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OBJECTIVE

Filmmaker aspiring to elevate my career in marketing digital media production. Professional with 6+ years experience on sets, with expertise in directing, cinematography, editing, act and scriptwriting. Experience in event-based camera work and operations. Recognized for several films selected in festivals.

- Experienced Filmmaker & Cinematographer
- ACC Sports Technical Productions experience
- Experience on-set Grip & Gaff work
- Proficient in Final Cut pro X & Logic X
- Actor: shorts, extra, voice acting
- Social Media Coordinator

- Blender 3D animation experience
- Experienced in Adobe Premiere
- Outstanding Communication skills
- Leadership and team collaboration
- Adept problem solving
- Exceptional Customer Service

EXPERIENCE

EMPORIUM, Chicago, IL

Social Media Prod. Contractor [Sept 2024 - Present] - Responsible for conceptualizing, capturing and producing adverts and sizzle reels for online distribution.

Front Door Security [June 2023 - Present] - Responsible for greeting guests at the bar's front door, verifying identifications, and inspecting baggage for contraband. Additionally, maintains cleanliness by bussing glassware, swiftly addressing any messes, and executing various general custodial tasks.

SPROUT HOME, Chicago, IL

Marketing Content Producer/ Landscaping Installation Assistant - I collaborate with company owners to craft digital marketing materials to bolster brand visibility. I photograph products for online display. Producing informative content to educate and engage audiences, while also contributing to installations, deliveries, and overall upkeep of the plants. Seasonal as needed.

SHORELINE, Chicago, IL

Photography / Sales Team - Managed the lifecycle of visual content, ensuring quality and distribution. Drove revenue through the promotion and sale of boat rides.

NICKLUNA FILMS, Florida & Chicago

Director/Writer/Filmmaker – Creative Filmmaking professional with 6 years' experience on sets, below are several examples of films created with their festival accolades. (*nicklunafilms.com*)

- Citrus Circuit Film Festival Mar. 2023 official Selection. Special Broadcast: A Skinwalker Story
- Strange Days Horror Fest, Feb 2023 Finalist. Special Broadcast: A Skinwalker Story
- Couch Film Festival March 2023 official Nominee. Special Broadcast: A Skinwalker Story
- Reel Deal Film Festival 2021 official Selection. Late Night Snack
- Film selection of Central Florida Short Night-CFSN Festival 2021. The Monkey's Paw
- FSU 2021 Comedy Film Club, Best Picture winner. What's Poppin'

Mar 2024 - Present

Jun 2023 - Present

Jan 2018 - Present

Apr 2023 - Present

Cinematic Team Member: Sales & Customer Service - Operated POS system and processed transactions efficiently. Ensured compliance with safety protocols and cleanliness standards. Assisted with unloading and stocking supplies.

FLORIDA FILM ACADEMY (FFA), Winter Garden FL

Actor/Roles as an Extra, Various locations Love Language (Movie 2024)

• The Windy City Blows(Short 2024)

Chicago PD(TV 2024)

CINEMARK, Orlando, FL

• Dear Diary...(Short 2024)

- Lead Film Camp Instructor Summer camp lead instructor teaching introduction of filmmaking.
- Contractor Content Creation content creation for instructors to use as supporting educational materials as well as social media advertising for multiple schools.

FLORIDA STATE UNIV (FSU) ACCN, Tallahassee, FL

ACC College Sport Productions - Operating and supporting multi-cam production of ACC college sports from on field camera work to supporting video and audio staff and in the booth as video operator on ACC college sports including ACC football, volleyball, soccer and basketball.

BLUE WATER CAR WASH, Tallahassee, FL

Car Washer - Performed detailed vehicle washing, ensuring high customer satisfaction. Maintained a clean, organized wash area and delivered exceptional customer service.

SIX PIXELS STUDIOS, Winter Garden, FL

Internship – Worked with the Six Pixels team members to understand the operations and marketing of the studio work through reporting and video creation-based research.

FREELANCE , Orlando, FL

Social Media Content & Commercial creation

- Live Concert Videography Redrwn Band Concert footage
- Florida Film Academy Ad creation, editing and enhancing footage for complete ad
- Leaders for Life martial Arts Facebook & Instagram content editing
- Victory Martial Arts Creator Demo Team music compilation

EDUCATION

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY (FSU)

Degree: BS Marketing Communication: Digital Media Productions (DMP)

- Study Abroad First Semester abroad FSU International Program, London, England
- Dean's List
- FSU Film Club
- On Campus Comedy Club No Bears allowed

- Special Broadcast: A SkinWalker Story(Short 2023)
- What's Poppin'(Animation/Voice Actor 2021)

Feb 2023 - Aug 2023

May 2018 - Aug 2022

Aug 2019 – May 2022

May 2022 – July 2022

Sept 2021 – Dec 2021

Aug 2016 – Present

Aug 2018 – May 2022