

# JOHNNY WILLIAMS III

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## Professional Summary

Hard working and detail oriented sales and theatre professional highly effective in liaising between departments to provide a positive and professional environment. Expertise in developing strategies of engaging problem solving. Proven leader and skilled in coordinating with professionals and patrons.

## Skills

- Leadership and Collaboration
- Management and Supervision
- Technical Design
- Fast Learner
- Adaptive
- Public Speaking

## Work History

### Adjunct Professor of Lighting Design

August 2024-Present

William & Mary--- Williamsburg, VA

- Developed a syllabus in conversation with the principles and practices of W&M's theatre department.
- Built a scaffolded multi-step evaluation process that allows students to build on their previous knowledge and lessons throughout the semester.
- Created a collaborative classroom setting based around accessibility and inclusivity through diverse lessons and varied classroom formats.
- Ran lab hours advising students on lighting applications for productions.
- Advised students on their lighting designs and provided feedback on designs and CAD renderings.
- Managed and organized all lighting equipment for season productions and events.
- Designed and implemented two house lighting plots for two venues in Phi Beta Kappa.
- Operated and programmed Gio @5 ETC lighting consoles, StudioSpot Intelligent Fixtures, Wireless SHoW Baby DMX Transceivers, and repaired damaged equipment in lighting storage and in the mainstage theatres.

### Graduate Teaching Fellow of Scenic and Lighting Design

August 2022-May 2024

William & Mary--- Williamsburg, VA

- Guided, Coached, and led projects, delegating tasks and evaluating performance and progression of project pace.
- Applied advanced skills in CAD programming and design implementation to develop scenic designs for 5 productions a year.
- Managed and developed the online social media platforms for the program.
- Trained adults and students on new lighting and sound programming while developing a creative design platform with state of the art equipment

### Technical Director

June 2017-June 2021

Kewanee High School--- Kewanee, IL

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## **Education**

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- **MFA in Performance Lighting Design** 2024
  - Mary Baldwin University, Staunton VA
- **MLitt in Shakespeare and Performance** 2023
  - Mary Baldwin University, Staunton VA
- **Bachelor of Arts in Theatre Arts** 2017
  - Monmouth College, Monmouth, IL