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## EDUCATION

- SUNY Plattsburgh  
Bachelor's in T.V & Film Production/ Radio Minor  
Plattsburgh, NY  
September 2018- December 2020
- Nassau Community College  
Associates in General Liberal Arts  
Garden City, NY  
September 2013 – December 2016

## EXPERIENCE

### **NYRA- New York Racing Association**

*TV Crew/ Associate producer*

Belmont Park, Elmont, NY

*April 2022- Present*

- Operated and calibrated equipment and positions such as cameraman, Graphics, audio, TD, Master controls broadcasting
- Produced and managed a number of live sports shows, ensuring seamless execution and adherence to tight production schedules.
- Collaborated with sports directors, commentators, and technical crews to enhance the overall viewer experience.
- Developed and executed pre-game production plans, coordinating with various departments to ensure smooth on-air transitions.
- Managed on-site logistics and technical setups, optimizing production workflows for live broadcasts.
- Maintain and if needed fixing for all company-issued technology, equipment and vehicles, and initiate troubleshooting/repairs with urgency.
- Maintain highly collaborative, productive working environments and relationships with management and news personnel.

### **Orion Photo Group**

Seasonal Photographer

New York City

May 2022- Present

- *Freelance Shoots weddings, engagements, family portraits*
- *Travels around the new york city area to different clients and events*
- *Shoot and edit video, photographs and other visuals to build packages, story elements and long form content for multiplatform reporting and marketing.*

### **Snappr**

Freelance Photographer/ Videographer

New York City

September 2022 - present

- Captured vibrant and candid photographs of students, faculty, and school events, preserving cherished memories for families and the school community.
- Coordinated and executed high-quality individual and group portrait sessions, ensuring a smooth and enjoyable experience for students and staff.
- Collaborated with school administrators and event organizers to plan and execute photography schedules for special events, such as graduation ceremonies, proms, and sports tournaments.

- Maintained a professional and approachable demeanor to create a positive atmosphere, especially when working with children and teenagers.
- Utilized advanced editing techniques to enhance and retouch images, delivering polished and visually appealing photographs to clients.

**Jelly Smack**

Freelance Video Editor

**New York, NY**

May 2021- October 2022

- Managed and executed video editing projects for a diverse clientele, including small businesses, content creators, and non-profit organizations.
- Leveraged strong communication skills to understand client requirements and provide regular updates throughout the editing process.
- Developed a portfolio of completed projects, showcasing versatility in editing styles and genres.
- Assisted in all stages of video production, from pre-production planning to post-production editing.
- Organized and managed video assets, ensuring efficient workflows and timely project completion.
- Collaborated with the director and other team members to brainstorm and implement creative concepts.

**Irvin Simon Photographers**

Staff Seasonal Photographer

NYC Metropolitan Area/ Long Island

September Fall 2021- Present

- Lead photographer for school portrait sessions, including individual, class, and faculty portraits.
- Established a rapport with students and staff to create a relaxed and enjoyable photo experience, resulting in genuine expressions and vibrant images.
- Managed equipment, backdrops, and lighting setups to ensure a smooth and efficient photography process.
- Collaborated with school administrators and staff to coordinate scheduling and logistics for picture days.

**PSTV**

TV Crew/ Writer/ Director/ Producer

Plattsburgh, NY

Fall 2018- Fall 2020

- Write, produce, shoot, edit, act, TD, audio, graphics, playback, greenscreen
- Work in tandem with newsroom personnel to create and develop news stories.
- Worked on live newscasts, sportscasts, scripted shows, commercials and documentaries
- Operate and maintain live equipment including microwave, satellite and related news gathering equipment.

**PBS**

*Production Assistant*

Plattsburgh, NY

February 2020- December 2020

- Supported the production team in the planning and execution of PBS programs, ensuring the smooth operation of shoots.
- Assisted with equipment setup, managed production schedules, and coordinated logistics for on-location filming.
- Collaborated with producers and camera operators to maintain a cohesive and efficient production workflow.
- Proficient in using DSLR and mirrorless cameras, with a strong understanding of composition, sound and lighting.
- Interviewing, transcribing, summaries and helped other interns

## **All Hands And Heart**

*Humanitarian Volunteer*

Great Abaco, The Bahamas  
March 2021 - September 2021

- Building schools for children in a natural disaster zone
- Work with power tools, manual tools, wheelbarrows, concrete
- Work with local communities to satisfy their needs

## **SUNY Plattsburgh**

*Equipment Cage Attendant*

Plattsburgh, NY  
September 2020- December 2020

- Equipment rental attendant for film production purposes
- Help transfer raw files from cameras to computer
- Communicating and coordinating incoming video elements from crews in the field.

## **Films Awards**

*Independent Shorts Awards (ISA) - Almond Breeze (2020) - Gaffer*

*Lake Placid Film Festival - Unicorn Breath - Director /writer*

*Munich Music Video Awards- Snow Isn't Always White (2022)- Director*

## **Videography/ filmography**

**Anderson Dental Commercial (2022)** - camera/ edit/ produced

**Shay London Hair Commercial (2021)** - editor/ Director of Photography

**All Hands And Hearts Disaster Relief Promo (2021)**- Done Operator/ Cameraman/ editor

**The Bahamas On Golf Carts** - Cameraman/ editor

**Coffee House Promo (2019)**- Writer/ director/ cameraman/ editor

**FOOLS GOLD** - Gaffer 2024

**Grandma and I (2024)** - Key Grip

## **Skill Sets**

**Content creation**- Ranging from ideas, recording and post-production work

**Programs**- Adobe Premiere pro(10 years), Davinci(5 years), Audition (7 years), Photoshop (13 years), Illustrator(12 years), After Effects (5 years), Avid (5 years)

**Media Production**- Shows, commercials, sports Music videos, films

**Leadership** - Knows how to invision projects to become a reality

**Documents**- Word, Powerpoint, Excell, Outlook, Google Docs/ Drive

**Creative Writing**- Writes blogs, screenplays, & scripts. Knowledge and ability to express idea through the written word

**Creative thinking skills, Decision-making skills, Problem-solving skills**