

Testimonials From Recent Clients of Michael Bourada

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To whom it may concern,

The Canadian Wood Council booked a 50 minute magical/comedy performance by Michael Bourada for our office Christmas party. The booking process was seamless and I appreciated that Michael was easy to reach and promptly followed-up with my initial inquiry. Michael was both accommodating and a pleasure to work with.

The performance was spectacular! Michael has a unique talent and amazing stage presence that instantly captures his audience. His blend of magic and comedy was impressive and everyone at the party continued to talk about his performance long after it was over.

I would recommend Michael Bourada without hesitation for any social event.

Yours truly,

Natalie Tarini

Communication Manager, Canadian Wood Council



To whom it may concern:

This is just a quick note to say that I had a chance to have Michael Bourada come and perform at one of my Department's Quarterly Award events.

This was the first opportunity I had to book Mr. Bourada and I found the process very easy with continual and regular email correspondence. The process of booking Mr. Bourada was easy and he was very professional and this was refreshing as it has not always been the case with other performers I have dealt with in the past.

The show itself was very entertaining and was just the right amount of time for the group of people we had. I found that Mr. Bourada was a true showman, engaged the people throughout the show and at the end I received many compliments on the show and how much people enjoyed their time. The associates in attendance are used to these meetings being strictly about numbers and I found Mr. Bourada's performance a refreshing change, as did the associates.

I was very pleased with the overall experience I had with Mr. Bourada and I look forward to the opportunity to bring him on board for future company events.

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MOSAID Technologies Incorporated

January 14, 2013

To Whom It May Concern:

MOSAID Technologies Inc. hired Michael Bourada, the Magician in December, 2012 for two very special events. We had our Employee Holiday Dinner and Party followed the next day with a family breakfast. We wanted to ensure our employees had a fantastic weekend, everything from our venue, dinner, prizes and first class entertainment.

Our event was held at the Westin Hotel in Ottawa. The theme was the "Magic of Winter". It was fitting to contact an illusionist to perform. I researched Michael Bourada, the Magician from the website and other past clients. I met with him and was impressed with the ideas and presentation he had in mind. He also had a show for our family breakfast and was willing to work with the necessary plan to incorporate Santa into his show. He made the entire process very easy and was willing to work within our budget. Michael was attentive to our needs and ideas. He customized an illusion to present one of our prizes.

Michael certainly did not disappoint! He and his team arrived well in advance to set up the show so everything would be set before the arrival of the employees and guests. He arranged everything with the Westin Hotel and with the event team ensuring the show had the proper staging, sound and lighting configuration. Later that night the show began and we were thrilled with fantastic magic, incredible illusion and adult appropriate comedy. He delivered a professional, fun show that will be remembered by all attendees.

The next day Michael returned to perform for our family show and judging by the overwhelming reactions and feedback from the audience, Michael successfully engaged not only the very same adults from the previous night, but also their children. One thing that was evident, no tricks/illusions were repeated between the two shows; clearly showing his versatility and preparation. His show was again professional, amazing and appealed to both kids and adults. He also built up the excitement for Santa's entrance. It was all very well done.

MOSAID Technologies Inc. is very happy to give full endorsement to Michael Bourada, Magician for the Canadian Special Events Entertainer Award. Michael is gifted in his skills as an illusionist, but also a professional that listens to his clients, their goals, and their budget and provides an exceptional show.

Bravo, Bravo, Michael

Sincerely,

Annie Burt
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Greetings,

It is with great pleasure that I transcribe this testimonial on behalf of Michael “The Magician” Bourada.

My name is Tyler Swain; I am the coordinator of the CMPA’s annual Family Christmas party. Typically this party is held on the first Saturday morning in December. Michael came highly recommended from a coworker who had the pleasure of seeing his show at a birthday party several years ago. He is a busy guy and it took us a year or so before we could book him to come and dazzle us with his live magic act. Once we confirmed the date, he sent us an email detailing the various performances he has to offer. We decided on a 40 minute show and he immediately sent us an invoice for his service. He was professional and pleasant to deal with, promptly returning email requests.

On the day of the party, Michael showed up on schedule and had everything he needed in order to run his performance smoothly. He had his own music, props and set up quickly. The kids at the party ranged in age from infants to teenagers. Michael kept them all entertained for the duration. His interaction with the crowd was top-notch, inviting kids up to help him with his various illusions. The proud parents in the audience got a show as well with his quick wit and top notch magic tricks. As an expert in the genre, one easily overheard questions from the audience such as “How did he do that?” and “Cool!” I have on one occasion heard from a fellow employee that since seeing Michael’s show, her son has decided that he wants to be a magician when he grows up!

My overall experience with Mr. Bourada was ‘magical’ to say the least. The booking process was seamless; he was on time for his performance, he was professional and polite. Before he left I asked for some pamphlets to post in the kitchen of our office, it didn’t take long for them all to disappear. I highly recommend Michael “The Magician” Bourada for any fantastical event. I’m glad I had the chance to ‘Experience the Magic’!

Sincerely,

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To whom it may concern,

It is with great pleasure that I write this letter of recommendation for Michael Bourada. Michael is a truly amazing magician who not only excels on the stage with his live performances but also excels off the stage as a professional business person and humanitarian.

As the owner of the largest entertainment service in Ottawa, I first met Michael several years ago when I was looking for a compelling magician who would provide my VIP client with a memorable experience. Michael surpassed my expectations. He had all the qualities that were important to me in an entertainer. He was punctual and personable and his show was creative and unique. His performances have gone over so well that our clients keep coming back to Quality Entertainment to book our magician.

Further, when I asked Michael to assist with a fundraiser for my daughter's elementary school when they were trying to raise money to replace a long overdue play structure, he jumped at the chance to help out. He gave the school two shows that are still talked about today – even after my daughter has moved on to high school.

I wouldn't hesitate to recommend or book Michael Bourada for any function. He is great for adult only shows or performances where there are families. He is the entertainer that never disappoints. Booking him is easy. He always gets back to me quickly and I never have to remind him about a contract. I wish all entertainers were more like Michael.

For whatever the reason you are looking to book Michael Bourada, he is the person you can trust to deliver "*quality*" magic. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at any time.

Regards,

Brian Henry
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Subject: Testimonial

January 12, 2013

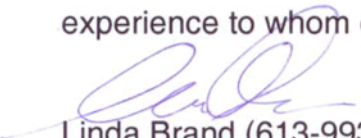
To whom this may concern

This is to confirm that Magician Michael Bourada performed at our Museum on two occasions in the past two years and has been invited to perform again in 2013. Every time he has delighted his audience with imaginative tricks and illusions. He is very professional, always willing to discuss and adapt his shows to incorporate the Museum's theme of flight.

His courteous and straight forward approach is well liked by our visitors. His shows are always of consistent good quality, and captivate both young and old. He recently did a performance for over 300 people all of which were military families from the Ottawa area. We received many positive comments from the public about this performance.

His versatility and easy going nature has made it possible for him to perform both on stage and in the middles of the exhibit area among the aircraft collection. I would definitely recommend Mr Bourada as a performer for various occasions for a family audience. He is quick to return calls and flexible which makes making a booking with him effortless.

I would consider him to be a professional performer who provides a quality experience to whom ever attends his performances.



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Shell Canada chose Michael Bourada to perform his magic show for our Family Christmas party in 2012. We were looking for quality entertainment and found Michael to have fantastic reviews and decided to contact with interest.

Michael's magic show was very entertaining and of professional caliber. The children loved the show and Michael involved the audience in each and every illusion. The feedback I received from all of the participants was very positive and the show was a great success.

Michael provided us with a very professional and entertaining experience from start to finish. I would highly recommend Michael to anyone looking for high quality entertainment in the future.

Regards,

Ed Visser

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RE: Testimonial & Recommendation of Michael Bourada, Magician

To Whom it May Concern,

We hired Michael Bourada to entertain at various corporate events over the winter of 2014. He was very professional and easy to deal with; especially prompt with responding to our many questions over email or phone. Michael was very accommodating and flexible catering to our requests for the show. The booking process couldn't have been easier.

Our clients and staff all enjoyed the show! A comedic act combined with the magic flair was just a perfect combination. The set up and tear down of the set was painless which helped us transition seamlessly with the event.

Overall it was a wonderful experience and we would certainly recommend his services to our clients and others alike. The show will sincerely bring 'a little magic' to any event!

Jenny Dao

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January 17, 2013

To Whom It May Concern;

Michael Bourada performed at our Christmas party in December 2012 and the performance was spectacular. The audience was involved and people really enjoyed the show. It was also very comical.

Michael was very easy to deal with in the business aspect of things and very quick to respond via email when there was a question. It was a very smooth process; he arrived on time and ready to go. Again the performance was top notch and extremely enjoyable. Speaking on behalf of myself and my co-workers, we have no hesitation in highly recommending Michael as an entertainer.

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Erin Corrigan", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Erin Corrigan





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To whom it may concern,

I am writing this note to express my gratitude and happiness with Michael Bourada's performance at our departmental Christmas party on December 19th, 2014 at the Westin Hotel.

I was luckily able to hire Michael the week of the event, illustrating his flexibility and adaptability. The booking process was quite simple and quick – Michael pretty well takes care of all of his logistical requirements, making the planning of the rest of the event much easier for me. Anything he did require, he made it clear to me in advance so there would be no surprises.

The show itself was amazing and had many of the guests trying to figure out how he did the things he did! He used many volunteers from the audience and had a good sense of humour, which kept everyone engaged throughout the 30 minute performance.

Overall, I was very happy with Michael's professionalism and talent. I would have no hesitation in hiring Michael again for a future event.

Kind regards,

Eric Young M.Sc., B.Ed., PMP Chief Administrative Officer Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology & Newborn Care The Ottawa Hospital

January 8, 2015



Please consider this letter as a testimonial for the Michael Bourada Magic Show. Michael recently performed at the Canadian Junior Curling Championships held in Napanee, Ontario. The Opening Banquet was our opportunity to welcome curlers from across Canada to our community. The performance was unique and creative and well received. We had tremendous feedback from the athletes who attended the banquet. It was a great "icebreaker" for the participants and set the tone for the entire competition week. The Magic Show helped create a memorable experience for the curlers.

I would highly recommend Michael Bourada for any event. The performance was wonderful and the entire experience from my initial inquiry to the conclusion of the show was extremely professional.

Regards,

Stephen Paul
Chair, 2012 Junior Canadian Curling Championships



Student Experience Office
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To Whom It May Concern,

I would like to recommend Michael Bourada for the Star Awards – Canadian Special Events Entertainer of The Year Award. Michael has been hired as a magician twice by Carleton University since January of 2012.

My name is William Johnson and I am the Student Development and First Year Experience Coordinator in the Student Experience Office at Carleton University. I would like to highly recommend Michael for this award as he is an excellent entertainer and a savvy businessman. The booking process with Michael was smooth and professional. He was easy to communicate with and flexible to suit our needs. The show itself was exceptional: We were highly impressed by Michael's stage presence and presentation skills, and the audience of several hundred university students was engaged from the moment Michael stepped on stage. It was an exciting and mesmerizing 90-minute performance.

Overall, Carleton's experiences with Michael Bourada have been superb. A tremendous entertainer and illusionist, he treats his clients with the utmost respect and is highly competent in his communication abilities. Michael is a deserving recipient of this award and I would recommend him without hesitation to other potential clients.

Sincerely,

William Johnson
Student Development and First Year Experience Coordinator,
Student Experience Office, Carleton University



To Whom it may concern,

Our Distribution Centre organizes an annual Christmas party and for 2012 we decided to hire a Magician to perform at our event.

I found Michael through researching the internet and he was able to perform at our event on December 2, 2012.

He put on an engaging and interactive performance and everyone had nothing but positive reviews. His booking process was easy and his communication leading up to the event was terrific. We would highly recommend his performance.

Elizabeth Corneal

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December 15, 2012

Letter of Reference for Michael Bourada, Experience the Magic

Please accept this letter of reference for Michael Bourada, Experience the Magic. We have used Michael on two occasions and have always been impressed with his program and delivery.

Most recently, Michael worked for us for a client Christmas party and he was given the challenge of preparing two shows in a very short period of time. One performance was for a high level group of executives and the following was a family show which included the adults from the previous show and their children. Michael was a success to both audiences, keeping them amazed and entertained throughout his performance.

His performances were definitely a hit, with a combination of humour and magic, in a way that was funny, interactive and entertaining. He left the audiences amazed and laughing.

Michael assisted in a magical entrance for Santa Clause, which left both the young and young at heart, enchanted.

We would not hesitate to use Michael again.

Thank you,

Samantha

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There are more, but it would just be considered bragging at this point 😊

If you have any more questions, don't hesitate to ask.