

LUCAS FRESTEL

SENIOR OVERLAY & INFRASTRUCTURE MANAGER



SKILLS

- Project management
- Venue Management
- Flexible, multi-tasking
- Efficient Communication and reporting
- Engineering and Design
- Problem solving oriented

PERSONAL PROFILE

Civil engineer fluent in French/English/Portuguese/Spanish with 10 years of experience in delivering infrastructures for civil and global event projects.

French Passport
Car driving license

EDUCATION

EI.CESI ENGINEERING
INSTITUTE 2012-2017

Master in civil engineering

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SOFTWARES

MS OFFICE SUITE
MS PROJECT
AUTOCAD
ARCHICAD
ADOBE SUITE

WORK EXPERIENCE

PROJECT MANAGER - ARENA

JUN 2026 - SEP 2026, TORONTO (CANADA)

FIFA WORLD CUP - TORONTO STADIUM

Managed operations and maintenance of temporary overlay structures and event infrastructure for the FIFA World Cup 2026 stadium venue in Toronto.

Served as Derig Supervisor, leading the dismantling and demobilization of 17,000+ temporary seats, VIP lounges, stadium extensions, and associated overlay infrastructure.

Planned and coordinated derig sequences, workforce allocation, logistics, and contractor interfaces, ensuring safe and efficient site restoration. Monitored progress, resolved operational challenges, and ensured timely completion and handover of the venue.

SENIOR OVERLAY MANAGER - NUSSLI

AUG 2025 - MAY 2026, LIVIGNO (ITALY)

LIVIGNO SNOW PARK 2026 WINTER OLYMPIC GAMES

Served as Senior Overlay Manager and General Contractor for the Livigno Snow Park, one of the most high-profile venues of the Winter Olympics, overseeing full-scope overlay delivery across five competition sites—four mountain slope events and the world's tallest Big Air ramp at 55 meters.

Directed the planning, design, installation, and commissioning of all temporary infrastructure, including athlete facilities, broadcast and media compounds, team zones, spectator access, utilities, and safety systems. Managed hundreds of staff and multiple subcontractors, establishing site logistics, installation sequencing, and workforce allocation to ensure operational efficiency across complex, high-altitude terrain.

Acted as the primary interface between IOC, engineers, and contractors, ensuring strict compliance with technical specifications, safety regulations, and international competition standards. Led risk management, proactive problem-solving, and real-time decision-making to address challenging weather conditions and evolving operational requirements.

Led risk management, procurement coordination, and contractor performance oversight, proactively resolving complex site and logistical challenges, including late-stage scope changes, without impact to critical deadlines, enabling the successful execution of one of the most technically complex and visually spectacular venues of the Games.

References

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VENUE MANAGER - LS EVENTS

JUN 2025 - AUG 2025, SOUTHAMPTON (UK)

SAILGP RACE- Portsmouth Edition

Acted as Venue Manager for the general contractor, delivering full-scope overlay installation for the technical and paddock sites. Managed site operations, contractor coordination, and installation sequencing for temporary infrastructure, ensuring alignment with SailGP requirements and event timelines. Delivered a safe, high-quality project on time through effective stakeholder coordination and proactive issue resolution.

SENIOR OVERLAY MANAGER - ARENA

MAY 2024 - NOV 2024, PARIS (FRANCE)

PARIS 2024 OLYMPIC GAMES

Held full accountability for the strategic planning and execution of overlay delivery for a flagship Olympic venue, overseeing large-scale temporary infrastructure works within a complex, high-stakes environment. Directed multidisciplinary teams and a network of contractors across all phases, from pre-construction planning through installation and commissioning. Defined and implemented the overall overlay delivery strategy, including phasing, logistics, and resource allocation, to support the installation of key infrastructure: 4,000 m² of tensile structures, 800 m² of woodbox facilities, 137 modular cabins, 40 sanitary units, 33 containers, 8.1 km of perimeter fencing, and 1,676 m² of trackway. Ensured seamless integration of all overlay components to meet operational readiness requirements for the venue.

Acted as interface lead with the Olympic Committee, engineers, and key stakeholders, driving alignment on technical, operational, and scheduling priorities. Provided governance over design validation, constructability reviews, and compliance with stringent international standards, while enabling efficient decision-making in a fast-paced, evolving project environment.

Led risk management, procurement coordination, and contractor performance oversight, proactively resolving complex site and logistical challenges, including late-stage scope changes, without impact to critical deadlines. Maintained full control over project delivery metrics, ensuring adherence to budget, schedule, and quality benchmarks.

PROJECT LEAD - GL EVENTS

JAN 2024 - APR 2024, SAO PAULO (BRASIL) Remote

OSAKA EXPO 2025

Coordinated interfaces between client, architects, and structural engineers for the Serbian Pavilion, ensuring effective communication and design integration. Oversaw the development and review of technical documentation and structural design packages, including material specification and selection. Led procurement processes, managing sourcing and coordination with local suppliers to ensure quality and compliance. Prepared operational planning and cost estimates, maintaining adherence to budgetary and scheduling constraints.



OVERLAY MANAGER - GL EVENTS

JUL 2023 - DEC 2023, SANTIAGO (CHILE)

PANAMERICAN GAMES 2023

Oversaw on-site execution of overlay works for four venues during the Pan American and Para-Pan American Games. Coordinated contractors, validated technical documentation, and managed dynamic scope changes through effective site decision-making, ensuring timely and compliant delivery across all venues.

CLUSTER OVERLAY MANAGER - SUPREME COMITEE/ MOSANADA

MAY 2022 - APR 2023, DOHA (QATAR)

FIFA WORLD CUP 2022

Led the design, installation, and commissioning of overlay infrastructure for 12 FIFA World Cup training venues. Scope included temporary structures, modular cabins, sanitary units, perimeter fencing, trackway systems, HVAC, and LV power distribution networks, adapted to site-specific operational requirements. Ensured full compliance with FIFA specifications and international safety standards through close coordination with stakeholders and regulatory bodies. Delivered all sites within schedule and budget, effectively managing late design changes and logistical constraints.

PROJECT ENGINEER - FREELANCE

JAN 2019 - APR 2022

OVERLAY MANAGER - GL EVENTS

AUGUST 2018 - DEC 2018

ASIAN GAMES 2018 - JAKARTA, INDONESIA

SITE MANAGER SEATING - GL EVENTS

JAN 2018 - JUL 2018

COMMONWEALTH GAMES 2018 - GOLD COAST, AUSTRALIA

CIVIL SITE ENGINEER - EIFFAGE

SEP 2014 - AUG 2017, FRANCE

CIVIL ROJECT SITE MANAGER - COLAS

SEP 2011 - AUG 2014, FRANCE