

# **ROBERT P. ROBINS**

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## **TEACHING**

Eastside High School, Gainesville Florida, Instructor, Technical Director, Drama I, Stagecraft, 2008-2011

Tennessee Governor's School for the Arts, Middle Tennessee State University  
Faculty, Lighting and Sound Designer, Technical Director  
1987, 1988, 1995-2001, 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011

Drury University  
Master classes on Lighting Design, Stage Management, and Portfolio Design, 2004, 2007, 2010  
Symposium on Sustainability: A Designer's Perspective 2005

Kennedy Center American College Theatre Festival, Region IV  
Workshops on "Hands-On Intro to Automated Lighting" and "Life After College" 2008

Multiple subjects and types of classes and workshops:

University of Florida  
Santa Fe Community College  
Ocala Civic Theatre  
Eastside High School  
Buchholz High School  
Santa Fe High School  
Lincoln Middle School

## **EDUCATION**

Florida Professional Educator Certification, Drama 6-12 endorsement

B.F.A. in Theatre/Technical Design, May 1985, with honors  
University of Florida, Gainesville, FL

A.A., May 1982, General Transfer Degree  
Full scholarship, theatre department  
Santa Fe Community College, Gainesville, FL

## LIGHTING DESIGN:

### HIPPODROME STATE THEATRE

Gainesville, FL

GUEST ARTIST LIGHTING DESIGNER, SOUND ENGINEERING DESIGN January 2008 to present  
LIGHTING DESIGNER IN RESIDENCE / AUDIO PRODUCTION, May 1985 to January, 2008  
Over 360 Lighting Designs; Stage Management, Sound Reinforcement/Mix Designs, Special Effects, Safety Officer, Rental Manager, and Intern Program Recruiter and interviewer  
Engineered sound reinforcement for all productions  
Designed live mixing sound systems and built components for all productions  
Designed safety training program and trained new employees in workplace safety  
Wrote safety procedures for all employees  
Wrote Emergency Preparedness and Evacuation procedures  
Developed new rental contracting, procedures, wrote policy and administered program  
Stage-managed over 15 productions

### LIGHTING DESIGNS

#### DRAMAS

This Wonderful Life	A Midsummer's Night Dream
Over The Tavern	Sirens
God's Carnage	The 39 Steps
This Wonderful Life	Boeing Boeing
End Days	Dracula
Around The World in 80 Days	Defiance
Dead Man's Cell Phone	Eurydice
The Glass Menagerie	Suddenly Last Summer
The Woman in Black	Dracula
Doubt	A Very Old Man with Enormous Wings
Frozen	Our Town
Sleeper	Nickle and Dimed
The Underpants	Stones in His Pockets
Two Pianos, Four Hands	Night of the Living Dead
Anna in the Tropics	A Tuna Christmas (10 times)
A Christmas Carol (26 times)	The Chosen
The Dead Guy	The Santa Land Diaries
The Memory of Water	Romeo and Juliet
The Play About the Baby	Sheer Madness (2)
The Carpetbaggers Children	Mere Mortals
Dinner with Friends	Moonlight and Magnolias
Suddenly Last Summer	The Smell of the Kill
Alice in Wonderland	Closer
Hysteria	Proof
The Diary of Anne Frank	Hysteria
Art	Anton in Show Business
The Blue Room	As Bees in Honey Drown
Macbeth	God's Man In Texas
Frankenstein	Master Class
Hedda Gabler	The Last Night of Ballyhoo (Jacksonville, FL)
The Last Night of Ballyhoo	Gross Indecency
How I Learned to Drive	Resident Alien
Like Totally Weird	Dracula
The Mineola Twins	Three Tall Women (Jacksonville, FL)
Three Tall Women	

The Glass Menagerie	Private Eyes
The Lion in Winter	The Lion in Winter (Jacksonville, FL)
Sylvia	Indiscretions
A Streetcar Named Desire	The Sisters Rosensweig
Lonely Planet	All in the Timing
To Kill a Mockingbird	Laughter on the 23 <sup>rd</sup> Floor
Beau Jest	Broken Glass
Frankie and Johnny in the Claire De Lune	The Illusion
Alice in Wonderland	The Sugar Bean Sisters
Ruthless	Breaking Legs
Lost in Yonkers	Earthly Possessions
Lips Together Teeth Apart	Prelude to a Kiss
Dancing at Lughnasa	From the Mississippi Delta
Lend Me A Tenor	Marvin's Room
Lettice and Lovage	Accomplice
Steel Magnolias	M Butterfly
Heidi Chronicles	Eleemosynary
Other People's Money	Rumors
Les Liaisons Dangereuses	The Boys Next Door
The Road to Mecca	The Mystery of Irma Vep
A Walk In the Woods	Driving Miss Daisy
Absent Friends	Broadway Bound
I'm Not Rappaport	Talk Radio
So Long on Lonely Street	Rum and Coke
Biloxi Blues	As Is
Cyrano De Bergerac	Brighton Beach Memoirs
Period of Adjustment	Orphans
Season's Greetings	Romeo and Juliet
The Real Thing	The Middle Ages
	Rhinoceros

### **MUSICALS**

Suds	College The Musical (world premier)
Beehive	The Great American Trailer Park Musical (2)
The World Goes Round	Songs My Mother Taught Me (world pre)
Beehive (Lake City, FL)	Beehive (Jacksonville, FL)
8 Track, The Musical	I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change
Oil City Symphony	Six Women with Brain Death
Bat Boy: The Musical	Always...Patsy Cline
Honky Tonk Angels	Hedwig and the Angry Inch
West Side Story (CPA, Univ. of Fla.)	Nunsense
Cookin' at the Cookery	Jelly Roll
Forever Plaid	The Rocky Horror Show
Evita (Florida Theatre, Gainesville, FL)	Blue Plate Special
Romance Romance	Pump Boys and Dinettes
(Constans Theatre, Univ. of Fla.)	Ain't Misbehavin', Official State Tour
Hair (Florida Theatre, Gainesville, FL)	Star Spangled Revue
A Chorus Line (Florida Theatre, G'ville, FL)	Ain't Misbehavin'
Little Shop of Horrors	

## **THEATRE FOR YOUNG AUDIENCES (TYA)**

The Wonderful... Wizard of Art	Radio Active
To Be Or Not To Be, That is Two Questions	Canta Danca Dancer
Portraits	Alice In Wonderland
Energy Carnival	Signposts
Captain Jim's Fire Safety Review Revue	Just Florida

## **NON-SUBSCRIPTION PRODUCTIONS**

Senior Playwright Festivals  
State of Florida Teen Playwright Festivals  
A Celebration of Unity for Everyone, Hippodrome State Theatre  
Summer Camp Productions  
Love Letters  
Broadway Cares/Equity Fights Aids, Hippodrome State Theatre, multiple productions  
Hippodrome State Theatre "Gala," University of Florida, President's House,  
multiple productions  
Hippodrome Improvisational Teen Theatre  
HITT-At-Risk  
Gainesville Area Improvisational Teen Theatre,  
Cabaret Nights  
Halloween Concerts, multiple bands, Sun Center  
House of Dreams, Hippodrome State Theatre  
Mindwalk, Hippodrome State Theatre  
Leo Kottke, Hippodrome State Theatre  
Melissa Hart and Formal Attire, Hippodrome State Theatre  
Shannon Parnell, In Concert, Hippodrome State Theatre  
Stel and Friends, Hippodrome State Theatre  
The Rhythm and Blues Revue, In Concert, Hippodrome State Theatre  
Felecia Walton, Hippodrome State Theatre  
Burr Oak Ensemble, Hippodrome State Theatre  
Cross Creek Cloggers, Hippodrome State Theatre

## **SOUND REINFORCEMENT/MIX DESIGNS**

College The Musical	Suds
Great American Trailer Park Musical	Alice in Wonderland
Two Pianos, Four Hands	Bat Boy: The Musical
Honky Tonk Angels	Hedwig and the Angry Inch
Forever Plaid	Master Class
God's Man in Texas	Frankenstein
The Rocky Horror Show	Beehive (with tour)
A Christmas Carol	Dracula
Always...Patsy Cline	Oil City Symphony
Ruthless	Six Women with Brain Death
Prelude to a Kiss (Fx)	West Side Story (CPA, Univ. of FL)
Evita (Florida Theatre, Gainesville, FL)	Hair (Florida Theatre, Gainesville, FL)
Blue Plate Special	Pump Boys & Dinettes
Little Shop of Horrors	

## STAGE MANAGEMENT

The Great American Trailer Park Musical	The Carpetbagger's Children
Life x 3	The Santaland Diaries
Beehive	Indiscretions
Art	Sylvia
A Christmas Carol (multiple)	To Kill a Mockingbird
The Wonderful..Wizard of Art, TYA Tour	Eco Heros, TYA Tour
Alice in Wonderland, TYA Tour	The Middle Ages, Official Florida State
They're Playing our Song	Tour

## SPECIAL EFFECTS

A Christmas Carol	Frankenstein
The Rocky Horror Show	Like Totally Weird
Dracula	A Streetcar Named Desire
All in the Timing	Alice in Wonderland
Six Women with Brain Death	Accomplice
The World Goes Round	

## Flat Rock Playhouse

Flat Rock, NC

Peter Pan Jr., 2011  
Steel Magnolias, 2010  
It Happened One Christmas, 2009  
The Woman in Black, 2009  
Ring Of Fire, 2009  
Seven Brides for Seven Brothers, 2009  
Around The World in Eighty Days, 2009  
Marty Robbins' El Pasco, 2009  
Hank and My Honky Tonk Heroes, 2008  
Dear Santa, 2008  
Tuesdays with Morrie, 2008

## Tennessee Governor's School for the Arts

Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro TN

Holy Ghosts  
The Robber Bridegroom  
Cinderella  
Anonymous  
Beautiful in the Extreme  
A Funny Thing Happened On The Way To The Forum  
Lucky Stiff  
Twelfth Night  
The Caucasian Chalk Circle  
The Dining Room  
Metamorphoses  
A Midsummer Night's Dream  
The Conference of The Birds  
Tall Tails and Fire in the Hole, from The Kentucky Cycle  
Macbeth  
Spoon River Anthology

The Comedy of Errors  
Romeo and Juliet  
Lit By Lightning  
Dark of the Moon  
A Midwestern Nightmare  
Working  
Nashville In Motion  
Nashville Ballet  
Dance Theatre Tennessee  
Ballet Finales

## **OCALA CIVIC THEATRE**

Ocala, FL

GUEST ARTIST LIGHTING DESIGNER, 1986-to date  
Fifteen time winner of Harvey Award for Best Lighting Design

### **MUSICALS**

Nunsense II	The Big Bang
Peter Pan	The Baker's Wife
Hello Dolly	Always, Patsy Cline
I Love You, Your Perfect, Now Change	Seussical
The Music Man	Mikado
42 <sup>nd</sup> Street	Cats
Nunsense	Annie
Little Shop of Horrors	Cabaret (2)
The Pirates of Penzance	Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat
Gypsy	Kiss Me, Kate
You're a Good Man, Charley Brown	Grease
Anything Goes	Sound of Music
Once Upon A Mattress	South Pacific
The Taffetas	Annie Get Your Gun
Working	Brigadoon
1776	1940's Radio Hour
The Secret Garden	Fiddler on the Roof
The Robber Bridegroom	Evita
A Funny Thing Happened ... Forum	Camelot
Little Shop of Horrors	Hello Dolly
Carnival	Dames At Sea
Man of La Mancha	

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### **DRAMAS**

Fiddler On The Roof	Leading Ladies
Look Homeward, Angel	No Sex Please, We're British
The Unexpected Guest	God's Favorite
On Golden Pond	The Battle of Shallowford
My Favorite Year	Harvey
I Hate Hamlet	Mack and Mabel
Enchanted April	The Musical Comedy Murders of 1940
The Sugar Bean Sisters	Noises Off
A Man for All Seasons	Over the River and Through the Woods
Rebecca	The Affections of May
The Last Night of Ballyhoo	Moon Over Buffalo
Deathtrap	Arsenic & Old Lace
My Three Angels	All My Sons
Don't Dress For Dinner	

Beau Jest  
Bedroom Farce  
You Can't Take It With You  
The Lion in Winter  
The Foreigner  
Requiem for a Heavyweight  
The Goodbye Show  
On Golden Pond

Jake's Women  
Lend Me a Tenor  
Playing Doctor  
The Man Who Came to Dinner  
The Mystery of Edwin Drood  
Brighton Beach Memoirs  
Light Up the Sky

## **LIGHTING DESIGNS**

### **Drama**

Look Homeward, Angel, Douglas Anderson School of the Arts. Jacksonville FL, 2007  
Selected for Mainstage, Florida State Thespian Festival  
Repertory Plot, Upland Hills School, Oxford MI 2007  
A Quiet Room, Eastside High School, Gainesville FL, 2007  
Selected for Mainstage, Florida State Thespian Festival  
Elvis People, New World Stages, Off-Broadway, NY, NY, 2007  
Elvis People, Phillip Center for the Arts, Gainesville FL 2006  
Henry the IV, Drury University, Springfield, MO 2006  
Repertory Plot, Westport High School, Ocala Florida 2003  
The Stars of Judah, B'nai Israel, Hippodrome State Theatre 2003  
A Soldier's Play, Phillips Center for the Arts, 2002  
Charley's Aunt, University of Florida 1992  
Oak Hall School 1988 - 1996  
Bus Stop, Gainesville Community Playhouse 1984  
Love Rides the Rails, Gainesville High School 1982  
The Space Crusaders, New Works 1982  
Reader's Theatre, Star Garage 1982  
Summer and Smoke, Santa Fe Community College 1980

### **Musicals**

Company, Drury University, Springfield MO 2010  
River of Rhythm: Caribbean Currents, Oak Hall School, Gainesville FL 2008  
Sweet Charity, Drury University, Springfield, MO 2007  
Lady Day at Emerson's Bar & Grill, Center for the Performing Arts 1993  
Black Graduate Student Organization Portraits in Black 1993  
Gypsy, Gainesville Community Playhouse 1981  
A Funny Thing Happened ... Forum, Gainesville High School 1981

### **Dance**

Dance Spectacular, Dance Alive National Ballet, 2008  
Robin Hood, Dance Alive National Ballet, 2008  
Tour, multiple shows, Dance Alive National Ballet, 2008-  
The Nutcracker, Marion Performing Ballet 2003-  
Cinderella's Ball, Marion Performing Ballet 2008  
Russian and Aei Bridled, Dance Alive! 2007  
Tom Jones, Dance Alive!. Center for Performing Arts, University of Florida 1995  
Carmina Burana, Dance Alive!, Center for the Performing Arts, University of Florida 1994  
Mass Celebration, Dance Alive! 1990  
Marion Caffey, Hooked on Broadway, Hippodrome State Theatre 1993  
Body Electric, Santa Fe Community College 1981  
Works in Progress, Santa Fe Community College 1980

## **ARCHITECTURAL AND LIGHTING SYSTEM DESIGN**

Hippodrome State Theatre, (Historic Old Post Office) exterior lighting design, 2008:  
City of Gainesville FL  
Karen Joy Theatre, Upland Hills School, Oxford MI, lighting system design, 2007:  
Eastside High School, additions and renovation, 2007  
Trinity Methodist Church, additions and design, Gainesville FL 2007

## **INDUSTRIALS AND EVENTS**

University of Florida Women's Basketball team poster and ticket image, Gainesville FL 2010  
International Baccalaureate Graduation, Paramount conference center, Gainesville FL 2008  
Robins Bar Mitzvah. Thelma Boulton Center, Gainesville FL 2007  
Stein Bat Mitzvah, Paramount conference center, Gainesville FL 2004  
Robins Bat Mitzvah, Sweetwater Branch, Gainesville FL 2003  
Babstista Photography Gallery Openings, various Gainesville FL 1999,2004,2006,2007  
Fine Bat Mitzvah, Center Hotel, Gainesville FL 1999  
Gorenberg Wedding, outdoor tent and landscaping 1998  
Jones Wedding, Thomas Center, Gainesville FL 1996  
Gluckman Wedding, outdoor tents and landscaping 1996  
Halloween Ball, Gainesville Hilton 1994  
Florida Foundation Campaign Celebration, Florida Gym, University of Florida 1998  
Florida Foundation Campaign Celebration, O'Connell Center University of Florida 1991  
Florida Foundation Capital Kickoff, O'Connell Center University of Florida 1988  
Museum Services Inc., Venus in Coral Cave Exhibit 1991  
Av-Med Halloween Ball, Gainesville Hilton 1993  
Oaks Mall Outdoor X-Mass Display 1990  
Corner Drug Store Kids at Risk, University of Florida . 1993  
Scottish Battlefield Band, Hippodrome State Theatre 1990  
India Club, Hippodrome State Theatre 1990

## **JORDAN GLEN SCHOOL**

Archer, FL

### **LIGHTING and SOUND DESIGNER, 1979-to date**

The Frog and Princess 2012  
Wicked 2011  
Shrek 2010  
Beauty and The Beast 2009  
Peter Pan 2009  
Aladdin 2008  
The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe 2007  
Beauty and the Beast 2006  
Seussical 2005  
Charlie and the Chocolate Factory 2004  
The Wiz 2003  
The Lion King 2002  
Bugsy Malone 2000  
Into the Woods 1991,1992, 1995, 1997  
Cats 1988, 1989, 1994-96, 1998, 2001  
Wizard of Oz 1984 & 1987  
Oliver 1986 & 1999  
Annie 1979 & 1985



## **EASTSIDE HIGH SCHOOL**

### **Lighting Design**

Hair, Eleemosynary, Dreamgirls, Godspell, Metamorphoses, A Quiet Place, Working, John and Jen, Romeo and Juliet,  
Repertory light plot

## **SOUND DESIGN AND REINFORCEMENT**

### **Tennessee Governor's School for the Arts**

Twelfth Night  
Lucky Stiff  
The Caucasian Chalk Circle  
The Dining Room  
Metamorphoses  
A Midsummer Night's Dream  
The Conference of The Birds  
Macbeth  
The Kentucky Cycle; Fire in the Hole, Tall Tales  
Romeo and Juliet  
Working  
Lit By Lightning  
Dark of the Moon  
A Midwestern Nightmare

Latin Festival, Outdoor stage, Sun Center, Gainesville Fl '05

## **LIGHTING CONSULTANT**

Bob White Video Productions, Gainesville, FL  
Upland Hills School Joy Theatre, Oxford MI  
Trinity Methodist Church, Gainesville Fl  
Eastside High School Gainesville FL  
Buchholz High School, Gainesville FL  
City of Gainesville, Fl  
Children's Home Society, Gainesville Fl  
Westport High School, Ocala Fl  
Santa Fe Community College, Gainesville Fl  
Alachua County Commission, Gainesville Fl  
Citrus Playhouse, Crystal River, FL  
Dance Alive!, Gainesville, FL  
Ocala Civic Theatre, Ocala, FL  
Children's Theatre for the Deaf, Gainesville, FL  
All Children's Theatre Gainesville, FL  
Two Head Video, Gainesville, FL  
Florida Theatre, Gainesville, FL  
Acrosstown Repertory Theatre, Gainesville, FL  
Florida Players, University of Florida College of Theatre and Dance, Gainesville, FL  
The Light Brigade, Gainesville, FL  
Everyman Sound Company, Gainesville, FL

## **FILM AND TELEVISION EXPERIENCE**

Archival print work for Hippodrome State Theatre  
Television advertising for Hippodrome State Theatre  
Duck Variations, Lighting Designer (PBS Television) (1986)  
Hippothon, Lighting Designer (WCJB-TV) (1985)  
Eulogy, Assistant to Art Director & Master Carpenter (PBS Television) (1984)

## **NON-DESIGN EXPERIENCE**

Automated programming, Dance Alive 1999  
Automated programming, Delite 1998  
Cats, Master Electrician, Center for Performing Arts, Univ. of Florida (1992)  
Dance Alive! Don Quixote, Master Electrician, Florida Theatre (1991)  
Dance Alive! Spring Gala, Master Electrician, Florida Theatre (1989)  
Dance Alive! In Concert, Master Electrician, Florida Theatre (1988-1991)  
Dance Alive! Mass Celebration, Master Electrician, Florida Theatre (1988)  
Southeast Regional Dance Festival, University of Florida  
Lou Rawls and Up With People, Curtis-Hixon Hall, SuperBowl XX, Tampa, FL  
Lanie Kazan, In Concert, Spurs Arabian Farm, Ocala, FL  
Dance Miami, Santa Fe Community College  
Alwin Nikolias Dance Theatre, Fall Performing Art Series, Electrician, University of Florida (1984)  
Alvin Ailey Dance Company, Fall Performing Art Series, Electrician, University of Florida (1984)  
Dracula, Board Operator, Gainesville Community Playhouse (1982)  
The Wool Gatherers, Electrician, Star Garage (1982)  
Fridays at 8, Fall Performing Art Series, Lighting Director, Santa Fe Community College (1981-82)  
SFCC Dance Club, Technical Director & Videographer, Santa Fe Community College (1980-81)  
Finian's Rainbow, Board Operator, Santa Fe Community College (1981)  
Ghosts, Board Operator, Santa Fe Community College (1980)  
Barefoot In the Park, Board Operator, Santa Fe Community College (1980)

## **FLORIDA PLAYERS**

### **UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA THEATRE DEPARTMENT**

#### HOUSE ELECTRICIAN

Constans Theatre from January 1984 to May 1985

#### LIGHTING DESIGNER

Die Fledermaus; 1940's Radio Hour; Ghostlight; Deathwatch

#### ASSISTANT LIGHTING DESIGNER

Zooman and the Sign

#### TECHNICAL DIRECTOR

Graduate One-Acts

#### LIGHT CREW HEAD

Eulogy/Showstoppers; Three Penny Opera; Our Town; Rimers of Eldridge

#### STAGE MANAGER

Fifth of July; Momentums '84; The Boyfriend

#### MASTER ELECTRICIAN

A Streetcar Named Desire; Ghostlight; Zooman and the Sign; Our Town;  
Working; Eulogy/Showstoppers; Sweet Bird of Youth

#### PROPERTIES DESIGN

House of Blues Leaves; Red Eagle Falling; Pippin; Death of a Salesman

#### ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

The Boyfriend

## **OTHER SKILLS**

MOUNTAIN BIKING

COOKING

PHOTOGRAPHY

FIRST AID, CPR CERTIFIED

COMMERCIAL DRIVERS LICENSE: CERTIFIED CLASS B, ENDORSEMENT P with air brakes