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TEMPUS PROJECT

DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF COURSES FOR THEATRE TECHNICIANS AND STAGE MANAGERS (ScenTec) 530810-TEMPUS-1-2012-1-RS-TEMPUS-JPHES

ADVANCED+ COURSE FOR LIGHT TECHNICIANS

5th May, 2014 University of Novi Sad and Serbian National Theatre





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Advanced+ course for light technicians

5th May, Serbian National Theatre, Chamber stage

Advance+ course for light technicians was led by Michael Ramsaur, Professor of Lighting Design and Director of Production at Stanford University and Professor of Lighting Design at Faculty of Technical Sciences, University of Novi Sad, with support from other members from the Faculty of Technical Sciences University of Novi Sad who are members of SCENTEC project team.

One day course was aimed towards professionals with experience in this field and it was held on 5th of May at the Chamber stage in Serbian National Theatre.

Twelve participants attended this course and they were light technicians and operators from National Theatre in Subotica, Little Theatre Dusko Radovic from Belgrade and Serbian National Theatre, from Novi Sad as well as master and PhD students from the University of Novi Sad.

Focus in this course was on design process - concepts, preliminary design and design documentation. Professor Ramsaur analyzed his experience and work on light design in Broadway musical productions, showing what needs to be developed by whom and what the dependencies are. He talked about importance of good communication in teams and showed software LX Beams which links process of drawing a light plot with doing the paperwork and writing with possibility of beam displaying and rendering capabilities.