Brighton Liese – Lighting Designer

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LIGHTING DESIGN

PRODUCTION	DIRECTOR	COMPANY	DATE
*The Prom	*Director TBD*	Theatre for Charity	2026
*Legally Blonde Jr.	De Haddad	Brightside Theatre	2026
Annie	Sharon Miles	Schaumburg Park District	2025
Old-Fashioned Cold Fusion	Daniel Keeling	Lisle High School	2025
Musical of Musicals	Sarafina Vecchio	North Central College Theatre Dept.	2025
Freaky Friday	Tyler McMahon	Theatre for Charity	2025
The Little Mermaid	Nathan Dittemore	Wheaton Drama	2025
Pippin	Michael Currie	City of Lights Theatre & Cabaret	2025
Tabu	Raksanna Raqs Sharqi	Raksanna Dance Co.	2025
The Impresario }{ At the Audition	Jennifer Barrett	Opera Workshop at NCC	2025
Assassins	Landree Fleming	North Central College Theatre Dept.	2025
Heathers: The Musical	Nathan Dittemore	North Central College Theatre Dept.	2024
Peter Pan	Heather Hutchinson	Little Mountain Community Theatre	2024
A Devil Comes to Town	Jeremy Ohringer	North Central College Theatre Dept.	2023

ADDITIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE

PRODUCTION	ROLE	COMPANY	DATE
Freaky Friday	Projections Technician	Theatre for Charity	2025
Pippin	Head Electrician	City of Lights Theatre & Cabaret	2025
Tabu	Head Electrician	Raksanna Dance Co.	2025
Broadway by the Decade	Sound Engineer	North Central College Theatre Dept.	2024
Ride the Cyclone	Head Electrician	North Central College Theatre Dept.	2023
Frankie Avalon	Spotlight Operator	North Central College Fine Arts Dept.	2023
The Wailers	Spotlight Operator	North Central College Fine Arts Dept.	2023

EDUCATION / AWARDS / NOMINATIONS

2025 BroadwayWorld Chicago – Best Lighting Design of a Play or Musical *(Nomination)*
North Central College: 2025 BA in Theatrical Design and Technology
North Central College: 2024 Nicole Hansen Memorial Award

SKILLS

- ETC Console Operations (Nomad, Element, Ion, Apex)
- Qlab (4-5)
- Projection & Lighting Integration
- Vectorworks Spotlight (2024-2026)
- Lightwright 6
- Augment3d
- Spotlight operation and maintenance
- XKeys configuration and programming
- Microsoft Office
- Soldering
- Music Comprehension