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**SAN DIEGO MUSICAL THEATRE
Announces Michael Thomas-Visgar as New Production Manager**

San Diego Musical Theatre (SDMT) is pleased to announce Michael Thomas-Visgar as their new Production Manager. Thomas-Visgar is a critically acclaimed director, producer and actor originally from Los Angeles who just recently moved to San Diego. He holds a master's degree in Arts & Culture Management with a concentration in Advocacy & Outreach from The University of Denver and a bachelor's degree in Theater & Media Production from Pepperdine University.

Thomas-Visgar has received critical acclaim on many productions, most notably *The Mongoose* for which he received an LA Times Critic's Choice. Michael's most notable directing credits include *YouTube Rewind: The Musical!* (2019) which has over 2 million views to date. His selected performing credits include: *Ragtime* (Pasadena Playhouse), a workshop cast member and opening day cast member of *Frozen: Live at the Hyperion* directed by Tony Nominee Liesl Tommy. *Man of La Mancha* (San Diego Musical Theatre), *Parade* (3D Theatricals) *Man of La Mancha* (McCoy Rigby) and many more.

"I am excited to get to work with SDMT as their Production Manager," said Thomas-Visgar. "I have loved working here in the past and I am incredibly grateful to be a member of this fantastic production team"

Thomas-Visgar started January 10th to assist in the first production of SDMT's 2022 season, *Catch Me If You Can* opening February 11th thru closing, March 13th.

"Michael's level of education and diverse production experience makes him an exceptional candidate for our Production Manager position," said Erin Lewis, SDMT Co-Producer. "We know he will be a great addition to the SDMT Management Team."