

Ben Cooper-Melchiors

Producer
United Kingdom

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Professional Experience and Curriculum Vitae

I'm a creative producer and arts manager based in London.

I believe producing and business strategy is an inherently creative process, and I place myself as a macro-level leader and supporter within my work, collaborating with micro-level leaders who directly create the piece, performance or project. Thus I am an artist shaping the business vehicle that others' creativity exists within. My mind is usually focused upon or captivated by innovation, stability within business, chaos within creativity and playfulness with art forms.

I am also an experienced general manager, covering project management, business development, negotiation, contracting, finance, HR, recruitment, child protection law, and intellectual property needs.

My own artistic practice is centered upon physical and design-centric theatre.

I currently work with young creative freelancers and entrepreneurs, providing them an office based at IdeasTap and professional development within their discipline or start up business.

I'm available for associate producing of interdisciplinary, site-specific or performance projects, CV reviews, or creative business planning.

Previous Clientele

Franko B - Producer
Battersea Arts Centre - Administration Manager
National Youth Theatre - Administration Manager
The Red Room - Project Manager of THE OIKOS PROJECT
Mill Co Project & Whitechapel Gallery FIRST THURSDAYS - Creative Producer
IdeasTap - Hub General Manager
Nowhere Arts Festival (Spain) - Art Producer

Awards and Accolades

Please kindly get in touch for more information.

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MA - Performance Practices & Research,
distinction
Central School of Speech and Drama

BS - Arts Administration, summa cum laude
BA - Theatre, summa cum laude, highest honours
Butler University

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