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ART DIRECTION — Film & Television:

- CBS Television Vacation/Replacement Art Director, 2010-2012 Covering CBS Evening News, CBS Sports, 48 Hours, 60 Minutes, etc.
- Crazy Eyes Independent Feature; NY Art Director, 2012 Celine Diano (Production Designer) Adam Sherman (Director)
- Shy Ronnie SNL Digital Short w/ Rihanna, Dec., 2009 Joe DeTulio (Production Designer) Akiya Schaffer (Director)
- Firelight SNL Digital Short w/ Taylor Swift, Nov., 2009 Joe DeTulio (Production Designer) Akiva Schaffer (Director)
- Bored to Death HBO Pilot, Art Director, 2008 Rick Butler (Production Designer) Alan Taylor (Director)
- I Hate Valentine's Day Feature, Art Director, 2008 Dara Wishingrad (Production Designer) Nia Vardalos (Director)

ASSISTANT ART DIRECTION — Film & Television:

- White Collar Staff Asst. Art Director: Seasons 3 [2011], 4 [2012] & 5 [2013]; Multiple Episodes: Season 2 [2010] USA Network, TVM Productions Alison Ford (Art Director) • Stephen Beatrice (Production Designer)
- Person of Interest Season 3 Episodes 311-314 [2013] CBS Television, Bonanza Productions Sarah Frank (Art Director) Rick Butler (Production Designer)
- POWER Episode 1 [2013] Starz Network, CBS Television Productions Jim Feng (Art Director) Dan Davis (Production Designer)
- John Wick Indie Feature [2013] Thunder Road Pictures/PPNY Productions C.I. Simpson (Art Director) Dan Leigh (Production Designer)
- Zero Hour Multiple Episodes: Season 1 [2012] ABC Television, FTP Productions Patricia Woodbridge (Art Director) Stuart Wurtzel (Production Designer)
- The Americans Multiple Episodes: Season 1 [2012] FX Network, TVM Productions Alison Ford (Art Director) John Mott (Production Designer)
- Person of Interest Multiple Episodes: Season 1 [2011-2012] CBS Television, Bonanza Productions C.J. Simpson (Art Director) Dan Leigh (Production Designer)
- Rubicon Multiple Episodes: Season 1, 2010 AMC Network Toni Barton (Art Director) Tim Grimes (Production Designer)
- The Smurfs Movie Columbia Pictures, 2009 Chris Shriver (Art Director) Bill Boes (Production Designer)
- Salt Columbia Pictures, 2009 Terri Carriker-Thaver (Art Director) Scott Chambliss (Production Designer)
- Sherlock Holmes Warner Bros., 2008 Patricia Woodbridge (Art Director) Sarah Greenwood (Production Designer)
- Tyler Perry Studios Phase 2 Gala 2008 3D Auto(AD illustrations Ina Mayhew (Production Designer)

ASSISTANT DESIGN — Film & Video:

The Manhattan Project [1986] • 20th Century-Fox • Assistant to Bran Ferren (Visual Effects Designer) & Phil Rosenberg (Production Designer) I'm Gonna Always Love You [1980] • Muppets, Henson Associates • Assistant to John F. Davis (Production Designer)

The Wiz [1978] • Universal Pictures • Assistant to Tony Walton (Production Designer) & Joel Schumacher (Costume Designer)

Girlfriends [1978] • Warner Brothers • Assistant to Patrizia Von Brandenstein (Art Director)

ASSISTANT SCENIC DESIGN — Broadway, Off-Broadway, Regional & Miscellaneous:

George Tsypin (Production Designer) • Rob Bissinger & Anita LaScala (Art Director/Project Managers)

• 2014 Winter Olympics Opening Ceremonies • Sochi, Russia [November, 2012—March, 2013]

Paul Weimer (Associate Scenic Designer) & Rob Howell (Scenic Designer)

• Matilda, the Musical • Broadway [2012]

Bill Hoffman (Scenic Designer)

• ...and the World Goes 'Round • West Side Arts Theatre [1991] & National Tour [1992]

Hal Tiné (Scenic Designer)

• Jerry's Girls • Broadway [1985]

Tom F. Schwinn (Scenic Designer)

• Oliver, Oliver • Long Wharf Theatre & Philadelphia Drama Guild [1984]

William Ritman (Scenic Designer)

- The Corn is Green Broadway [1983]
- The Physicists Kennedy Center [1982]
- The Late Christopher Bean Kennedy Center [1982]
- Beside the Seaside Hudson Guild Theatre [1982]

Tony Walton (Scenic Designer)

- Woman of the Year Broadway [1981]
- A Day in Hollywood, A Night in the Ukraine Broadway [1980]

Steven Rubin (Scenic Designer)

- The Survivor Broadway [1981]
- Don Pasquale Santa Fe Opera
- The English Cat Santa Fe Opera

David Mitchell (Scenic Designer)

• The Prince of Grand Street • Pre-Broadway (Boston) [1978]

Robin Wagner (Scenic Designer)

• Les Trovens • Vienna State Opera [1976]

- The Supporting Cast Broadway [1981]
- Onward Victoria Broadway [1981]
- Lolita Broadway [1980]
- Milliken Breakfast Show New York [1980]
- Hoagy/Bix Mark Taper Forum [1980]
- Il Matrimonio Segretto Santa Fe Opera
- Barber of Seville St. Louis Opera
- Working Broadway [1978]
- A Chorus Line International Tour [1976]

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DESIGNER & PROJECT MANAGER: [1987-2008]

As Vice-President of and Designer/Project Manager for Hotopp Associates, Ltd., a Scenic Design firm in New York City, designed hundreds of shows for production companies such as Drury Design Dynamics, Jack Morton Productions, Radio City Music Hall, PGI, Caribiner, Production Resources, Eventures and Extraordinary Events.

Industrial/Corporate Theatre projects include designs for:

IBM, Ford, Cheseboro-Ponds, Nutri/System, Lincoln-Mercury, Little Caesar's, ITT, Chevrolet, Mercedes/Benz, US Olympic Festivals, Goodwill Games, Pfizer, Holiday Inn, Wall Street Journal, Sandoz, McDonald's, Gillette, Janssen, McNeil, Schering-Plough, James Beard Awards

Television projects include designs for:

CBS This Morning, CBS: Winter Olympics Studio sets, CBS Sports Control Center, ESPN: Sport's Reporters, Sports Center, College Game Day, ESPNews Studio, MTV (I Want My MTV commercial), WUSA-TV 9 (Washington, DC)

THEATRICAL SCENIC DESIGN:

Puerto Rican Traveling Theatre, New York City [1979–1990]:

- Simpson Street [1979, 1985]
- El Macho [1979]
- Death Shall Not Enter the Palace [1981]
- Betances [1981]
- The Accompanist [1984]

Equity Library Theatre, New York City [1980-1986]:

- Allegro [1980]
- Plain & Fancy [1982]

Wagner College, Staten Island, NY:

• Dracula [1988]

Lambs Theatre Company, New York City:

• St. Hugo of Central Park [1989]

Jewish Repertory Theatre, New York City:

• Light Up the Sky [1988]

Playhouse on the Mall, Paramus, NJ:

• Fool of Hearts [1984]

Playwright's Horizons, Playhouse-in-the-Park, Queens:

• Awake and Sing! [1983]

- OK! [1984] Winner 1985 ACE Award, Best Scenic Design
- Orinoco [1985] Winner 1986 ACE Award, Best Scenic Design
- Bodega [1986, 1987]
- The Bitter Tears of Petra Von Kant [1986]
- I Am A Winner [1990]
- Up in Central Park [1984]
- She Loves Me [1986]
- **Baby** [1989]

• Star Spangled Girl [1984]

SUMMER STOCK DESIGN:

Mountain Playhouse, Jennerstown, PA [1979–1984]:

45 plays, 14 musicals including Deathtrap, Carnival, Lunch Hour, Murder Among Friends, On Golden Pond, My Fair Lady, Not Now Darling, Bus Stop, Camelot, Right Bed Wrong Husband, Chapter Two

Sacramento Music Circus, Sacramento, CA [1976]:

13 musicals including Anything Goes, The King and I, Camelot, Wonderful Town, Unsinkable Molly Brown, George M!, Wizard of Oz, No No Nannette Wagon Wheel Playhouse, Warsaw, IN, [1974—75 and 1977—78]:

16 Musicals, 2 plays including Gypsy, Godspell, Two by Two, Little Mary Sunshine, The Odd Couple, Dames at Sea, Roar of the Greasepaint, Forum, An Evening with Cole Porter, Gypsy, Best Foot Forward

MISCELLANEOUS:

- Scenic Design Member, Scenic Design Trustee, National Corresponding Secretary (Newsletter Editor) and Webmaster of United Scenic Artists, Local USA 829, IATSE
- Ad & Graphics Designer for Local USA 829
- Computer Design Skills: AutoCAD 2D & 3D, AccuRender, Photoshop, CorelDRAW