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EDUCATION

Chapman University 3.78 Cumulative GPA

- **Double Major:** BFA in **Film Production** and BS in **Physics**
 - Member of selective *Filmmaker-in-Residence* screenwriting program
Mentored by **Cathy Schulman** (*Crash*, *The Illusionist*)
 - Won \$10,000 competitive funding grant for senior thesis film
 - Outstanding Physics Student Award for thesis research paper,
Modeling Fourier Harmonics for Arbitrary Drum Shapes
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WORK EXPERIENCE

Impact America July 2016 – Current

Media Production Coordinator

- Developed and initiated media strategy for a national nonprofit organization
- Head of two-person media team. Traveled across Alabama, Tennessee, Florida, and South Carolina to produce promotional and documentary videos
- Taught filmmaking classes where AmeriCorps members with no prior film experience learned to produce and edit short documentaries

Impact America July 2015 – June 2016

Media Production Fellow / AmeriCorps VISTA

- Produced and edited documentaries highlighting issues of poverty in Alabama
- Promotional Videography. Portrait and Event Photography. Media Management

Robert Kenner Films January 2015 – June 2015

Full-Time Intern / Assistant

- Worked closely with **Robert Kenner** (*Food Inc*, *Two Days in October*) as part of collaborative six-person production team
 - Archival footage research. Assistant Editing. Production Assistant
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CREATIVE AND TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Narrative and Documentary editing on **Avid**, **Adobe Premiere**, and **Final Cut**
- HD and DSLR Cameras. Interview Lighting. Documentary shooting
- Professional Audio Recording and Editing. **Pro Tools** and **Adobe Audition**
- Portrait and Event Photography. **Photoshop**. RAW editing on **Adobe Bridge**
- Assistant Editing. Assistant Directing. Production Coordinating
- Windows, Mac, and Linux. **MPEG Streamclip**. Movie Magic software suite