

## John Jossifakis Biography

His recent Olympic Games Experience was in the role of Athens 2004 Olympics and Paralympics Opening & Closing Ceremonies as Venue Project Manager. John acted as the main technical and project management liaison between Jack Morton Public Events and the ATHOC Ceremonies Department. His involvement in project wide coordination and operations from the OAKA stadium capital works, to the show installation puts John in the forefront of project managers. John worked directly with ECA2 in the same role for the technical and operational supervision of the Paralympic Opening and Closing Ceremonies and brings focus to the team with over all project coordination and implementation.

During his roles in Athens Games for both the Olympic and Paralympic Ceremonies, he was the main point of technical contact for Beijing 2008 Olympic Games Ceremonies Department, for the flag handover segments, working directly with the BOCOG Team in Athens. He furthermore produced a complete technical proposal for the Beijing 2008 Olympic and Paralympic Games Medal Ceremonies.

His recent role as the Production Management Coordinator for the Doha 2006 Asian Games Opening & Closing Ceremonies and his concert touring background makes him an asset to any Technical or Operations team. Currently he is consulting in Live Concert industry for names such as Janet Jackson, Aerosmith and Sean Paul while he is planning concerts for Scorpions, Joe Cocker & Bryan Adams.

Recently John toured all of Asia as production manager, and staged successful events in over ten countries including a shows in India, Peoples Republic of China, Hong Kong, Thailand and Macau SAR. The AFC Asian Cup 2011 Opening and Closing Ceremonies were John's latest project where he was appointed as the Ceremonies Manager for KSC.

John's attention to detail and meticulous project management, while understanding both Technical and Operational needs of large scale events and his international touring experience gives him the knowledge and expertise to assist any Large Scale Event Project team in various roles.