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I'm a hard worker with good communication skills and a passion for all things film.

I have a distinction in Level 3 Ext Diploma in Creative Media Production from Coleg Y Cymoedd in Nantgarw.

I'm currently training to be a children's entertainer

I am a great leader, having experience with leading film sets as a film director and am currently working on two short film projects of which I am directing.

I spent a lot of my time creating content with my local youth service as a young editor and have recently completed a three-day film shoot alongside the work I do in college.

I've recently completed an 8-week business course and achieved a recognised qualification from Welsh ICE.

## Personal Details

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**Driver's License:** Cars

**Eligible to work in the UK:** Yes

**Industry:** Media & Communications

## Work Experience

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### Children's Party Entertainer

DNA Kids

April 2025 to Present

Currently performing around the UK as a children's party entertainer.

I provide hours of fun entertainment, silly antics and cool games!

My training was highly praised by the company heads and it's a job I'm loving so much!

It's a self-employed position so it's incredibly flexible when it comes to other work.

### Cats of Ulthar - 1st Assistant Director

Cardiff

March 2025 to Present

We've just shot the proof of concept trailer for this 6 day short film set to shoot in the new year

I was thrown almost in the deep end when I was asked to be the 1st AD when ours pulled out

I was originally set to be 2nd

We had issues on set with planning and sudden changes that weren't communicated but thankfully with the support of my runners and my quick thinking I got us wrapped on time

I created the call sheets, I hired the runners, I liaised with all the different departments and I was praised by my director for my hard work and the cast and crew are ecstatic to know that I'll be the 1st AD for the main shoot

## **Emily's Phone - Director**

Cardiff, Cardiff

February 2024 to Present

I am currently working with Master Motion Pictures on their short horror film 'Emily's Phone'.

At the moment, me and my exec are going through budget and putting together a pitch deck to seek financing for the film.

This will be my first time working on a budgeted project.

## **Cinema Usher**

Maxime Cinema-Blackwood

April 2023 to Present

Similar to my previous position at Vue Cinemas Merthyr, my duties involves serving customers, food handling (Making nachos and crunchy crisps), checking screen to ensure everything is running smoothly.

It's a fast-paced environment especially during busy periods so I have experience with being rushed off of my feet. There's a lot of pressure in this job when it gets busy especially during half-terms.

When I'm on closing shifts, my responsibilities include closing up the building, making sure the fire doors are locked with a bar and assisting my manager to close up the building at the end of the night.

I've been asked to show the new starters how to perform certain tasks and have been trusted doing certain jobs over other members of my team who've been there as long as I have.

My customer service has been consistently rated excellent as I am a people person and I get along with the team great.

## **Scare Actor**

Cardiff Halloween Festival-Cardiff, Cardiff

October 2024 to October 2024

My role this year was very similar to last year. I was to bring the groups of people in and bring them into the world of the attraction (Outbreak - District 19). My role involved staying in character for an extended amount of time and whenever I was around guests. Since I was a returning actor I was in charge of making sure newer actors were prepared and in their places on time.

## **When We First Met - Production Assistant**

Cartwright Pictures-Taff's Well, Cardiff

November 2023 to November 2023

I was a production assistant for Cartwright Pictures for a two day shoot for their short film 'When We First Met' which starred Welsh actor Steve Speirs. My duties involved doing food and drink runs, preparing the slate for marking each shot, assisting the DOP in preparing the shot and keeping continuity.

## **Scare Actor**

Cardiff Halloween Festival-Cardiff

October 2023 to October 2023

The contract was for the month of October and I was an army batcher. That means that I was to send people in in different batches. I got to interact with customer in a character, providing laughs and scared whilst successfully painting a scene for them.

## **Customer Service**

Vue Cinemas-Merthyr Tydfil

October 2022 to February 2023

My job was to serve customers and clean screens when on a floor shift. I frequently worked night shifts usually until 1am and worked loads of shifts, covered many shifts and took on extra optional work, especially during school holidays which was also a great time to develop my skills.

I also helped drive sales by upselling products and was once successful during a shift in bringing up sales of food products by a considerable amount.

I often worked long nights, some ending at 1:45am. I always picked up extra shifts when I was able to and was praised often for doing so.

I was praised for my improvement during my probationary period and some were surprised it was my first job as they thought I was really good at the job.

I was a hard worker and I believe my experience working in a cinema as easily transferrable to another retail job as I have knowledge of POS systems, cash handling, customer service and working in a fast-paced environment.

## Education

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### **Level 3 Extended Diploma in Creative Media Production**

Coleg y Cymoedd-Nantgarw

September 2022 to June 2023

### **College Diploma Level 3 in Creative Media Production**

Coleg y Cymoedd-Nantgarw

September 2021 to June 2022

### **College Diploma Level 2 in Creative Media Production**

Coleg y Cymoedd-Nantgarw, Rhondda Cynon Taff

September 2020 to May 2021

## Skills

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- Customer Service (1 year)
- Project planning
- Computer skills
- Microsoft Powerpoint
- Food safety
- English
- Experience with children (Less than 1 year)
- Communication skills
- Organisational skills
- Microsoft Excel
- Leadership (Less than 1 year)
- Retail Sales
- Time management
- Customer Support
- Hard worker
- Microsoft Word
- Driving
- Phone etiquette

## Certifications and Licenses

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### **DBS Check**

Present

I have an enhanced DBS