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LINDENWOOD UNIVERSITY

MASTERS OF ILLUSION

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Rob Lake is one of the world's most celebrated illusionists. His mind-blowing illusions have dazzled and entertained millions across network television, in Times Square, on the Vegas strip, Atlantic City, and before sold-out audiences in casinos, arenas, and theatres worldwide. Named "The World's Greatest Illusionist" by NBC, Rob is internationally renowned for his mesmerizing and award-winning illusion spectacular. He has sold millions of dollars in tickets around the world. In 2008, Rob became the youngest magician in history to receive The Merlin Award – magic's highest honor and the industry equivalent of an Oscar. Rob has also served as magic consultant for network TV series, feature films, world-famous theme parks, and has created illusions for today's most famous magicians. Rob's magical effects can be seen in numerous theatrical productions across the globe. In his daily life, Rob dedicates his time, his support and his voice to a cause he holds near and dear to his heart – animal rescue. In fact, his own furry companion Roger, a Yorkie mutt, was once a rescue dog, and has become a popular part of his show, as well.

www.RobLake.com



Combining the art of magic with the macabre, **Dan Sperry** "the Anti-Conjuror," has been described as David Copperfield meets Marilyn Manson and is the only illusionist to ever be awarded the title of "most original magician" on FOX's *World Magic Awards*. This "shock illusionist" is also a two-time recipient of The Merlin Award. His show combines illusion and the bizarre with satirical macabre humor. It is non-stop mayhem set to an industrial musical score with razor blades, buzz saws, voodoo, blood and more. Dan has toured with *Masters of Illusion* and was featured in the 6th and 7th seasons of the hit TV series *Masters of Illusion* on The CW.

www.DanSperry.com



With an entrepreneurial career that spans over four decades, **Tom Burgoon** has wowed and impressed audiences coast to coast, both on land and sea. His unique brand of comedy and magic has been showcased to a vast audience, with venues including everything from cruise lines to corporate clients such as 3M, Coca Cola and NASA. From comedy clubs and stage events in Las Vegas, Reno and L.A. to being selected twice to entertain for the President of the United States in Washington, D.C., Tom has branded his unparalleled one-of-a-kind-show across our country and he has become one of the most in demand performers today. As magic is his first love, it is only befitting that you will find him performing at the world famous Magic Castle in Hollywood – a conjurer's delight and layman's mystical dream come true. He's been a featured performer on four seasons of the hit TV series *Masters of Illusion* on The CW and was selected in 2008 by Magic Magazine as one of the top 35 comic magicians in the world.

www.TomBurgoon.com