

# Ryan John Davies

## Lighting Designer, Educator

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### Education

Master of Fine Arts in Lighting Design      *Indiana University, Bloomington, IN*      2006  
Bachelor of Arts in Theatre      *Eastern Washington University, Cheney, WA*      2003

### Employment History

Freelance Lighting Designer	Various Theatre Companies (See Below)	2004-Present
Assistant Professor of Lighting Design	<i>Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI</i>	2009-2012
Production Manager	<i>Summer Circle Theatre, East Lansing, MI</i>	2010-2012
Visiting Assistant Professor of Lighting Design	<i>Indiana University, Bloomington, IN</i>	2008-2009
Lighting Supervisor	<i>Chicago Shakespeare Theater, Chicago, IL</i>	2006-2008
Lighting Design Assistant	<i>Indiana University, Bloomington, IN</i>	2003-2006
Resident Lighting Designer/ Master Electrician	<i>Cain Park, Cleveland Heights, OH</i>	Summer 2005
Master Electrician	<i>Brown County Playhouse, Nashville, IN</i>	Summer 2004
Events Lighting Manager	<i>Silhouette Lights and Staging, Spokane, WA</i>	2002-2003
Lighting Design Assistant	<i>Eastern Washington University, Cheney, WA</i>	2002-2003
Technical Director	<i>Showalter Auditorium, Cheney, WA</i>	2000-2002

### Selected Design Experience

THE 39 STEPS	<i>Cardinal Stage Co, Bloomington, IN</i>	Randy White, Dir.	2012
THE KNUFFLEBUNNY	<i>Cardinal Stage Co, Bloomington, IN</i>	Christine O'Grady	2012
THE USUAL (New Musical)	<i>Williamston Theatre, Williamston, MI</i>	Tony Caselli, Dir.	2012
MOTHER COURAGE/CHILDREN	<i>Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI</i>	Mark Colson, Dir.	2012
ELEEMOSYNARY	<i>Williamston Theatre, Williamston, MI</i>	Lynn Lammers, Dir.	2011
EVIL DEAD, THE MUSICAL	<i>Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI</i>	Rob Roznowski, Dir	2010
YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU	<i>Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI</i>	John Lepard, Dir.	2010
AN INFINITE ACHE	<i>Williamston Theatre, Williamston, MI</i>	Tony Caselli, Dir	2009
THERE GOES THE BRIDE	<i>Brown County Playhouse, Nashville, IN</i>	Bruce Burgun, Dir.	2009
MARISOL	<i>Indiana University, Bloomington, IN</i>	Sabrina Loyd, Dir.	2008
CHEKHOV'S LIFE IN THE COUNTRY	<i>Greasy Joan and Co, Chicago, IL</i>	Libby Ford, Dir	2008
SAME TIME NEXT YEAR	<i>Brown County Playhouse, Nashville, IN</i>	Jonathan Michaelson, Dir.	2008
FUNK IT UP 'BOUT NOTHING (World Premier)	<i>Chicago Shakespeare Theater, Chicago, IL</i>	Q Bros, Dir.	2008
THE MISANTHROPE	<i>Greasy Joan and Co, Chicago, IL</i>	Libby Ford, Dir.	2008
Short Shakespeare: ROMEO AND JULIET	<i>Chicago Shakespeare Theater, Chicago, IL</i>	Amanda Dehnert, Dir.	2008
CPS Presents: ROMEO AND JULIET	<i>Chicago Shakespeare Theater, Chicago, IL</i>	Kirsten Kelly, Dir.	2007
FEAR OF A HOOD	<i>Sansculottes Theatre Co, Chicago, IL</i>	Dan Kerr-Hobert, Dir.	2007
CPS Presents: HAMLET	<i>Chicago Shakespeare Theater, Chicago, IL</i>	Kirsten Kelly, Dir.	2006
SMOKE ON THE MOUNTAIN	<i>Brown County Playhouse, Nashville, IN</i>	George Pinney, Dir.	2006
ARCADIA	<i>John Waldron Arts Center, Bloomington, IN</i>	Courtney Giddings, Dir.	2005
PATTY RED PANTS	<i>Bloomington Playwright's Project, IN</i>	Amanda Baker, Dir.	2004

### Selected Supporting Experience

THE COMEDY OF ERRORS	Lighting Supervisor	<i>Chicago Shakespeare Theatre, Chicago, IL</i>	Robert Wierzel, LD	2008
OTHELLO	Lighting Supervisor	<i>Chicago Shakespeare Theatre, Chicago, IL</i>	Chris Akerlind, LD	2008
CYMBELINE	Lighting Supervisor	<i>Chicago Shakespeare Theatre, Chicago, IL</i>	Philip Rosenberg, LD	2007
TROILUS AND CRESSIDA	Lighting Supervisor	<i>Chicago Shakespeare Theatre, Chicago, IL</i>	Robert Wierzel, LD	2007
THREE MUSKETEERS	Lighting Supervisor	<i>Chicago Shakespeare Theatre, Chicago, IL</i>	Donald Holder, LD	2006
HELEN	Assistant Designer	<i>Next Theatre, Chicago, IL</i>	Charles Cooper, LD	2006
THE COLOR OF JUSTICE	Assistant Designer	<i>Indiana Repertory Theatre, Indianapolis, IN</i>	Rob Shakespeare, LD	2006

### Related Skills

Control Consoles:	ETC: <i>EOS, Obsession, Expression</i> ; Strand: <i>Light Palette</i> ; Flying Pig: <i>Whole Hog</i>
Moving Lights:	<i>Martin, Robe, Vari*Lite, High End Systems, Autoyoke, and Rosco</i>
Color Changers:	<i>Wybron and Apollo</i>
Atmospheric Effects:	<i>Le Maitre, MDG, Rosco, and High End Systems</i>
Wireless Dimming:	<i>RC4, City Theatrical</i>
Computer Software:	<i>LD Assistant (2D and 3D), AutoCAD (2D and 3D), Lightwright, Adobe Creative Suite, MS Office Suit</i>