

# **3-day Rigging for the Entertainment Industry**

Suitable for novices as well as those with more experience of Rigging

Course CodeRTT-0100Duration3 DaysVenueRigging Team Training Centre, Unit 3 Gunnels Wood Park, Stevenage, SG1 2BH<br/>£700 excl. VAT per person.Trainee Ratio1:6

## Course outline

- Current legislation and regulations incl. Health and Safety at Work Act, PUWER, LOLER, Work at Height Regulations
- Principals of lifting: levers, beams, pulleys, angles of lift
- Identification of rigging/lifting points
- Simple load calculations: load distribution and bridles
- Safe systems of work
- Pre-use checks to lifting equipment and PFPE
- Rigging with a variety of typical equipment
- Installation of single points and simple 2-way bridles
- Rigging and safe operation of electric chain hoists
- Assembly, slinging and correct use of trusses
- Secondary Suspensions
- Terminating steel wire ropes with reusable fittings
- Work at height using PFPE: work restraint, work positioning and fall arrest techniques

### On completion of the course candidates will have:

- Comprehensive course notes
- A numbered certificate of attendance relating to the syllabus above
- A personal record of training and an appreciation of their legal duties
- A basic knowledge of how to use equipment safely in lifting operations
- An understanding of safe working at height including the use of PFPE
- Trainee Discount on PFPE ordered from us, valid up to 30 days after the course. T&C's apply.

## Trainee requirements:

- Minimum 18 years of age on first day of course
- Trainees need to be physically fit and free from any disability or medical condition that may prevent them from working safely.
- Trainees will need to complete a declaration of medical fitness

## **Rigging Training FAQ's:**

#### What equipment do I need for the course?

We provide everything required except suitable work clothes and footwear.

#### Will the course make me a 'qualified' rigger?

Attending a training course cannot make you competent or qualified but it will identify areas you need to work on. In the UK, employers must provide adequate training for work activity where there are risks to your (or anyone else's) health or safety as a result of the work you do. Undertaking training with Rigging Team may help to satisfy that requirement.

#### How can I become a 'qualified' rigger?

Currently, the only qualification for entertainment rigging in the UK is the National Rigging Certificate (NRC) awarded by PLASA. <u>www.plasa.org/skills</u>

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