assistant Production Electrician | UC - CCM | April 2024 |
| Fall Dance Works 2023 | Assistant Production Electrician | UC - CCM | Dec 2023 |

Skills

MA Lighting grandMA3 Consoles

ETC EOS Consoles

Vectorworks Spotlight

Fusion 360 Lightwright 6 Paperwork.show

Luminex Araneo

Networked Lighting Systems

Flown and Ground Supported Rigging Systems

grandMA2, grandMA3 Console Maintenance and Repair

Lighting Fixture Repair Current Drivers License

Current Passport

Education

University of Cincinnati, College-Conservatory of Music (UC - CCM)

BFA - Lighting Design and Technology, Expected Graduation: December 2026

References Available Upon Request