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## Position Description - Night Site Manager

### **Job Specification**

**Job Title:** Night Site Manager

**Department:** Production

**Reports To:** Event Coordinator

**Direct Reports:** Site Crew, Fly Squad, Venue Technicians

## Job Scope

The Night Site Manager coordinates technical production and site operations to support the safe and professional site delivery of Darwin Festival events at venues. The role actions the Production department budget and plans, coordinates and oversees the deployment of equipment, observes patron behaviours during event delivery and oversees crew and suppliers as required.

The Night Site Manager supports the coordination of the logistics for both purpose-built and existing venues, and is responsible for production assets, materials and equipment. The role delegates to a team of production professionals and Festival crew.

Key Accountabilities	Tasks	Results
Site Management 55%	<ul> <li>Support the Production Manager and Technical Manager in the implementation of the annual program, providing advice on event and venue logistics and offering solutions to achieve the ambitions of the artistic program</li> <li>Assist in the coordination of show technical specifications and plan accordingly, ensuring the technical specifications, freight, logistics and staffing are accurate for show specific requirements.</li> <li>Under direction of the Production Manager, plan, schedule, delegate and manage the logistics, technical production, suppliers and crew at sites and venues during delivery</li> <li>Ensure necessary permits have been obtained, including road closures and traffic control, and ensure all permits and applications are submitted according to required timelines</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Successful delivery of each stage of production projects to the satisfaction of the Production Department</li> <li>Successful negotiations with suppliers and workers to secure optimum results in proactive consultation with the Production Department Management</li> <li>All production schedules are accurately managed in a timely manner – in collaboration with the Production Department Management and other departments as required.</li> <li>Participate in a departmental debrief immediately following event delivery</li> </ul>

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	<ul> <li>Assist the Production Manager and Technical Manager to oversee the delivery of production schedules to deadline</li> <li>With the Logistics Coordinator, assist in the upkeep of the Production Equipment Asset Register of stored goods</li> <li>Supervise and delegate to short-term production employees</li> <li>Effectively supervise and manage short term production employees.</li> <li>Complete the administrative and reporting tasks relating to the site</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>and provide a written debrief report to the Production Manager prior to end of contract</li> <li>Regular communication of developments and activities to be provided to the department management accurately</li> <li>Daily Report to be submitted professionally accurately and on time</li> <li>Short-term production employees effectively supervised and managed to deliver optimum results for at all times.</li> </ul>	
Financial Management 10%	<ul> <li>Ensure all project expenditure adheres to the Darwin Festival Finance Policies and Procedures and is undertaken with approval by the CEO and under supervision by the Head of Production</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>All project expenditure is approved in advance by the CEO through the Head of Production</li> </ul>	
Communication 15%	<ul> <li>Work collaboratively with all Festival team members to ensure open and clear sharing of information across all channels</li> <li>Communication and maintain relationships with external stakeholders (including, but not limited to, Emergency Services and Environmental Health stakeholders) regarding use of sites, regulations, permits and licensing to ensure each venue is compliant with Northern Territory rules and regulations</li> <li>Liaise with suppliers and stakeholders to ensure safe and successful delivery of events and sites, including but not limited to observing patron behaviours and communicating as necessary (i.e., security, bars management, local council)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Demonstrated effective communication and collaboration with all Festival team members and related stakeholders</li> <li>Timely notification of any changes to projects or schedules to all team members</li> <li>Full compliance with all regulations, permits and licensing for all sites at all times.</li> <li>All events and sites are safely and successfully delivered.</li> </ul>	
General Duties 5%	<ul> <li>Attend Festival functions, briefings and team meetings as required</li> </ul>	Proactive and punctual attendance at all required meetings	

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	<ul> <li>Any other duties as reasonably requested by Production Manager, Technical Manager, Head of Production and/or CEO</li> </ul>	All assigned duties carried out in a proactive, positive and professional manner at all times	
Teamwork 5%	<ul> <li>Always maintain professionalism and follow standards as outlined in the Employee Handbook or relevant document.</li> <li>Follow direction as given by senior team members</li> <li>Adhere to Darwin Festival Values and Code of Conduct as outlined in the Employee Handbook</li> <li>Respect for the work environment, each other and all stakeholders</li> <li>Foster a collaborative team environment where creativity, suggestions and ideas are actively encouraged</li> <li>Support other team members by being understanding, approachable and patient</li> <li>Punctual to all work-related events including but not limited to start time, meetings and onsite work</li> <li>Take an active role in procedures and initiatives, including but not limited to: WH&amp;S, Project Management, HR Induction, Onboarding etc.</li> </ul>	Full compliance and advocacy for all points raised	
WHS 5%	<ul> <li>Raise and report any or potential hazard or incident in the first instance within enableHR and to your direct Manager</li> <li>WH&amp;S compliance – observe all work health and safety and Darwin Festival policy and initiative requirements to contribute to a safe, healthy and ethical workplace</li> <li>Effectively manage any Workcover claims (if applicable), work with stakeholders to minimise risks</li> <li>Ensure you have contributed to the consultative process by advising management of any past, present or potential WH&amp;S risks</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>All WH&amp;S matters raised with your Manager in the first instance</li> <li>Adherence to all WH&amp;S policies, procedures and instructions</li> <li>Any Workcover claim (if applicable) is well documented, resolved in best time frame, ensure risk mitigation steps and measures in place</li> <li>Promoter of best practice WH&amp;S at all times</li> </ul>	

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	<ul> <li>Review and implement the Darwin Festival's Safety and Risk documentation and processes in-line with National Work Health &amp; Safety (WHS) standards, with NT Work Health and Safety Legislation and Codes of Practice, as well as Festival site rules.</li> <li>Ensure operational activities are conducted within the approved guidelines of relevant public safety acts and regulations relating to live public performance and in accordance with approved WHS standards</li> <li>Undertake the responsibilities of Area Warden during event delivery</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Required WH&amp;S documentation reviewed and implemented in a timely manner</li> <li>Participate in emergency and safety management briefings</li> <li>Operate equipment, including vehicles, elevated work platforms and forklifts to WHS guidelines</li> <li>Area Warden duties completed thoroughly and in a timely manner</li> </ul>
Compliance 5%	<ul> <li>Demonstrate 100% compliance with any relevant government legislation</li> <li>Be fully conversant and compliant with all Darwin Festival Policies and Procedures</li> <li>Ensure internal control procedures are followed through (e.g. correct forms used to action associated tasks)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>No instances of non-compliance</li> <li>Promoter of compliance within the organization at all times</li> </ul>

# **Person Specification**

Experience	Education	Personal Attributes	Potential	Alignment with Organisational Values
<ul> <li>Minimum four years' experience in technical production, preferably in a major event and/or festival environment, with demonstrated successful</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Current driver's license essential</li> <li>Current machinery licenses to operate telehandlers, forklifts,</li> </ul>	Excellent verbal and written communication skills and the ability to build a rapport with a range of stakeholders to	Number of potential career options dependent on business needs and the contribution, experience and desire of worker	<ul> <li>We ensure a safe and healthy workplace for all</li> <li>We believe in honesty and acting with care,</li> </ul>

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project management and problem-solving skills  Excellent knowledge of the technical and operational requirements of an extremely diverse range of art form performances  Ability to conceptualise and manage the complexity of production delivery in a multi-venue, multi-day festival environment  Proven ability to manage complex projects and multi-task, whilst being responsible for all related administrative tasks  Excellent people management skills: able to effectively supervise and/or manage the activities workers  Excellent computer skills, including Excel, with a knowledge of Datafest highly desirable	elevated work platforms is desirable  Current first aid certification essential  Current fire warden certification desirable  Current Working with Children certification essential  Demonstrated successful minimum 2-3 years in a similar role a must  Desirable: tertiary qualification in production or similar, or demonstrated equivalent competency	encourage cooperation and collaboration  High level organisational skills  Demonstrated capacity to meet deadlines with an ability to work in a systematic way and provide direction to others  Capacity to work as part of a small busy team under pressure, with a positive, collaborative, respectful and inclusive attitude.  Excellent decision-making skills to reduce chances of error  Highly developed leadership and management skills  Proactive and pragmatic approach to responsibilities - able to show and share enthusiasm with Team  Highly computer literate, able to self-administrate, pick up new systems and		diligence and integrity in everything we do  Foster a culture of mutual respect with the proper regard for the rights and dignity of others  We strive for compliance and continuous improvement daily teamwork – we enjoy our work and work collectively to achieve goals  We are accountable for our actions, performance and behaviours

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		processes quickly and also share expertise readily with others.		

#### Acknowledgment

Please acknowledge that you understand and will abide by this position description by signing both copies, one copy should be retained by yourself and the other copy is to be returned to the Human Resources Department.

Employee	Signature	Date	

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