CHASE COULSON

University of Southern California Creative Writing & Screenwriting Junior



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EDUCATION

University of Southern California USC Dornsife:

BA, Creative Writing, Dean's List (3.7 GPA), Trustee Merit Scholar

USC School of Cinematic Arts:

Minor in Screenwriting

Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society

SKILLS

Communication

Time Management

Empathy

Problem Solving

Creative Writing and Analysis

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Adobe Creative Cloud (Premiere, After Effects)

Logic Pro X

Final Draft 12

Google Sheets/Excel

Microsoft Word, PowerPoint

EXPERIENCE

Production Assistant

January - March 2025

University of Southern California, LA

PA on graduate short film, Bury Me In Color:

- Helped manage crew and cast logistics.
- Helped create/fix props and delivered equipment (camera lenses, lighting).
- Assisted with food runs and setting up/breaking down equipment.
- Supported the production team and coordinated with talent.

Library Assistant/Gardener/Film Reviewer

April - June 2023

Butterfield Library, Cold Spring, NY

- Aided the head Librarian with administrative, desk/office tasks.
- Answered calls, helped with patron questions.
- Wrote reviews for and analyzed multiple hit films.
- Tended to and cared for the main garden.

Camp Counselor

August - September 2022

All Sport, Fishkill, NY

- Worked as a camp counselor at All Sport Summer Camp for ages 5-13.
- Organized sporting and other engaging events.
- Supervised each group for their safety, keeping them in campgrounds.
- Regularly consulted with parents.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

USC Directing The Comedic Scene (Barnet Kellman)

Fall 2025

University of Southern California.

• Develop skills in directing for feature and television, understanding how to collaborate with actors and enable them to deliver the emotional event of each scene.

USC Production Experience Course

Spring 2025

University of Southern California.

• Immersed in production operations for motion picture and television series through hands-on (on-set) practical experience.

USC Script Coverage Course

Spring 2025

University of Southern California.

- Wrote coverage, assessed quality, and determined if scripts adhered to industry standards.
- Assessed marketability, provided feedback, and identified any story/continuity issues.

USC Writing for Animation Course

Spring 2024

University of Southern California.

• Learned how to write, outline, and analyze scripts for animated media in gaming, TV, and Film. Wrote the pilot for an original animated series: *The Adventures of Bones, Boneless, and Bonesy.*