

# MICHAEL ANDERSON

Historical Set Designer

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Proficient set designer with a strong emphasis on historical recreations and period-specific productions. Expertise in researching and implementing authentic design elements that accurately reflect the desired era. Extensive experience in collaborating with directors and historians to ensure accuracy and authenticity in set design. Proven ability to manage projects under tight deadlines while maintaining a focus on detail and quality.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Historical Set Designer | Heritage Theater Company

Jan 2022 – Present

- Designed historically accurate sets for various period productions, enhancing authenticity.
- Collaborated with historians to ensure accuracy in design elements.
- Managed set construction and decoration, adhering to historical specifications.
- Conducted research on historical contexts to inform design choices.
- Oversaw the installation of sets, ensuring compliance with safety regulations.
- Participated in educational programs to promote awareness of historical theater.

### Set Designer | Classic Films Productions

Jul 2019 – Dec 2021

- Created authentic set designs for historical films, enhancing narrative depth.
- Collaborated with directors to align design with historical accuracy.
- Managed budgets and timelines effectively, ensuring project completion.
- Executed detailed sketches and models for production teams.
- Conducted location scouting to identify suitable filming sites.
- Documented design processes for future reference and educational purposes.

## SKILLS

Historical design

research

collaboration

project management

budgeting

artistic accuracy

## EDUCATION

### Master of Fine Arts in Historical Design

2013

University of Historical Studies

## ACHIEVEMENTS

- Awarded Best Historical Set Design at the Heritage Theater Awards 2022.
- Successfully completed over 20 historical productions with positive critical acclaim.
- Recognized for contributions to enhancing educational value in theater productions.

## LANGUAGES

English

Spanish

French