

William Taylor

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Summary

Arts leader who oversaw all aspects of non-profit theatre company for 3 decades. Well respected, experienced and professional leader with a very diverse arts background. Oversaw over 200 theatre productions as well as concerts, rentals and other arts related programming. Creative, communications and business management skills leading to outstanding results. A reliable employee offering excellent communication and good judgment.

Experience

Theatre Conspiracy at the Alliance for the Arts | Fort Myers, FL Producing Artistic Director | 01/1993 - Present

Proudly produced over 200 theatre productions. Personally directed and designed over 100 productions. Created and implemented the Alliance for the Arts transition to outdoor productions during the pandemic by creating a new outdoor venue with proper social distancing thus keeping our organization in the public eye and generating much needed income to sustain the organization. Fostered, mentored and supported new playwrights by creating a national new play contest that garners over 700 entries worldwide each year. Led diversity effort to produce work geared to minority artists and audiences leading to multiple grants for the National Endowment of the Arts. Founded Fringe Fort Myers, an annual performing arts festival. Worked with departments across the company, including marketing and project management, in developing new ideas, initiatives.

Skills

Time management, Communication skills, Leadership, Customer service, Event management

Education

**Edison Community College/FSW | Fort Myers, Florida
Theatre production | 05/1983**

**Suny Geneseo | Geneseo, New York
Theatre**

Membership

City of Fort Myers Public Arts Committee