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PROFILE SUMMARY

Three years of experience in marketing strategy, multimedia production, and filmmaking, with a proven track record of managing projects from concept to delivery. Expertise in video production, audio engineering, and marketing material creation, supported by strong skills in problem-solving, collaboration, and creative storytelling. Proficient in industry-standard software and adept at producing high-quality content for diverse clients and audiences.

EDUCATION

Master of Science in Marketing Candidate

5/2025

University of Arizona, Eller College of Management, Tucson, AZ

Part 107 Commercial Drone License

01/2025

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Filmmaking

12/2022

New York Film Academy, Los Angeles, CA

SKILLS

Proficient in marketing strategy, video production, audio engineering, and filmmaking, with expertise in tools such as Adobe Premiere Pro, After Effects, Photoshop, Illustrator, Audition, Avid Pro Tools, DaVinci Resolve, and Final Draft. Skilled in creative problem-solving, collaboration, project management, and content editing, including video, audio, and color grading, to produce effective marketing materials and campaigns.

Diligent Entertainment LLC | Owner & Founder

2022 - Present

https://www.diligententertainment.net/

https://www.imdb.com/search/title/?companies=co0990549

- Multi-media production company specializing in film, videography, and podcasts from pre-production to delivery
- Acquire clients through social media and networking
- Write and execute contracts with both individuals and organizations
- Customize services to meet the needs of individual clients
- Interview and hire outside contractors, and necessary
- Produce independent films, commercials, and podcasts, etc.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Aviation Ally | Audiobook

12/2024

 Worked with Aviation Academics company, Aviation Ally, to cast, record, and edit a Private Pilot Study Audiobook for Audible, as an alternative to the published print version.

Real-Life School | Assistant Marketer

01/2024 - 06/2024

- Produce weekly podcasts for reallifeschool.com
- Create marketing materials including short and long-form clips for social media

- Edited and produced content for podcast
- Provided studio and consultation services for the execution of podcast

Chabad of Scottsdale | Producer and A/V Engineer

12/2023

- Provided producing and A/V engineering services for an annual fundraising campaign and banquet
- Produced promotional videos, including interviews of the organization's benefactors to highlight the work of the organization

Handyman Coffee | Marketing Manager

09/2023 - 11/2023

- Produced, executed, and edited product photography
- Provided marketing strategy consultations with applicable stakeholders
- Produced short-form video content

JMach Podcast | Videographer

08/2023

Filmed and edited podcast episodes

Girls Academic Leadership Academy | A/V Engineer & Consultant

01/2023 - 03/2023

- Advised in the purchase of \$10,000+ audio-visual equipment
- Stayed within budgetary requirements as set-forth by event sponsor (Verizon Wireless)
- Led a crew to operate the audio-visual and live stream for an event totaling over 650 attendees
- Provided audio services for a panel of high-profile panelists

INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

Final Vows Film - Marketing/Distribution Researcher and Outreach Coordinator

09/2024 - 12/2024

- Distribution research and outreach for documentary film Final Vows. Including creating a database of over 200 colleges and universities, and reaching out to them to arrange screenings.
- Involved in marketing strategy with Producer and Director.

Hey Jude Productions

10/2022 – 10/2023

• Worked with film director Dani Menkin on scheduling and promoting film screenings, trailer/teaser edits on various films, and website design utilizing Wix and Adobe graphic design programs.

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

A Place 2 Turn | Promotional Video Content

05/2023 - 06/2023

- Produced and executed charity overview video for website publication
- Coordinated and conducted interviews for video content
- Shed awareness on the work of the organization: Houses and provides transitional services and support to support people who have aged-out of the foster care system

Short Film | Producer 10/2022 – 03/2023

• Produced and marketed *His Name is Bellefontaine*; a true story inspired by the writer/director's experiences related to the suicide epidemic facing veteran marines

FILMS

Best Dad Ever | Short Film | Writer, Director & Producer - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PLB9OBOk008
Jack Dies at the End | Short Film | Writer, Director & Producer - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G-
T4O64vdng

Alienation | Short Film | Writer, Director & Producer - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Zw9Sr_JAb-w VHS | Music Video | Writer, Producer & Director - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=M6PHiVrRm64

Little Ones | Music Video | Producer & Director of Photography - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=01IN5JW9i54

Ephemeral | Short Film | Producer & Director of Photography

His Name is Bellefontaine | Short Film | Producer & Director of Photography

Copious | Short Film | Writer, Director & Producer

AWARDS AND HONORS

Best Dad Ever Writer, Director & Producer Screened: Official Selection	2024
Jack Dies at the End Writer, Director & Producer Nominated: Best Narrative Short	2024
California Indies	
Alienation Writer, Director & Producer Screened: Official Selection	2024
Boston Sci-Fi Film Fest	
Alienation Writer, Director & Producer Screened: Official Selection	2023
Venice Beach Film Awards	
Copious Writer, Director & Producer Screened: Official Selection	2018
Phoenix Film Festival	

Software Proficiencies

- Microsoft Suites
- Google Suites
- Adobe Premiere, After Effects, Audition, Illustrator, Photoshop, Express
- Avid Pro Tools
- BlackMagic DaVinci Resolve
- CapCut

Skills & Abilities

- Marketing Strategy: Experienced in creating targeted marketing plans, developing engaging content, and optimizing campaigns to maximize audience reach and impact.
- Film and Video Directing, Writing, Directing, Producing, Cinematography, Audio, Production and Editing.
- Drone Pilotage