1. Record Nr. UNINA9910159449003321 Autore Fazio Larry Titolo Stage manager: the professional experience - refreshed / / Larry Fazio Pubbl/distr/stampa Waltham, Massachusetts:,: Focal Press,, 2017 London: ,: Bloomsbury Publishing (UK), , 2023 **ISBN** 1-315-40566-0 1-315-40564-4 1-315-40565-2 Edizione [Second edition.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (404 pages) Disciplina 792.023 Soggetti Stage management Theater - Production and direction Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia "A Focal Press book"--Cover. Note generali 1. Introduction -- 2. The anatomy of a good SM -- 3. The SM's chain-Nota di contenuto of-command list -- 4. Stage manager for hire: seeking work, getting the job, being hired again and again -- 5. The electronic SM: tools, supplies, and equipment -- 6. Hard copy: transitioning to electronic files - charts, plots, plans, lists, schedules, signs, and reports -- 7. Profiles and working relationships -- 8. Running equity auditions -- 9. The SM's pre-production time -- 10. Rehearsals -- 11. The rehearsal/blocking script -- 12. The last days of rehearsals -- 13. The cueing/calling/prompt script -- 14. Technological advancements: moving lights, light emitting diodes, lasers, haze makers, scenic projections, and automated scenery -- 15. Technical rehearsals -- 16. The opening performance -- 17. Run of the show -- 18. The touring show -- 19. Closing the show -- 20. In the line of fire. Sommario/riassunto Stage Manager: The Professional Experience–Refreshedtakes the reader on a journey through all aspects of the craft of stage management in theatre, including the technological advancements that have come to theatre and the stage manger's job. Chapters are laid out to reflect the order in which stage managers experience and perform their work: what makes a good stage manager, seeking the job, building a resume,

interviewing for the job, and getting the job (or not getting the job).

Included are chapters on the chain of command, working relationships, tool and supplies, creating charts, plots, plans and lists, the rehearsal period, creating the prompt book, calling cues, and the run of the show. These are just some of the many topics covered in this book. In addition, the author uses interviews with stage management professionals in various stages of production, providing another view of how the stage manager is perceived and what is expected form the work of the stage manager. Fifteen years after the original publication ofStage Manager: The Professional Experience>, this new andB> refreshed /B>> edition is now in color to help clarify and illustrate points in the text. It is fully updated to reflect the the world of computerized technology: smart phones, thinly designed laptops, tablets, use of email and text messaging, storing and sharing files and information in cloud-based apps. Then there are the innovations ofautomation>-electronically moving scenery, scenic projections>casting images and patterns on the stage; moving lights; > LED luminaires;>lasers;> and greater use offog> andhaze> machines.In addition, the extensive glossary of more than 600 terms and phrases had been extend to well over 700, providing and excellent professional vocabulary for anyone hoping to be a theatre stage manager or already working in the field.