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Solo Acts and Primary skills

Hoop illusions, Wine Glass Balancing, 'Crystal' ball illusions, Close-up magic

Other Performance Skills

Mime, clown, slow motion walking, umbrella manipulation, poi, club swinging, service tray manipulation, roller skating, unicycle, hat juggling, ball juggling (5), club juggling (4), puppeteering, "8" ring illusions, stage magic, clarinet, euphonium, tuba, contact improvisation

Performance Highlights

PALAZZO Dinner Theatre Show, Vienna, Austria, November 2017 -- March 2018
"Kings & Queens" by Maximilian Rambaek. Performed wine glass balancing act, hoop act, close-up magic, character animation, 'crystal' ball

Moisture Festival, Seattle, WA USA, March 2017

Hoop act in the world's largest Comedy/Varietè festival

PALAZZO Dinner Theatre Show, Berlin, Germany, November 2016 -- March 2017

"Kings & Queens" by Maximilian Rambaek. Performed hoop act, close-up magic, 'crystal' ball, character animation

RAGMOP Theatre's "Falling Awake", Canadian Fringe Tour, Summer 2016

Co-created and toured two person theatre show for Fringe audiences in 7 festivals across

Canada to many awards and critical acclaim [ragmoptheatre.com]

PALAZZO Dinner Theatre Show, Nürnberg, Germany, November 2015 -- March 2016
"Glücksjäger" by Maximilian Rambaek. Performed hoop act, "8" rings, 'crystal' ball,
close-up magic, character animation

Summerstage NYC, The Incredible Incredible "Palindrome", June 2015 50 minute show with partners Justin Therrien and Lucas Hicks

- Israel Juggling Convention, March 2015

 Invited guest of the festival, hoop act in gala and workshops
- Cirque Éloize Special Events Team, Dubai UAE, January -- February 2015

 Animation with hoop, 'crystal' ball, and "8" rings at Clé Dubai restaurant
- Cirque Éloize Special Events Team, Dubai UAE, October 10 and 11, 2014 Clé Dubai *opening party and reception*. *Animation with hoop*.
- Newcomershow, Krystalpallast Varieté, Leipzig Germany, July 2014 Winner of the Palazzo Award for hoop act
- Moisture Festival, Seattle, WA USA, March 2014

 Hoop act in the world's largest Comedy/Varietè festival
- Clowns Without Borders, Philippines 2013

 Post Typhoon Haiyan relief work; Performed for 13,000 affected kids in 13 days
- Button Wagon "Button Wagon" and "Trash Rabbit", 2010 to 2013

 Co-founder, producer, and performer of award winning circus/theatre duo

 Toured Theatres, Fringes, and other Festivals across the US
- Santa Fe Opera "Faust", 2011, NM

 Juggler, unicyclist, and rollerskater in Opera production

Also performed in:

New Old Time Chautauqua (2013, 2017)
Oregon Country Fair (2017, 2015, 2013, 2010, 2009)
Gift Horse (2017)
ODDS ARE (2015)
Shoestring Rockinghorse (2012 to 2013)
Dream Community, Taiwan (2010)
"Plans Drawn in Pencil" (2010)
"Circus Luminous" (2009)
"Splice" (2009)
Circus Conspiracy (2008 to 2009)