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CORE QUALIFICATIONS

- Video & Photo Editing programs: Adobe Premiere PRO; Adobe After Effects; Adobe Photoshop; Adobe Lightroom; DaVinci Resolve;
- Strong portfolio/showreel as a Cinematographer/ Video Editor using Adobe Premiere Pro/Adobe After Effects.
- Lighting skills
- Tutoring people in basic use of Adobe Premiere Pro.
- Planning and organizing, ability to deliver work on time, and prioritizing when required.
- Outstanding attention to details.
- Experience working to deadlines and in a creative production environment.
- Ability to work alone under your own supervision but also to work in a team.
- Customer-focused
- Up to date with the latest video and social trends

INTERESTS

- Cinematography- Short Films
- Video editing
- Videography- Travel Videos
- Digital Products creation- Lightroom Presets, Colour Grading Luts, Sound FX, Online Course
- Motion Graphic design
- Traveling
- Street Photography
- Sport

LANGUAGES

English (Professional)
Polish - (Native)

Professional Cinematographer/Video Editor with 5 years of experience in the industry including 4 years of working with clients. Captured the best visual shots for over 60 customers. Passionate self-learner and creator of short films which include shaping lights, framing, and editing in multiple movie-making software programs. Possess strong attention to details, a highly professional attitude, and an important ability to finish all projects on time. Highly experienced in Commercial, Music, Corporate, Online courses, Real Estate, Wedding videos, and Short films.

EXPERIENCE

February 2022 to August 2022

Videographer Editor *Comton Group Ltd*, Birmingham, West Midlands

- Planning and preparing multiple cameras and lighting setups for interviews
- Shooting interviews
- Creating long-form corporate videos for clients
- Producing video and audio files through to the final cut
- Generating storyboards to showcase new ideas for new and existing clients
- Filming on site
- Maintaining all electronic equipment
- Setting up the company studio for pre-recorded events and podcasts, ensuring the setup is optimized to generate the best footage for the project
- Operating a drone
- Generating ideas for engaging video content
- Cutting video and adding music, dialogue, graphic overlays, and effects
- Creating short advertisements for client's social media platforms
- Ensuring that all projects are completed in time

September 2019 to February 2022

Videographer/Editor *Rejnowy Visuals & Hero Visuals*, Birmingham, West Midlands

- Editing camera footage, stock footage, graphics, animations, vocal recordings, sound effects, and music to produce engaging social media, educational, and marketing videos, using Adobe Premiere Pro, Adobe After Effects, Adobe Lightroom, and DaVinci Resolve.
- Creating and adding animated lower thirds and basic motion graphics to videos.
- Colour correction and grading images and videos
- Managing pre-production tasks such as developing content plans and overall messages.
- Effectively communicating with a broad range of customers.
- Set and maintained an organized schedule for production.
- Producing a whole range of videos such as Commercial, Music, Corporate, Online courses, Real Estate, and Weddings video.
- Using Black Magic Pocket 6k Pro, Sony FS 700, Sony a7III Cameras, and Drone Mavic Air to record component shots at different

locations.

- Set up and configured equipment to capture indoor and outdoor shots.
- Composed and framed each shot and applied technical aspects of light, lenses, filters, and camera settings.

February 2017 to July 2019

Videographer- Freelancer *Self-employed*, Birmingham, West Midlands

- Shooting music videos
- Second shooter on weddings
- Crating social media advertisements videos
- Editing footage
- Event Photography
- Learning online and practicing in building cinematic scenes and lighting techniques

May 2015 to January 2017

Event Assistant *Zatoka Sztuki*

- Supporting the Event Manager
- Assisting in the event logistic
- Stage building
- Setting up light, sound, and video systems

January 2012 to September 2015

Music Producer & DJ *Freelancer*, Sopot

- Producing original experimental music for entertaining, ensuring alignment with client needs and specifications.
- Working closely with music producers and DJs to achieve the desired sound, producing relevant recordings and demos for a local audience.
- Participating in promotional events in the local community, met fans and clients, and offered professional station representation.
- Organizing shows and created segment sheets.
- Playing a mix of songs that matched station format and avoided dead air by closely monitoring the length of each song.

EDUCATION

2011

The school of Gastronomy and hospitality

2007

High school, Sopot