LU ZHANG Costume Designer

luzhang@email.com 🔽

United States, San Antonio, TX ♀

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Versatile and creative Costume Designer with over 5 years of experience collaborating with directors and production teams to create authentic costumes for stage and screen productions. Skilled in managing costume budgets, sourcing materials, and coordinating fittings.

EDUCATION

2015 - 2019

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Costume Design

Beijing Institute of Fashion Technology / China, Beijing

SKILLS

•	Knowledge of Fashion and Costume History	Expert
•	Sewing and Patternmaking	Expert
•	Color Theory	Expert
•	Budget Management	Expert
•	Textile Knowledge	Expert

LANGUAGES

- Chinese (native)
- English (fluent)

EXPERIENCE

) 2021 - Now

Costume Designer

San Antonio Theater Company / United States, TX

- Collaborate with directors, producers, and other designers to develop concepts and designs for theatrical productions.
- Conduct research and source materials to create authentic costumes, staying within budgets averaging 1000 dollars per production.
- Create sketches and mood boards, effectively communicating design ideas to production teams and performers.
- Coordinate costume changes and maintenance throughout rehearsals and performances.

2019 - 2021

Costume Designer Freelance / China, Beijing

- Designed costumes for diverse projects, including theatrical productions, film and television, dance performances, and special events.
- Collaborated closely with clients to understand their vision and requirements, resulting in high levels of satisfaction and repeat business.
- Managed costume budgets ranging from 0 to ,000 per project, sourcing materials and coordinating fittings to meet deadlines.

2018 - 2019

Costume Assistant Beijing Institute of Fashion Technology / China, Beijing

- Organized costume inventory and managed rental returns, ensuring all garments were accounted for and properly cared for.
- Collaborated with other departments to achieve cohesive visual aesthetics.