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EDUCATION

2002	Completion of the HSC, Pennant Hills High School.	(Australia)
2001-2002	Certificate II Information Technology, TVET, Hornsby TAFE.	(Australia)
2004-2006	Adv. Dip. Lighting for Performance WAAPA	(Australia)
Sept-Dec 2005	Student exchange: BFA Lighting Design, HKAPA.	(Hong Kong)
May 2010	Broadway Lighting and Projection Design Master Classes.	(USA)
June - Aug 2010	Lighting Design Work Study Program, The Banff Centre	(Canada)

Certificates and Licenses

2010	OH&S induction training for construction in work areas.
2004	Australian Red Cross Senior first Aid Certificate.
2004	Australian National Restricted Electrical License.

EMPLOYMENT

2010	<i>Assistant Lighting Designer</i> <i>Priscilla The Musical</i> Princess of Wales Theatre, Toronto, Canada (<i>Re-staging for Broadway Updates in Toronto</i>) Lighting Designer – Nick Schlieper <i>Referee – Michael Jones</i>	(Canada)
2010	<i>Lighting Designer</i> <i>Private Eyes</i> Rogue and Peasant Theatre Company, Toronto, Canada <i>Lower Ossington Theatre.</i> Director – Mark Ingram <i>Referee – Mark Ingram</i>	(Canada)
2010	<i>Assistant Lighting Designer</i> <i>Banff Summer Arts Festival</i> The Banff Centre, Alberta, Canada (by Generous sponsorship of Lazlo Funtec Scholarship) <i>Dance Masters, Little Women & Turn of the Screw.</i> Lighting Designer – Harry Frehner <i>Referee – Harry Frehner</i>	(Canada)
2010	<i>Lighting Designer,</i> <i>Words They Make With their Mouths</i> ATYP & Bambino Borracha ATYP Wharf Theatres Director – Jessica Tuckwell <i>Referee – Jessica Tuckwell</i>	

- 2009 *Lighting Designer* ***The Lonesome West*** (Australia)
 B sharp & Arts Asia Pacific
 Belvior St Theatre
 Director - Peter Carstairs
 Designer – Jake Nash
 Referee – Peter Carstairs
- 2009 *Lighting Designer* ***Cosi*** (Australia)
 Kaleidoscope Theatre Company
 Parramatta Riverside Theatres
 Director - Bernadette Baran
 Designer – Owen Kunnen
 Referee – Owen Kunnen –
- 2009 *Lighting Designer* ***Get Smarter*** (Australia)
 Flying Fruit Fly Circus
 Wodonga Civic Centre
 Director – Ruth Bauer
 Referee - Ruth Bauer –
- 2009 *Lighting Director* ***Hayden Tee Generation whY?***
 Trackdown Studios
 Director – Darren Yap
 Referee - Jeremy Youett -
- 2009 *Associate Lighting Designer* ***Ladybird*** (Australia)
 Bsharp & small things productions
 Director – Lee Lewis
 Lighting Designer – Luiz Pampolha
 Referee - Luiz Pampolha –
- 2008 *Lighting Designer* ***Beach Party*** (Australia)
 Flying Fruit Fly Circus
 Griffith Regional Theatre
 Director - Markus Michalowski
 Referee - Markus Michalowski –
- 2007 *Assistant Lighting Designer.* ***A DAY IN THE DEATH OF JOE EGG***
 Darlinghurst Theatre
 WOOSH Productions
 Director – Kim Hardwick
 Lighting Designer – Martin Kinnane
 Referee – Martin Kinnane -
- 2007 *Lighting Designer* ***GOD of HELL*** (Australia)
 Newtown Theatre
 Raw - EM
 Director – Robyn Mclean
 Designer – Mim Pearson
 Referee – Mim Pearson
- 2007 *Lighting Designer* ***POPULAR MECHANICALS***
 Cufflink Productions
 Big Laugh Comedy Festival
 Director - Lucy Egger
 Referee – Tim Wells

Technical Skills

Lighting Desks	Grand MA ETC Ion Whole Hog II
CAD and visualization	Vectorworks 12 WYSIWYG
AV production	Photoshop Final Cut AV projection

Secondment

Oct – Nov 2005	‘SYMPHONY OF LIGHT’	Lighting programmer, Laservision HK office
March 2006	‘ROCK – IT’ -	Lighting Assistant to Hugh Taranto
April 2006	Various productions	Lighting Assistant to Hugh Taranto (Silverchair, Jamie Callum, Paul Mac, You am I, Music Max Sessions- Jamie Callum, INXS & MTV MVA – The Darkness)
February 2007	Troupers STC	Lighting Assistant to Nick Schlieper

Community Service

- 2002** Stage manager of Amnesty International’s Youth Arts Festival.
- 2003** Committee member and Stage manager of Amnesty International’s Voices of Hope Youth Arts Festival.

Awards

- Outstanding Student Initiative 2000 Member of Epping Award
- Youth in Excellence Finalist 2001 Baulkahn Hills Shire Council Award
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References

Markus Michalowski
Artistic Director
The Flying Fruit Fly Circus

Peter Carstairs
Director
(‘September’ 2007 Toronto International Film Festival)

Harry Frehner
Lighting Designer
The Banff Centre