# Darwin L Gilmore (Trey)

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## SKILLS

After Effects
Premier Pro
Cinema 4D (Working Knowledge)
Sketchup
Unity (Working Knowledge)
Watch Out
Isadora
Model Building
Carpentry
Lighting Design
Story Creation
Audience Design
Illusion Consultation
System Design
Projection/media design

Production management

#### REFERENCES

Travis Preston

Dean of Calarts School of Theater
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Peter Flaherty Virtual Reality Director and Multi Media Artist pf@flahertypictures.com

Eric Hungerford
Executive Producer at Equinox Productions
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# HIGHLIGHTS AND QUALIFICATIONS

- Accomplished multi-disciplinary artist with an emphasis on media design and collaborative creation.
- Diverse experience in live events including Direction, Media Creation, Media Server Programming, Projection Design, Performative Installation, team management, brainstorming and many of the accompanying software, hardware and techniques.
- Passion for developing ideas of the future deemed "impossible" with the understanding that they will soon be the past.

# RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Assistant Media Designer | The Hettema Group | Los Angeles | Aug 2016-Jan 2016

- Interacted with a range of projects that utilize media in their final form or as a previsualization tool.
- Created concepts and pitched media content for a range of projects. Generated final content for public installations and museums. Created VR walkthroughs for clients and teams to understand the product. Travelled onsite to ensure the successful installation of media.
- Collaborated with multiple departments when solving design challenges.

Co-Founder | The Duplicates | Austin and the U.S. | 2009-Present

- Create multimedia, devised performances and events from the ground up. Past events including a live drive-in movie and a one time site specific event on the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of September 11<sup>th</sup>.
- Heavy emphasis on audience experience and executing challenging designs in even more challenging environments where I am often in the role of production manager, designer and technical manager simultaneously.

Assistant Projection Designer | Spring Awakening Revival | Broadway | 2015

- Worked closely with the designer, Lucy Mckinnon, to generate and execute projected content for the Broadway revival of Spring Awakening.
- $\bullet$  Generated content, maintained documentation, and managed communication between the designer, programmer, and technical team.

Associate Video Designer | Annie Lennox Live, Nostalgia | Los Angeles | 2014

- Worked Closely with the director and team to create and implement projected visuals for Annie Lennox's album "Nostalgia". These visuals were also used for the music videos released alongside the album, and then later aired on *PBS: Great Performances*.
- Because the lead designer was out of the country it was my responsibility to manage the team and ensure the creation of content, mapping of venue, programming of content, and overall execution went smoothly.

## **EDUCATION**

## California Institute for the Arts,

Valencia, California

M.F.A. in Interactive Media for Performance Ant. 2017

## The University of Texas,

Austin, Texas B.F.A in Lighting Design 2011

#### Lone Star College North Harris,

Houston, Texas

A.A in Theatre Design and Direction 2009

#### **AWARDS**

#### **Finalist**

Sundance Institute Theatre lab 2016

#### Finalist

Sight of Sound International film Competition 2015

#### Fusebox Festival

Poison Squad 2013

### Fusebox Festival

Elvis Machine

# Award for Excellence in Production Design

KCACTF-SW Conference 2008

## Award for Excellence in Direction

TCCSTA-SW Conference 2007

# SELECTED CREATIVE EXPERIENCE

Projection Designer | IAMI | Los Angeles | Multi Media Theatrical Event

Director/Co-Creator | Everything Around You | Los Angeles | Interactive immersive Installation

Creator | Mirror Mirror | Los Angeles | Interactive media installation

Director | Arvo Part Said | Los Angeles | Kaleidoscopic Short Film

Co-Creator | The Poison Squad | Austin | Theatrical Event

Media Designer | Hamlet Machine | Los Angeles | Theatrical event and Media Instillation

Co-Creator/Designer | Steps | Florence | Larger than life Interactive Puppet Parade

Co-Creator | Elvis Machine | Austin | Live Drive in Movie Performance

Content Creator | Union Station 360 | Los Angeles | Interactive Installation at LA Union Station

Co-Creator | Plan View | Los Angeles | Interactive Architectural Projection

Co-Creator | The Fictional Life of Historical Oddities | Austin | Site Specific Immersive Event

# SELECTED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Media Server Programmer | A Time to Kill | Broadway | Theatrical Event

Curator | The Digital Arts Expo | Los Angeles | Expo of over 120 Multi Media Artists

Second Master Electrician | Ralph Lauren | NYC | Fashion Week

Media Server Programmer | Bring it On | National Tour | Theatrical Musical Event

Associate Projection Designer | NERDS | Philidelphia | Theatrical Musical Event

Visiting Artist and Guest Lecturer | Bates University | Lewiston, Maine

Assistant Lighting Designer | Anne and Emmit | DC | Performance at the US Supreme Court

Teaching Assistant | Architectual Projection Mapping | CALARTS

Teaching Assistant | Virtual Reality | CALARTS