

Dominic Hayes

Set Designer Resume Example

Set designer with 12 years of experience designing stage and film sets for theatrical productions and independent films. Known for balancing aesthetics with functionality and budgetary limitations.

EDUCATION



Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA) in Theater Design

Tulane University
New Orleans, LA | May 2011

KEY SKILLS



- 3D modeling
- Budget planning
- Drafting
- Fabrication coordination
- Model building
- Scenic design
- Set dressing
- Theater production

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE



Set designer | Crescent Theater Company, New Orleans, LA
January 2016 – Present

- Designed 30+ original stage sets, including immersive and modular designs
- Partner with directors and lighting teams to execute cohesive visual narratives
- Kept design budgets 15% below target on average

Assistant scenic designer | LA Stage Collective, New Orleans, LA
March 2012 – December 2015

- Supported head designers in drafting, painting, and on-site adjustments
- Helped organize material inventory and workshop schedules
- Maintained scale models for grant presentations and stakeholder review