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PROJECT EXPERIENCE

Writer/Director/Producer - "Lemonade"

Personal Passion Project (not yet released)

- Wrote story/screenplay, directed actors on set
- Raised/managed funds, hired preliminary crew

Producer/Cinematographer/VFX Artist/Other Roles - "What Lies Beneath"

Huntington University, September 2024 - April 2025

- Adapted story into screenplay
- Managed funds, hired film crew/cast, managed schedule
- Built custom camera rig for filming, operated camera on set
- Rigged 3D model, operated motion capture equipment/software
- Composited 3D model into final shot, consisting of motion tracking, masking, etc.

Assistant Editor/Visual Effects Artist - "Blood Rush"

Huntington University, September 2023 - April 2024

- Created first cut for the film
- Motion tracked, masked, and recolored actors' eyes in multiple shots

Visual Effects Artist - Autodesk "Make Anything" Commercial

Autodesk, Maximum Effort, Yellow Sweater, September 2023

- Motion tracked, masked, and recolored to composite clips onto screens

Editor/1st AC - "Deadline"

Huntington University, February 2023

- Cut the film together
- Assisted cinematographer with camera, used follow focus

Cinematographer/Visual Effects Artist - "Scott Pilgrim vs The World" Scene Recreation

Huntington University, September 2022 - April 2023

- Built professional camera rig based off hardware used for the original film
- Recreated shot compositions and framings from the original film
- Recreated the computer screen from scratch
- Rotoscoped and tracked to composite the computer screen into the footage.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Equipment Center and Studio Assistant - Digital Media Arts Department

Huntington University, September 2022 - April 2025

- Made equipment and facilities orders for student projects when needed
- Pulled equipment for student orders when needed
- Maintained organization and cleanliness of equipment

Camera Operator/Audio Mixer - Forester Digital Network

Huntington University, January 2022 - April 2025

- Setup and operated cameras for sports broadcasts and live events
- Mixed audio for sports broadcasts and live events

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science - Animation, Visual Effects Focus

Huntington University, August 2021 - May 2025

Dual Enrollment Classes - Manual and Digital Drafting

Community College of Alleghany County, August 2019 - May 2020

SOFTWARE

Adobe Suite

- After Effects
- Premiere Pro
- Illustrator
- Photoshop
- Audition

3D Software

- Blender
- Rokoko Studio
- Maya

Other Creative Software

- Foundry Nuke
- Shot Designer
- Final Draft
- Davinci Resolve

Other

- Microsoft Office
- Google Suite

HARDWARE

Film Production

- Lighting Tech
- Grip
- RED
- Blackmagic
- Panasonic
- Canon

Other

- Rokoko Smartsuit Pro II, Smartgloves
- Various Audio Equipment

AWARDS

Innovation Spotlight Award

"What Lies Beneath"

Huntington University, April 2025

Best in Visual Effects - Senior Film

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Huntington University, April 2024

Award of Excellence - Student Script-writing Competition: Short Narrative

"Lemonade"

Broadcast Education Association, April 2024

2nd Place - Video Comedy/Parody

"Deadline"

Indiana Association of School Broadcasters - College Competition, April 2024

Best in Cinematography - Sophomore Film

"Scott Pilgrim vs. the World" Scene Recreation

Huntington University, April 2023

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