



Christian A. Kurka

Scenic Designer

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

A Puerto Rican Story	Scenic Designer/Charge	The Miracle Center
The Nutcracker	Scenic Designer/Charge	Mudlark Theater Company
800 Days of Solitude: A Conjuring	Scenic Designer	Southern Illinois University Carbondale
Boy Gets Girl	Scenic Designer	Southern Illinois University Carbondale
Torak The Inadequate	Scenic Designer	Southern Illinois University Carbondale

RELATED EXPERIENCE

800 Days of Solitude: A Conjuring	Projection Designer	Southern Illinois University Carbondale
Gem of the Ocean	Scenic Charge	Southern Illinois University Carbondale
Peter & The Starcatchers	Props Master/Carpenter	Southern Illinois University Carbondale
Torak The Inadequate	Props Master/Carpenter	Southern Illinois University Carbondale
A Nightingale for Dr. Dubois	Asst. Props Master/Carp.	Southern Illinois University Carbondale
The Lion, The Witch, and The Wardrobe	Asst. Props Master/Carp.	Southern Illinois University Carbondale
Children of Eden	Carpenter	Southern Illinois University Carbondale
Vigils	Props Master/Carpenter	Southern Illinois University Carbondale

SKILLS & CERTIFICATIONS

-American Sign Language	-Microsoft Office	-Property Construction
-Carving	-Carpentry	-Valid Illinois Driver's License
-8 years Food Service Management	-Basic Sewing	-Upholstery
-Scenic painting	-VectorWorks & AutoCAD	-Isadora

EDUCATION

3.9 GPA	<u>Southern Illinois University (SIU)</u>	<u>Relevant Courses</u>	
Dean's List	Bachelor's of Arts—May 2018	-Stagecraft	-Costumes
	Major in Theater Stage Management	-Stage Management	-Stage Makeup
	Minor in American Sign Language	-Drafting	-Scenic Design
			-Props Studio
			-Scene Paint

REFERENCES

Thomas Fagerholm SIU Production Manager MSP Technical Director tfagerholm@siu.edu 618-341-3926	J. Thomas Kidd SIU Dept. of Theater Chair MSP Managing Artistic Director tkidd@siu.edu 618-521-5005	Tatiana Vintu Scenic Design Instructor SIU Instructor tvintu@siu.edu 843-222-2782	Erik Tylkowski Artistic Production Manager Mudlark Theater erik.tylkowski@gmail.com 847-814-7815
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