## **Kristin Swift**

Architectural & Theatrical Lighting Designer

#### **EXPERIENCE**

### **Radiance Lightworks**, Los Angeles — Senior Lighting Designer

June 2016 - Present

- Lighting design for themed experiences such as theme parks, museums, retail, and restaurants
- Creation of lighting packages for schematic and detailed design levels including architectural lighting plans, fixture specifications, control documentation, and creative design narratives
- Oversee installation and programming phases in field

## **Thinkwell Group,** Los Angeles — *Lighting Designer*

March 2014 - June 2016

- Lighting design for themed experiences such as theme parks, museums, and family entertainment centers
- Creation of lighting packages for schematic and detailed design levels
- Oversee installation and programming phases in field

## **Freelance Lighting Designer**

March 2006 - Present

- Designed or served as associate/assistant designer for over 75 productions, primarily in Boston, San Diego, and Los Angeles

## **University of California,** San Diego — *Teaching Assistant*

January 2011 - March 2013

- Taught undergraduate sections of Intro to Theatre, Lighting Practicum, and Intro to Lighting Design
- Mentored 3 undergraduate lighting designers on productions
- Awarded teaching honor for excellence

#### NOTABLE ARCHITECTURE DESIGN WORK

**Universal Studios Hollywood** — Theme park attraction, retail, dining & area development lighting enhancements - Studio City, CA

**The Hebrew Bible Experience** — Themed museum exhibit in the Museum of the Bible - Washington DC (Awarded 2020 Thea Award)

**Warner Bros World Abu Dhabi** — Theme park attractions and area development - Abu Dhabi, UAE (Awarded 2020 Thea Award)

**Stage 48: Script to Screen** — Interactive Museum on Warner Bros. Hollywood Studio Tour - Burbank, CA

**WB Fun Zone** — Family Entertainment Center in Studio City Casino - Macau, China SAR

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#### **SKILLS**

Autocad, Vectorworks

Lightwright, Microsoft Office

AGi32, Wysiwyg

Photoshop CS5, Adobe

ETC Console Programming - Theatrical/Architectural

Theatrical Electrician

#### **EDUCATION**

## University of California, San Diego

MFA Theatre Design September 2010-March 2013

#### **Emerson College, Boston**

BFA Theatre Design/Technology September 2003-May 2007

#### **REFERENCES**

Available upon request

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#### **SELECT THEATRICAL DESIGNS**

\* Indicates new work

#### **THEATRE**

2019	Aubergine	Todd Salovey,, dir.	San Diego Repertory Theatre
2018	Water by the Spoonful	Dianna Wyenn, dir.	Pomona College
2017	Fefu and Her Friends	Kate Jopson, dir.	Circle X Theatre Company
	Fried Chicken & Latkes*	Eve Brandstein, dir.	Jewish Women's Theatre
2016	Blessing of a Broken Heart	Todd Salovey, dir.	Jewish Women's Theatre
2015	Uncanny Valley	Jessica Bird, dir.	San Diego Repertory Theatre
2014	<i>In the Time of the Butterflies</i>	Todd Salovey, dir.	San Diego Repertory Theatre
2013	Platonov*	Jay Scheib, dir.	La Jolla Playhouse WoW Festival
	Titus Andronicus	Joshua Kahan Brody, dir.	UCSD Dept of Theatre & Dance
2012	A Hammer, a Bell, & a Song to Sing*	Todd Salovey, dir.	San Diego Repertory Theatre
	In the Red & Brown Water	Gregory Wallace, dir.	UCSD Dept of Theatre & Dance
2011	Scarlet Stone	Shahrokh Yadegari, dir.	Persian Arts Society
	The Dybbuk	Joshua Kahan Brody, dir.	UCSD Dept of Theatre & Dance
	Fourteen Flights*	Joshua Kahan Brody, dir.	NYC Fringe Festival
2009	Macbeth	Steven Maler, dir.	Shakespeare Now!
	Funny Girl	Stacey Stephens, dir.	Fiddlehead Theatre Company
2008	Romeo & Juliet	David Wheeler, dir.	Shakespeare Now!
	Fiddler on the Roof	Stacey Stephens, dir.	Fiddlehead Theatre Company
2007	Simon Says*	Myriam Cyr, dir.	PSFilms
	The Oldest Story Ever Told	Sally Wood, dir.	Theatre at Monmouth

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#### CONCERTS/DANCE

2014	There the Dance Is	Jean Isaacs, dir.	San Diego Dance Theatre
2013	Cuatro Corridos*	Susan Narucki, project leader	UCSD Dept of Music
	The Fantasy Project*	Anya Cloud, choreo.	UCSD Dept of Theatre & Dance
2012	WinterWORKS!*	Pat Rincon, dir.	UCSD Dept of Theatre & Dance
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2010	Divas	Michelle Chassée, dir.	Boston Gay Men's Chorus
2008	extrABBAganza	Stacey Stephens, dir.	Boston Gay Men's Chorus