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Videography, Editing, Design, and Computer Services

Film/Video Experience

Theater Productions – Video Projections

2006-Present

Conceptualizing, directing, shooting, editing, syncing cues, and projecting video clips (Freelance)

Romeo & Juliet: A Rock & Roll Love Story (WCSU)

The Who's Tommy (WCSU)

City of Angels (WCSU)

Dracula (Bridgeport Theater Company)

Short Films

2002-Present

The Cure for Love (Student Emmy Award) – Producer, Director, Writer, Editor, Actor

Only Room for One – Co-Producer, Co-Story Creator, Director, Screenplay, Camera, Editor, Actor

Where Are You Going? Where Have You Been? – Co-Producer, Co-Director, DP, Storyboards, Actor, Editor, Lighting/Sound Coordinator

Henry & Ethos (48-hour film competition) – PA, Grip

Other Productions

Fighting Fitness – 60-second Ad (2012) – Director, Camera, Lighting, Editor, Effects

Promises, Promises: A look back (2010) – Editor, DVD & Digital Copy Creation

HVCA “It’s All Right Here” Ad Campaign (2009) – Creator, Concept, Director, Camera, Editor, Sound

TecKn0w (Pilot Episode) (2007) – Producer, Creator, Writer, Director, Editor

Work Experience

Tangoe, Inc.

2011-Present

IT Helpdesk Technician

Fly on the Wall Productions

2010-2011

Post Production Intern- Final Cut Studio editing for documentary feature film, as well as corporate packages. Office work.

Best Buy – Geek Squad

2007-2011

Counter Intelligence Agent

The Apple Store

2005-2007

Mac Specialist– Sales, Training customers in both public and private classes (one-to-one) on general Apple computer usage as well as beginning – intermediate Final Cut Studio use.

Charter CommuniTVision 21

2003-2004

Intern– Interned summer-winter, creating short programming for the station. I have since returned and given a seminar on Final Cut editing techniques and general digital videography.

Education

Western Connecticut State University

2004-2010

Bachelor of Arts: Theater Arts: Design/Technology

In my time at WCSU, I was part of six main stage productions – three of which I was in charge of creating, syncing, and projecting video segments. For each show, I came up with concepts involving unique cinematography & special effects, which I developed into eclectic visuals.

In 2009, for my senior portfolio project, I was in charge of creating an ad campaign for the Housatonic Valley Cultural Alliance. I produced, shot, and edited two 30-second spots for them, which aired on Comcast cable service.

Newtown High School

2000-2004

In high school, I was part of the tech club and the local educational access channel for all four years. While there I worked on video crews for numerous sporting events, concerts, and lectures. I did the graduation videos and DVDs my junior and senior year; and in my senior year I won a Student Award for technical achievement from the National Television Academy (a student Emmy award) for my short film "The Cure for Love" (2002).

Skills

Video/Graphic Design

- Final Cut Pro – 11 years
- Adobe Photoshop – 8 years
- Apple Motion – 6 years
- Apple Soundtrack Pro – 6 years
- Apple DVD Studio Pro – 6 years
- Apple iLife – 7 years

Computer Building/Repair

- Windows – 12 years
 - Microsoft Exchange & Active Directory, Kaspersky, Trend Micro, CCleaner, SIW,
- Mac – 7 years
 - Onyx, Disk Inventory X, Disk Utility, Boot Camp, Parallels

To see my reel and samples of my work, please go to <http://www.happenstance-productions.com>

Awards & Recognition

CBS Outdoor - 2013

Promotional Video Contest Winner

The Kennedy Center American College Theater Festival - 2010

Merit Award – "City of Angels" for Design and Execution of Sound and Video

The National Television Academy (New York Chapter) Student Television Awards - 2004

Award for Excellence in Technical Achievement for "The Cure for Love"

Honorable Mention for Public Affairs/Community Service/Public Service "NTV Channel 17"

Honorable Mention for Arts & Entertainment/Documentary "NTV Presents: The 2003 NHS Graduation"

Honorable Mention for Sports "NTV Sports Presents: Newtown vs. Bunnell – 1/23/04"