

The **Northern Lights Music Festival** (<https://www.northernlightsmusic.org/opera/>) is seeking a **Technical Director** for its Main Stage and Opera Apprentice productions of La Cenerentola and other festival performances

Job Type: Non-Employee contractor Services required from June 27 to July 20

The Technical Director (TD) is responsible for the oversight and management of technical staff and willing to work creatively with the Production Coordinator, Festival Director and Designer on all Technical aspects of the productions (Primary focus on the opera), including, but not limited to:

- assist with completion of the set builds;
- coordinate with the lighting and sound directors;
- oversee a running crew of four to 6 persons;
- manage the load in / load out of sets into Mesabi East School Auditorium and Discovery Center Amphitheater
- truck sets from Mesabi East School to Chisholm, MN Discovery Center Amphitheater and return to appropriate storage at close of production.
- coordinate with and oversee Set Painter.
- Insure that all technical deadlines are met with regard to rehearsals, shows, events and performances
- You will have no responsibility for chamber music activities, nor the NLMF School

Education and Experience: Minimum of bachelor's degree / or equivalent work experience in a related field preferred

Practical Skills and Physical Demands:

- Reliable transportation, a valid driver's license and the ability to rent and drive a large truck in the state of MN
- The TD must be able to lift or move up to 75lbs, work on elevated catwalks, lifts, and ladders. Work with high voltage electrical equipment, use paints, stains and finishes, and use power tools.

Work Environment:

- some outside work required, noise levels consistent with machinery may be experienced

Benefits:

Housing provided for the duration of the engagement, Meal Stipend, Travel Stipend and/or Fuel reimbursement, Secure space for tools and equipment storage

Salary: \$800.00 - \$1000.00 per week depending on qualifications

To Apply: Please submit Resume and references to Veda Zuponcic (zuponcic@yahoo.com) Festival Director and Peter Burroughs (productionNLMF@gmail.com)