

# Robert Wicks

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## Biography

As a musical director, Robert has worked in professional and educational theatre for over 10 years – performing with around 50 productions during that time. As well as working as musical director/supervisor for The Who's Tommy, he is currently musical supervisor for the Talent Artistic Group - arranging, recording and rehearsing new shows for performance both in the UK and abroad. Other recent work includes arranging, orchestrating and music supervising the new musical Blockbuster for its first UK tour for Paul Nicholas Productions, musically directing The 12 Tenors European Tour for World Wide Events, Goodnight Mrs Calabash at Upstairs at The Gatehouse, London for Ovation Productions ; Tale Of Two Cities at Charing Cross Theatre, London for Paul Nicholas Productions (West End); and The Best Of Musicals European Tour for World Wide Events. He has worked for Paul Holman Associates in the UK for 4 years - musically directing and orchestrating productions of Sleeping Beauty at The Carriageworks, Leeds, UK and Jack and the Beanstalk, Beauty and the Beast, and Snow White and the Seven Dwarves at The Place in Telford, UK. As a visiting lecturer and director for the University of Cumbria he has musically directed Sweet Charity, The Threepenny Opera, Nine, Witches of Eastwick, Guys and Dolls and The Mikado at the Stanwix Arts Theatre, and for Stagedoor Manor Performing Arts Training Center in NY, USA he has recently musically directed The Addams Family, Evita, Young Frankenstein, In The Heights, and Jesus Christ Superstar. Other recent productions include the 2nd workshop for Nutcracker! The Musical for Peaceful Lion Productions / Holson Productions, Summer Holiday (Windsor Theatre Royal, Windsor, UK), and The King and I (Windsor Theatre Royal, Windsor, UK). In addition, Robert has also toured nationally all over the UK as a band and session musician and also writes and arranges music. As part of the group Left With Pictures, he has released three albums and has composed music for film, theatre and commercials.

## Production Experience

Year	Job Title / Type	Production	Company / Venue
2015 - present	Musical Director / Supervisor Theatre	The Who's Tommy	Peter Frosdick Productions Ltd UK Tour
2015 - present	Musical Supervisor / Arranger Cruise	Elysium	TAG Limited for Celebrity Cruises
2015	Musical Supervisor / Arranger Cruise	Broken Strings	TAG Limited for Celebrity Cruises
2015	Musical Director Theatre Education	Sweet Charity	University of Cumbria Stanwix Arts Theatre, Carlisle
2015	Arranger / Orchestrator	Seaside Cirque	TAG Limited UK Tour
2015	Arranger / Orchestrator	Looking for Oz	TAG Limited UK Tour
2014-2015	Musical Director Theatre	Beauty and the Beast	Paul Holman Associates Oakengates Theatre, Telford
2014	Musical Director / Arranger Theatre	Blockbuster The Musical	Paul Nicholas Productions UK Tour

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2014	Musical Director Theatre Education	The Addams Family	Stagedoor Manor Performing Arts Center, NY
2014	Musical Director Theatre Education	Evita	Stagedoor Manor Performing Arts Center, NY
2014	Musical Director Theatre Education	The Threepenny Opera	University of Cumbria Stanwix Arts Theatre, Carlisle
2014	Musical Director Theatre Education	Nine	University of Cumbria Stanwix Arts Theatre, Carlisle
2013-2014	Musical Director Theatre	Sleeping Beauty	Paul Holman Associates Carriageworks Theatre, Leeds
2013	Musical Director Theatre Education	Witches of Eastwick	University of Cumbria Stanwix Arts Theatre, Carlisle
2013	Musical Director Workshop	Nutcracker! The Musical	Peaceful Lion / Holson Productions Toynbee Studios, London
2012 - 13	Musical Director Theatre/Concert	The 12 Tenors European Tour 2012 - 2013	World Wide Events Various Theatres across Germany, Italy, Spain, Poland
2012	Musical Director Theatre Education	Guys and Dolls	University of Cumbria Stanwix Arts Theatre, Carlisle
2012	Musical Director Theatre	Goodnight Mrs Calabash	Ovation Productions Upstairs at the Gatehouse, London
2012	Musical Director Theatre	A Tale of Two Cities	Paul Nicholas Productions Charing Cross Theatre, London
2011 - 12	Musical Director Theatre	The Best of Musicals European Tour 2011 - 2012	World Wide Events Various Theatres across Germany, Italy, Norway, Austria
2011	Musical Director Theatre Education	The Mikado	University of Cumbria Stanwix Arts Theatre, Carlisle
2011	Musical Director Theatre Education	9 to 5 The Musical	Stagedoor Manor Performing Arts Center, NY
2011	Musical Director Theatre Education	The Wedding Singer	Stagedoor Manor Performing Arts Center, NY
2011	Musical Director Theatre Education	Curtains	Stagedoor Manor Performing Arts Center, NY
2011	Musical Director Theatre	Summer Holiday	Songtime Productions Windsor Theatre Royal, Windsor
2010 - 11	Musical Director / Orchestrator Theatre	Jack and The Beanstalk	Paul Holman Associates Oakengates Theatre, Telford

## Employer Details

Month/Year	Job Title	Company / Venue
June 2015 - present	Musical Supervisor / Musical Director	Peter Frosdick Productions - UK Tour
March 2015 - present	Musical Supervisor / Arranger	TAG Limited
Feb 2014 - present	Musical Director Arranger / Orchestrator	Paul Nicholas Productions – UK Tour
May 2013 - present	Musical Director Vocal Coach	West End Workshops - London
Mar 2012- May 2012	Musical Director Additional Arrangements	POB Associates – Charing Cross Theatre, London
April 2012 – June 2012	Musical Director Additional Arrangements	Ovation Productions – Upstairs at the Gatehouse, London
Sept 2011 - present	Musical Director Visiting Lecturer	University of Cumbria – Carlisle
Nov 2011 – April 2013	Musical Director Vocal Director	World Wide Events – European Tours
Nov 2009 - present	Musical Director Orchestrator	Paul Holman Associates – Various UK theatres
Jan 2009 – June 2009	Piano / Keyboards	Royal Caribbean Productions – USA
Sept 2008 – April 2011	Musical Director Vocal Performance Tutor	The Academy Arts Theatre School And Agency
Sept 2004 - present	Musical Director Vocal Performance Tutor Piano Tutor	Stagedoor Manor Performing Arts Training Center, NY
Nov 2010 – Sept 2011	Vocal Performance Tutor	The Brit School
Sept 2008 – June 2010	Musical Director	Centre Stage
Sept 2005 – June 2013	Musical Director Vocal Performance Tutor	Songtime Theatre Arts/Act Now Entertainment