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EDUCATION

Master of Fine Arts * Television Writing and Producing, The Showrunner Program August 2025 - Present

Chapman University, Dodge College of Film and Media Arts | Orange, CA

Awards: Americorps Segal Award Education Grant | President's List: 4.0 GPA

Bachelor of Arts * Communication, Theatre Minor August 2016 – June 2020

Denison University, College of Liberal Arts | Granville, OH

Activities: Singer's Theatre Workshop Performer, Fringe Festival Producer, Denison Feminists, Math Tutor, Boys and Girls Club Intern

Awards: Community Service Award, Alumni Merit Scholarship, Denison Arts Scholarship

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Writer, Creative Producer, Line Producer * Freelance | Cleveland, OH &

- Wrote and produced commercials for *Cleveland Museum of Contemporary Art* (2025), *Avalon Exchange Thrift Stores* (2024), *Keller Williams Realty* (2024-Present).

K-8 Art Teacher * Concept Schools | Noble Academy Cleveland, Euclid, OH August 2024 – June 2025

- Created a curriculum from scratch for each grade level; pioneered the Digital Media Arts program for middle school.
- Planned and ran schoolwide & community events like Harvest Festival, Winter Fest, and Field Day.

Corp Member & Middle School Educator * Teach For America | KIPP East Academy, New Orleans, LA June 2020 – June 2023

- Taught 5th grade science for two years in the corps, then 6th grade math for an extra year. Served as debate team coach.
- Developed curriculum, implemented culturally relevant lesson plans, and raised state test scores by over 50%.
- Served as TFA campus ambassador at Denison while still a student from 2019 - 2020. Recruited & interview prepped 10 applicants, 100% of which were admitted to the corps.

Production Intern * SHORTS TV | London, England January 2019 – May 2019

- Wrote presenter scripts for hosted segments, packaged short films with common themes (*Girls' Night In*, *Twisted Tales*), helped prepare 2019 Oscar-Nominated Short Films for theatrical release, created transcriptions for DirectTV channel, assisted on production shoots, researched and contacted filmmakers for interviews.

STUDENT & INDEPENDENT FILM EXPERIENCE

Producer * Miami Monk (2026, Dodge College Interterm Thesis Pilot) - Completed all permit paperwork, agreements, and production reports, created and oversaw budget, led weekly crew meetings, managed 40+ crew members, cast and extras, managed locations & communication, created and executed schedules and timelines for all stages of production, on-set problem solving.

Casting Director * Hot Hood (2026, Dodge College Interterm Thesis Pilot)

Costume Designer * Take Me to the Light (2025, Dodge College Interterm Thesis Pilot), *Hon* (2024, CSU Senior Thesis Short Film)

Writer, Director, Producer, Production Designer, Editor * Take Note (2023, CSU Student Short Film), *Sentimental Value* (2024, CSU Student Short Film) - Wrote and brought to life an original script, utilized all skills from preproduction to post-production

RELEVANT FILM COURSEWORK

Chapman University, Dodge College * Orange, CA August 2025 - Present

TV Series Development, TV Writing Seminar – Drama, Foundations of TV Storytelling, TV Production Set Management, Production Safety Lab, Production Workshop I, The History of Television, Interterm Pilot Production, The New Era of Television, Experimental Studio, Agents and Managers, Thesis Script Development, Actor-Producer Workshop

Cleveland State University, Film and Media Studies * Cleveland, OH August 2023 – May 2024

Visual Storytelling, Short Script Analysis, Writing the Short Script, Production I, Post-Production I, Production II, Production Management.

SKILLS & INTERESTS

Screenwriting: Script Coverage, 3 Act Structure, Comedic Writing, TV Writing, Proof-Reading, Editing, Story Fundamentals

Technical: Microsoft Office, Final Draft, Movie Magic Scheduling & Budgeting, Adobe Creative Suite (PremierePro, Illustrator, Photoshop, Acrobat), Breakdown Express, Actors Access, CapCut, DaVinci Resolve

Interests: Comedy Writing, Casting, Reading, Binging TV, *Survivor*, Thrifting, DIY Design, Collecting Matchbooks, Traveling, Karaoke