



Western North America Candidate

Mel McGowen

Founder, Chief Creative Officer
Storyland Studios
Primary Location: United States
Running for 1st term



ABOUT THE APPLICANT:

To continue my efforts as a previous board member and ThemedAttraction.com podcaster. Additionally, to extend awareness and involvement, both internally and externally, of our industry.

VISION FOR THE TEA

I would love to continue to provide opportunities to inform and inspire the next generation of storytellers to consider the multiple disciplines and paths of collaboration/contribution to our industry. I will continue this by involvement with and support of the TEA Education Committee, personally, as well as continuing the involvement of Storyland Studios to help in these endeavors.

SKILLS AND CORE COMPETENCIES

My life's work-- to leverage my 3 decade + network, resources and "Brain damage"/experience to support TEA into the future. I'm listing some specifics in my CV (attached), but I believe in collaboration and connection, and want to share my experiences to help others and the industry, as best as I can. Though I can offer myself, I believe us working together is the best way to grow + succeed within the TEA...the future is bright, and I consider it a joy to build into others as we together work to uplift the collective spirit. I believe there is goodness now and much ahead of us. Let's keep going!