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EDUCATION

Savannah College of Art and Design, GPA: 3.96, Graduation Date: June 2023
Bachelor of Fine Arts, Dramatic Writing major, Film & Television Production minor

EXPERIENCE

SCAD Writer Collaboration Laboratory

Savannah, Georgia

Playwright, Producer, Director

January 2023-May 2023

- Wrote and revised an original play utilizing professor and peer critiques in the process
- Cast actors and hired additional crew members
- Developed and distributed production schedules to all team members
- Promoted the final performance through social media and promotional key art

SCAD Savannah Film Studios

Savannah, Georgia

Shift Leader

January 2022-May 2023

- Oversaw the endorsement of client contracts according to SCAD rental policies
- Inspected grip, lighting, and camera equipment to ensure optimal performance
- Collaborated with team members to assemble hundreds of production kits for a variety of student projects, including pieces such as Arri light kits, RED Komodo cameras, Sony FS7 cameras, and Blackmagic URSA Mini cameras
- Organized inventory to maximize efficiency of the equipment checkout center

Kill the Beating Heart (Independent Short Film)

Savannah, Georgia

Producer, 1st Assistant Director

September 2020-February 2021

- Managed crew members on set to ensure a safe and efficient film shoot
- Created and distributed schedules and call sheets for the production
- Conducted preproduction safety meetings for crew members
- Interviewed and hired key talent and department heads for the project

Wedding Videographer

St. Simons Island, Georgia

Videographer and Editor

August 2019-May 2023

- Negotiated creative strategies and contracts with clients to craft a unique film for each client
- Operated camera and sound equipment on site while using discretion to capture irreplaceable moments
- Edited and colored video in a timely manner while using Premiere Pro and Adobe After Effects

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Penguin Project

Brunswick, Georgia

Live Event Videographer

May 2021-Present

- Produce high quality videos for the Penguin Project, an organization that allows children with special needs to participate in community theater
- Shoot coverage over multiple performances to ensure each child is featured in the final product

Entrepreneurial Writing and Media Production Club (E.W.M.P.)

Brunswick, Georgia

Vice President

August 2018-June 2019

- Oversaw production on E.W.M.P. student projects at the College of Coastal Georgia
- Assisted and held meetings to plan content strategies for the club
- Supported development of original material and provided critical feedback
- Operated Canon EOS C100 for the production of a student short film

SKILLS

- Screenwriting
- Camera Operation
- Video Production
- Video Editing
- Collaboration
- Adobe Premiere Pro
- Adobe After Effects
- Movie Magic Scheduling
- Movie Magic Budgeting
- Final Draft 12