

Steven Smilanich

Editor/Director/Writer/Actor

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My passion for filmmaking drives me to deliver the best product possible. I am efficient and effective in following direction. I enjoy the creative process.

Willing to relocate: Anywhere

Work Experience

Freelance video editor

I worked under myself - Provo, UT

January 2023 to Present

I edited a video for YouTuber Max Derrat: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XfV-glqhmzg&ab_channel=MaxDerrat

App Developer

Kinflicks - Provo, UT

April 2021 to Present

I am working to develop an app which would record family home videos like a classic video recorder, but which would store the videos in a streaming format.

Writer/Producer/Editor

ThisSaintsTheory - Youtube Channel - Provo, UT

May 2020 to Present

I have researched, written, produced, and edited 18 videos containing The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints gospel insights, thoughts, and theories.

Writer/Director/Producer/Editor

Steven Pictures - Provo, UT

September 2016 to Present

I have written, directed, and edited three short films.

1. "Captive," a psychological horror movie about the effects of addiction. It was presented at the 2018 LDS Film Festival.
2. "What Happened to Samantha?," an 80s styled teen romance film about a boy and the mysterious girl he met at a party.
3. "The Sun Eclipsed," a noir/martial arts film featuring an unstable young man seeking revenge on his sibling student after the supposed death of his master.

Volunteer

Sundance - Provo Canyon, UT

January 2023 to January 2023

I volunteered at the 2023 Sundance film festival

Production Assistant

B Cam Films - Provo, UT
September 2022 to September 2022

I helped to set up lights, shaders, and other things for the feature film "Date Night."

Production Assistant

Future Movie Productions - Riverton, UT
March 2021 to March 2021

I assisted by setting up lights and staging for the movie shoot - "All We Need for Christmas".

Casting Assistant

T.C. Christensen - Draper, UT
February 2020 to February 2020

I assisted with casting for T.C. Christensen's upcoming movie about WWII.

Production Assistant Intern

Bridgestone Multimedia Group - Spanish Fork, UT
July 2019 to August 2019

I interned on a feature film titled, "Christmas Project Reunion".

Production Assistant

Mace Phone - Draper, UT
May 2019 to May 2019

I set up lights on a set for a commercial for phone cases. Directed by T.C. Christensen.

Video Editor

Seven Brothers - Provo, UT
January 2019 to March 2019

I produced and edited their video commercials.

Extra Actor

Paramount Network - Park City, UT
August 2018 to August 2018

I was an extra on the TV show "Yellowstone."

Missionary

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints - Philadelphia, PA
November 2014 to October 2016

I paid my own way on a two year service mission.

Education

Bachelor's in Digital Cinema

Utah Valley University - Orem, UT
January 2017 to April 2022

High School Diploma

Timpview High School - Provo, UT

August 2011 to May 2014

Skills

- Photography background
- Creative writing
- Film editing
- Experience with Final Cut Pro (9 years)
- director (5 years)
- Avid (3 years)
- Premiere Pro (4 years)
- Adobe Photoshop
- Video Production
- Filming
- acting improve (6 years)
- Martial arts (4 years)

Links

<https://500px.com/p/stevensp500?view=photos>

<https://www.stevenpictures.com/>

Awards

2018 LDS Film Festival Official Selection

February 2018

My short film CAPTIVE was shown as an official selection at the 2018 LDS film festival

Assessments

Social media — Proficient

October 2021

Knowledge of popular social media platforms, features, and functions

Full results: [Proficient](#)

Graphic design — Proficient

January 2022

Using graphic design techniques and producing visual media to communicate concepts

Full results: [Proficient](#)

Sales skills — Proficient

January 2022

Influencing and negotiating with customers

Full results: [Proficient](#)

Work style: Reliability — Completed

December 2021

Tendency to be reliable, dependable, and act with integrity at work

Full results: [Completed](#)

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