

Resume' OVERVIEW

Beginning my audio/video career in television broadcasting back in 1982, I became capable in production development, scripting, audio, switching and directing. Later I became an on-air director, and worked both as a production assistant and lead on-air director for four stations.

When the final station I worked with ceased operations, I went into the AV world, doing staging for corporate events as well as live production and more voice work. After several years of this, I transitioned into doing shop and field service and developed the installations division, eventually doing AV design work and managing the department of six techs and a their supervisor, developed departmental practices and worked closely with clients in developing concepts and solutions for their audiovisual system needs.

I am creative and confident in functional system design concepts, and most areas of production. I speak well and can easily demonstrate concepts to clients. I have excellent familiarity with construction of commercial and residential structures. Currently, Visio Pro is the design platform I am most familiar with, and learning a bit of AutoCAD. I also have a reputation of being detail oriented, methodical and creative.

Over my 40+ years in the communications field, I pursued what excited me and thrived on the freedom to express creativity in all of my positions. What I am, the whole package of skills, experience and potential, the whole person... I am a great investment. The following pages outline my career history.

Thank you for your time and interest, as I look forward to hearing from you soon!

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Objective : Work Smart, Be Happy

David C. Watts

Experience 2023 JUN – present

CCG/Pavlov Media, based in Champagne, IL. : Working in **Centerburg, OH**

PT General Operations for future development

Residential Fiber Internet installations & General Pre-Deployment Operations

2021 JUN – 2023 JUN

iZone Broadband, Centerburg, OH

Promotions/Social Media Relations/Creative

Residential Wireless Internet installations & General Operations

2014 AUG–2020 MAR

Bartha Audio Visual, Columbus, OH (a National Event Staging co.)

Scenic Dept. Mgr.

Oversee Scenic Department operations (Scene Shop/Soft Goods) Creative

Consultant /Concepts Engineer for set development √ Budgeting for

Stage/Set Builds √ Managed print work order specs and integration /

vendor purchases

2013 Jan– 2014 Aug

Bartha Audio Visual Columbus, OH

Warehouse Mgr.

Managed expanded 70,000 Sq. Ft. AV Warehouse, Scheduled drivers/trucking

for all nationwide show operations √ Shipping/Receiving all freight/sub-

rentals/sales media needs

2007 Mar– 2012 Dec

WattsAmerica LLC–dba Ohio Media Systems Centerburg, OH

Owner/Operator √ Consulting / Engineering / Design / Project management

/ Installations √ Scheduling / Oversight of all projects and subs √ Originated

and developed all operating procedures √ Specify products and provide

technical consultation √ Contracted 9 months to AVI-SPL for Columbus

Courthouse Build, as Project Mgr.

2006 Jan– 2007–Jan

Music Man–Innovative Media Systems Columbus, OH

Installations Mgr. √ Engineering / Design / Projects manager √ Originated

department and developed all operating procedures √ Specify products and

provide technical consultation to sales staff and clients

2004 Mar- 2006 Jan.

Newcome Electronic Systems Columbus, OH

Audio Visual Services Coordinator & Lead Technician, Commercial Division
Site Coordination of Commercial AV Systems Installations and 3 techs

1995-2004 Mar

Bartha Visual Inc. Columbus, OH

Installations Mgr. Engineering/Design/Projects manager/Scheduling
Oversight of 2 crews and supervisor, Originated department and developed all
operating procedures, Specify products and provide technical consultation to
sales staff and clients

** Have designed/installed 3 production studios, Security camera systems
and a sleep lab

** Five years- Ohio State Fair Concerts: IMAG Video Technical Director

** Three Years- "Hookaville" Outdoor Concerts: IMAG Video Technical
Director

1991-1995

Bartha Visual Inc. Columbus, OH

Rental & Staging Tech ✓ Set up and operation of sound & video
systems/components ✓ Multi Camera switching/production director and
videographer ✓ Video A/B-roll editing and voice-over work for clients ✓
Minor equipment repair and maintenance

1989-1991

Singer Audio Visual Inc. Columbus, OH

Rental & Staging Tech -Delivery and pickup of rental AV gear, Set up and
operation of sound and Video systems/components, Videographer, voice-
overs, and limited production work, Minor component repair and maintenance

1988-1989 **WCOM-TV 68 Mansfield, OH** *On Air Director* On-Air switching
of program and commercial content ✓ Master Control tape operations

1986-1988 **WWAT-TV 53 Chillicothe, OH** *Operations Mgr* ✓ Oversight of all
on-air operations, personnel and director training ✓ Produced and edited
local content, ID's, Tags, Promo's and commercial spots. ** I was the station
announcer as well. (This station became WWHO-53)

1984-1985 **WTTE-TV 28 Columbus, OH** *On Air Director* ✓ On-Air switching
of program and commercial content ✓ Master Control satellite & tape
operations and production asst.

1982–1984 **WSFJ-TV 51 Newark, OH** *Master Control Operator*

On-Air switching of program content √ Master Control satellite and tape operations, production asst.

1979–1982 General Construction Central OH –Carpenter

Routing & Stair Assembly (Ohio Prefab Inc) √ Framing, Set Doors/Windows for New Apt builds √ General Remodeling, Handyman Work

Education

1983 American School of Broadcasting Columbus, OH Most aspects of Radio & Television Broadcasting Operations √ 600+ hrs Broadcast writing/operations 300+ hrs Station internship – Camera Ops, Floor Direction

1982 Beechcroft High School Columbus, OH

Interests

My family, music creation/production, piano, CAD, computers, AV technologies, mini-bikes. Special Skills Perspective Sketching & 3D rendering as a sales/design tool Knowledge of all aspects of audio visual systems design / installations PC's through OS Win11, Visio, Excel, Word, etc. Electrical / structural knowledge of commercial / residential construction Multi-camera video system layout/ops for live entertainment production Audio production and voice-overs for commercial use Excellent communication skills **OSHA 10 and 30 certifications** Several Basement, Deck, Theater Designs & Builds 100's of AV systems/Conference Rooms/Class Rm Designs Knowledge of Comm/Res Security/Video Systems

“My success comes only from being creative, diligent and dynamic.”

Please consider all of the above as a snap-shot of who I am and what I may be able to do for you. As with any person, there is so much more that is revealed in conversation, in person, with more time. If it seems as if I might have what you are looking for, please contact me. I would like the opportunity to talk about how I can be a benefit to you or your company. Personal I am married with four daughters, my youngest being age eighteen! I enjoy playing piano and writing/producing music in my studio. I enjoy travel in the Dominican Republic, Puerto Rico, The Bahamas', Mexico.

When we built our home, I wired it extensively for technology and we have & use 12 computers, most dedicated-use machines. Tinkering is a hobby, and most say I can fix just about anything. I have designed, wired and finished several basement projects since 2000, two being my own, which include a bar, studios, and an 18'x19' Home Theater. I have also built two other recording studios and stay up with technology as much as possible. My youngest daughters are in college, while my wife is an RN case manager with Aetna.

References

Scott Lanham –(Bus.) CIENA optical and routing systems Hanover, MD. 740.358.9574

Dan Casey (Bus.Pers.) AV Lead/Recording Eng. Since 1988 614.205.4750

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Sean McCloughlin (Bus.)AV-IT Key Bank CLEVE. Since 2005 419.606.8707

Mike Gifford (Bus.) Lead Install Lead/Trainer Since 2004 614.769.3973

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Phil Lawson (Pers.) Auto body Tech Since 2002 614.207.5381