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Cy Almey has 35 years of experience in the planning, design and construction supervision of performing arts buildings throughout Canada, the United States, Latin America and Asia. Trained as an architect, Cy has participated in all aspects of theatre design, ranging from initial concept sketches through contract documents to construction completion. This experience has given him an astute understanding of the myriad issues that contribute to successful performance spaces. He is particularly effective with seating plans and sightline analyses, and has consulted on numerous theatres and sports facilities to devise solutions to seriously compromised sightlines.

Cy joined TCC in 2003 after twelve years working as a design consultant with Theatre Projects Consultants. He was instrumental in the planning of many of the TPC's major projects, including the Aronoff Center for the Arts, Cincinnati; the NC Blumenthal Performing Arts Center, Charlotte; the Dewan Filharmonik Petronas, Kuala Lumpur; and the Kodak Theatre, Hollywood. Additionally, he was involved in the design of several university theatres including the Clarice Smith Performing Arts Center, University of Maryland; the College Conservatory of Music, University of Cincinnati; and the Florida Community College Performing Arts Center, Jacksonville. Prior to TPC, he worked on several cultural facilities with Toronto architecture firms Arcop Associates, Zeidler Roberts Partnership and Lett/Smith Architects.

EDUCATION

- University of Waterloo, B.E.S., 1976
- University of Waterloo, B. Arch., 1979

MEMBERSHIPS & AFFILIATIONS

- Canadian Institute for Theatre Technology

REPRESENTATIVE PROJECT EXPERIENCE

- Addison Conference & Theatre Center Addition (Study), Addison, TX
- Adelphi University: Performing Arts Building, Phases 1&2, Long Island, NY
- Alberta School for the Performing Arts, Tuscaloosa, AL
- All Saints Episcopal School: Fine Arts Center, Fort Worth, TX



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- Altamont School: Cabannis Fine Arts Center Renovation, Birmingham, AL
- Appalachian State University: Schaefer Center for Performing Arts, Boone, NC
- Appalachian Theatre Restoration, Boone, NC
- Austin City Limits Live at the Moody Theatre, Austin, TX
- Belmont University: McAfee Concert Hall, Nashville, TN
- Bullis School: Discovery Center Presentation Hall, Potomac, MD
- Byrnes High School: District Five Fine Arts Center, Duncan, SC
- Carrboro High School: Fine Arts Addition, Carrboro, NC
- Cary Arts Center, Cary, NC
- Cary Downtown Theatre, Cary, NC
- Carver Theatre Renovation Study, New Orleans, LA
- Charlotte Christian School Auditorium, Charlotte, NC
- Christ Church Episcopal School: Performing Arts Center, Greenville, SC
- Christopher Newport University: Freeman Center Expansion, Newport News, VA
- College of William and Mary: Lake Matoaka Amphitheatre Renovation, Williamsburg, VA
- Conrad Prebys Performing Arts Center, La Jolla, CA
- Don Gibson Theatre, Shelby, NC
- Dorman High School: Early College & Career Center, Roebuck, SC
- DSD2 Rollings Middle School of the Arts, Summerville, SC
- East Carolina University: New Student Union, Greenville, NC
- Eilan Development: Studio Theatre, San Antonio, TX
- Elon University: Scott Studios, Elon, NC
- Emory & Henry College: McGlothlin Center for the Arts, Emory, VA
- Empress Theatre: Renovation Study, Fort Macleod, AL
- Ensworth School Theatre, Nashville, TN
- FBI Building 4 Auditorium Renovation, Quantico, VA
- Florence Little Theatre, Florence, SC
- Grand Theatre Improvements, Kingston, ON
- High Point University: Hayworth Fine Arts Center, High Point, NC
- Historic Masonic Theatre Renovation, Clifton Forge, VA
- Holly Springs Library and Cultural Center, Holly Springs, NC
- James Madison University: Wayland Hall Renovation, Harrisonburg, VA
- John Tyler Community College: Studio Theatre, Chester, VA
- Johnston Community College: Auditorium Renovation Study, Smithfield, NC
- Knight Theatre, Charlotte, NC
- Lansburgh Theatre: Life-Cycle Assessment, Washington, DC
- Longwood University: Jarman Auditorium Renovation, Farmville, VA
- Miller Theatre Renovation (Symphony Orchestra Augusta), Augusta, GA
- Mooresville Graded High School: New Auditorium, Mooresville, NC
- Muscogee County School District: Performing Arts Academy, Columbus, GA
- Museum of the Bible, Washington, DC
- Nashville State Community College: Academic & Support Building, Nashville, TN
- Newton North High School: Theatre Ink, Newton, MA
- Northeast Mississippi Community College: Fine Arts Building, Booneville, MS
- Ohio State University: Union Theatre, Columbus, OH
- Ovens Auditorium Modernization Study, Charlotte, NC
- Palm Beach DramaWorks (Cuillo Theatre Renovation), West Palm Beach, FL
- Pompano Beach Cultural Facility Planning, Pompano Beach, FL
- Porter Sanford III Cultural Arts Center, Decatur, GA
- Reynoldsburg High School: New Auditorium, Reynoldsburg, OH



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- Salvation Army Kroc Community Center, Greenville, SC
- Samford University: Brock Recital Hall, Homewood, AL
- Sandler Center for the Performing Arts, Virginia Beach, VA
- Sandy Springs Performing Arts Center, Sandy Springs, GA
- Santa Fe College: Fine Arts Hall, Gainesville, FL
- Savannah Cultural Arts Center, Savannah, GA
- Shalin Liu Performance Center (Rockport Music), Rockport, MA
- Southern Methodist University: Bob Hope Theatre Renovation Study, Dallas, TX
- Southern Methodist University: Owen Arts Center Renovation Study, Dallas, TX
- Suffolk University: C. Walsh Theatre Renovation, Boston, MA
- Temple Emanu-El Synagogue, Dallas, TX
- Texas State University: Fine Arts Center Study, San Marcos, TX
- Texas State University: Performing Arts Center, San Marcos, TX
- Toronto Centre for the Arts Renovation, Toronto, ON
- Township Auditorium Renovation, Columbia, SC
- Trinity College School: Dick & Jane LeVan Theatre, Port Hope, ON
- Troup Middle School: Auditorium Renovation, New Haven, CT
- Trussville High School: Performance Hall, Trussville, AL
- University of North Carolina: Hill Hall Renovation, Chapel Hill, NC
- University of North Carolina: Kenan Music Building, Ph. 1, Chapel Hill, NC
- University of Rhode Island: Fine Arts Center Planning, Kingston, RI
- Valor Christian High School: Valor Center for Culture and Influence, Highlands Ranch, CO
- Western Kentucky University: Van Meter Hall Renovation, Bowling Green, KY
- Wilfrid Laurier University: Center for Global Innovation, Waterloo, ON
- Wofford College: Richardson Center for the Arts, Spartanburg, SC
- ZACH: Topfer Theatre, Austin, TX
- Zeiders American Dream Theatre, Virginia Beach, VA

