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# Obsidian Control Systems expands worldwide support team with new hires

Since its launch, Obsidian Control Systems has experienced sustained growth of its user base, along with a high demand for in-person ONYX console training. Obsidian is pleased to announce the expansion of our team with two experienced and knowledgeable members tasked with providing the support, programming advice and training capabilities Obsidian customers expect from a leading lighting controller brand.



Matthew Gerardi will lead Obsidian Control Systems' Technical Support division with focus on ONYX, NETRON and Capture, working out of Obsidian's headquarter office in Los Angeles. Matthew comes to Obsidian with an extensive background as a technical director and lighting technician and brings with him wide-ranging field experience with lighting control systems and AV networking across all major lighting control platforms. In his new role, Matthew will work alongside Obsidian users to evolve ONYX, and will focus on ONYX and NETRON training sessions throughout the US, in person and online.

Hector Rojo joins Obsidian's Latin American team to lead the ONYX support division for Mexico, Central and South America, along with other Spanish-speaking areas across the globe. Hector brings with him an extensive technical background as a lighting designer, lighting programmer and lighting technician on various console platforms, as well as DMX, Art-NET and sACN networking systems. Hector will be based out of Elation Professional's Mexico City office.



"Support and training are essential to customer success and with the addition of Matthew and Hector to our team we are reinforcing our commitment to our user base," stated John Lopez, Channel Sales Manager at Obsidian Control Systems. "We are dedicated to leading the way in innovative technology, development, and support to provide a world-class lighting control experience."

All Obsidian lighting controllers run ONYX, a powerful yet easy-to-learn lighting control platform designed for both hardware consoles and PC systems. Obsidian Control Systems products are distributed exclusively by Elation Professional worldwide and are available in various sizes to accommodate any scale and budget. To learn more about ONYX controls, NETRON distribution and Obsidian Control Systems, please visit www.obsidiancontrol.com.



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#### **About Obsidian Control Systems**

Obsidian Control Systems is an accessible line of advanced yet intuitive lighting control products for professionals. Refined by passion, Obsidian Control Systems combines over 25 years of experience developing professional entertainment lighting control solutions for automated and theatrical lighting fixtures. Obsidian lighting control software and hardware is easy to use and accessible to every level of user, whether a novice programmer or a designer at the highest level. All Obsidian lighting control systems run innovative ONYX<sup>TM</sup> lighting control software, a powerful yet easy-to-learn lighting control platform designed for both hardware consoles and PC systems. Obsidian Control Systems products are distributed exclusively by Elation Professional worldwide and are available in various sizes to accommodate any scale and budget. Visit the Obsidian Control Systems website at <a href="https://www.obsidiancontrol.com">www.obsidiancontrol.com</a> to learn more.

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