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Hi there! I'm an **innovative problem solver** with an **eye for detail** and a **collaborative spirit**. I'm seeking opportunities in **creative producing**; whether that be **film production, advertising, or anything in between**. My **variety of experiences** may not all be linear or correlative, but each has "sparked" my creativity and helped shape me into the **thoughtful leader** I am today.

## EXPERIENCE

### Freelance Filmmaker

Self-employed | Cleveland, OH | Sept. 2023 - Present

- As I have transitioned out of teaching and enrolled in CSU's Film and Media Arts program, I have immersed myself in all aspects of filmmaking, including producing, screenwriting, editing, directing, photography, and costume design.
- See Page 2 for projects and work examples.

### Corps Member / Lead Teacher

Teach For America & KIPP Schools | New Orleans, LA | May 2020 - June 2023

- I taught middle school math and science in New Orleans East at the start of the pandemic, then stayed an additional year beyond the TFA service commitment.
- Raised state standardized testing scores by over 50%, using creative teaching methods, data-driven instruction, and empathetic leadership.

### Part-Time Server

Summer Place | Lakewood, OH | July 2023 - Present

- I've been working as a server part time while taking film courses at Cleveland State
- Strengthened skills in time management & customer service.

### Campus Ambassador

Denison University / Teach For America | Aug. 2019 - June 2020

- Created marketing/promotional materials for on-campus events, coordinated and organized events for potential applicants, and ran information table in student union.
- Recruited 200% more applicants than previous ambassadors, and trained 8 applicants for TFA final interview, 100% of which received an offer.

### Production Intern

SHORTSTV | London, England | Jan. - May 2019

- Helped produce & distribute the 2018 Oscar-nominated short film packages for U.S. theatrical release.
- Wrote hosted segment scripts (La Lista; Viewer's Choice) and assisted on film shoots

## EDUCATION

Cleveland State | Film and Media Arts | 2023 - Present

- GPA: 4.0 | President's List
- Fall 2023 - Present
- Post-Baccalaureate student with Producing focus
- Relevant Coursework: Short Script Analysis, Production I & II, Post-Production I, Writing the Short Script, Production Management, Visual Storytelling

Denison University | B.A. in Communication | 2017 - 2020

- Minor in Theatre
- Activities and Achievements:
- Orientation Leader, H&M Manager and Designer, Singer's Theatre Workshop Performer, Denison Independent Theatre Association, Volunteer Tutor, Fringe Festival Actress, London Internship Program, Dean's List, Boy's & Girl's Club Intern

TNTP Academy | Teaching Certification | 2020 - 2021

- Certified to teach elementary education (grades 1-5) in the state of Louisiana
- Competencies: Curriculum Development, Classroom Management and Leadership, Catering to Diverse Learners, etc.

## SERVICE

- Community Service Intern at Boys and Girls Club Newark
- Volunteer Debate Coach at Kipp East Academy
- Math Tutor / Summer School Tutor
- Study Box Fundraiser at Denison University



## CREATIVE PROJECTS

### "Take Note" - Short Film | Writer, Director, Producer, Editor

Cleveland State University | Fall 2023 

- Successfully executed my first film from pre-production to post-production in conjunction with CSU's P1 course in just two months. Coordinated & found locations, schedules, craft service, talent, equipment, etc.
- Nominated for student showcase at Cleveland International Film Festival (CIFF) by Cleveland State Faculty.

### "Hon" - Short Film | Costume Designer

Cleveland State University | Spring 2024 

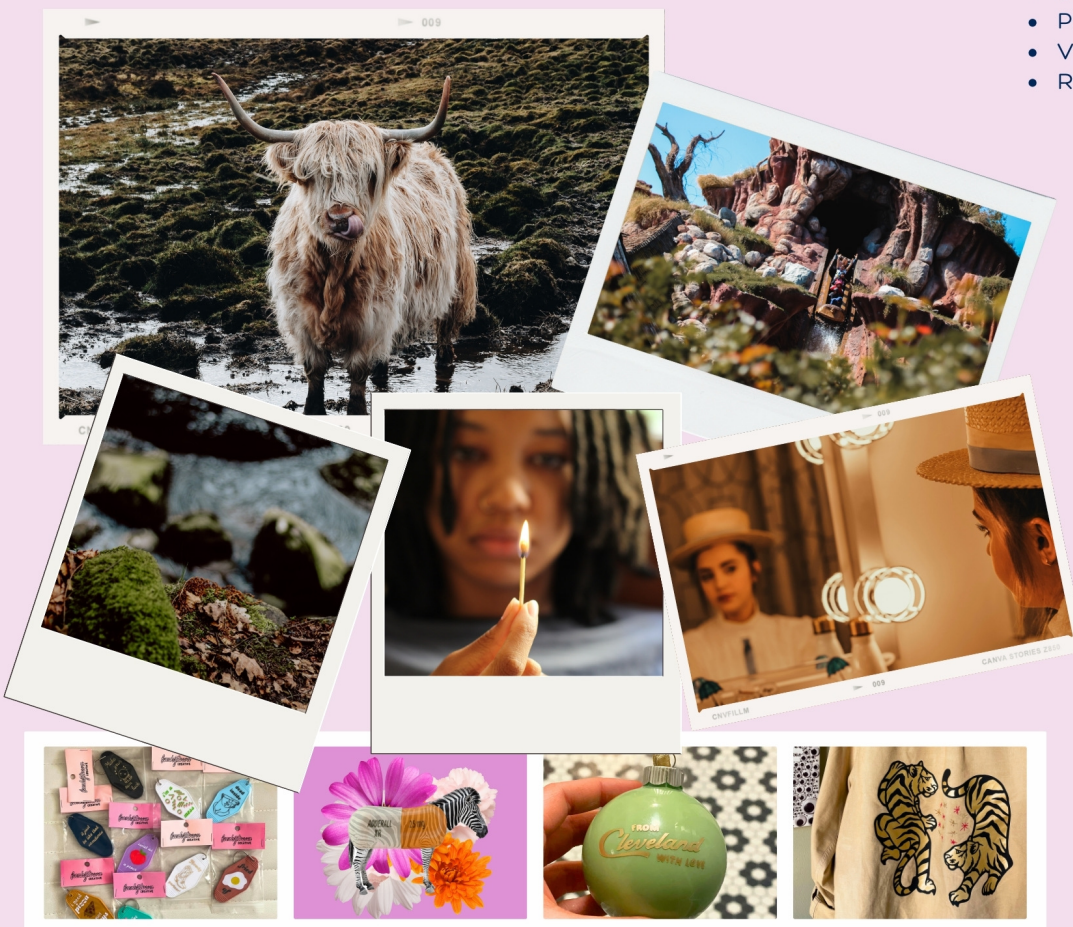
- Worked with Director, Production Designer, and Cinematographer to produce and style five characters, according to the director's vision. Currently in production.

### "Sentimental Value" - Short Film | Writer and Producer

Cleveland State University | Spring 2024 

- Wrote a 10 minute short film script about family secrets
- Selected as one of four films to be produced in Production II by peers. Currently in pre-production.

## MY WORK



## ADDITIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE






**Hair and Makeup Manager and Designer** | Denison University | '18 - '20

- Worked with directors on various productions to create looks for actors
- Organized and managed teams of assistants to execute looks.

**Sales Lead** | Soma Intimates | '19 - '20

- Promoted to keyholder/sales lead within a month of being employed.
- Highest sales in the region for three consecutive quarters.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

Adobe Creative Suite	
Microsoft Office Suite	
Google Workspace	
Communication	
People Management	

## HOBBIES

- Creative Writing
- Graphic Design
- Stage Performance
- Photography
- Vocal Performance
- Reading
- Trivia League
- Multi-Media Art & Design
- Interior Design
- Traveling
- Handmade gifts



## REFERENCES

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