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**PERSONAL STATEMENT**

I am studying for an MA in screen production for documentary film-making at UWE Bristol.

I am based in Bristol.

I have a full driving license and car and have travelled widely in Europe, Asia, America and Australia.

I have experience of videography, video editing and film making. I have had some of my photography work published. I also have experience of sound recording and editing, and am capable of writing to a professional standard. I also possess journalistic skills such as research, interviewing and networking. I have a keen interest in current affairs, environmental and human rights issues.

I recently released a film about lands rights in England and the right to protest, which has been reviewed by several online publications including modern times review.

I am proficient in social media management and have successfully run and managed social media campaigns and fundraisers.

I have worked in several busy offices environments and am skilled in picking up using new

I am motivated, hard working and quick to learn.

I am an active member of Acorn, the renter’s union and housing action group.

I volunteer for Ujima radio in Bristol, where I have edited and compiled news features and also co-hosted a live radio show.

In my spare time I play several instruments and sing in a band.

**Education-**

MA Screen production for documentary- 01/2022 until 12/2022

BA Media and Journalism at UWE Bristol- September 2018-2021

.I attended the Royal Latin School and sixth form in Buckingham, where I achieved 3 A levels in Media, English lit and Psychology and 11 GCSEs.

**EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

**UWE Student content co-ordinator**

October 2019- 2021

Creating content such as Vlogs, blogs and social media takeovers about the student experience at UWE for use in there marketing and prospectus. This is a paid position.

**RePsych Project Film maker**

May-July 2019

Working as a film maker for a not for profit organisation. We went on a crowd funded tour across Europe, facilitating music workshops with displaced communities and also distributing donated musical instruments. I have also been tasked with planning, filming and editing a film about this experience. This involved shooting interviews with volunteers and locals about the refugee crisis in Europe, filming workshops sessions and editing and uploading update videos to the projects social media channels. It also involved helping to plan the logistics of the tour and also helping to run the facebook fundraising campaign.

**Red Sky**

June 2019- September 2019

Working for a boutique camping company, setting up and maintaining bell tents for events, changing beds and helping customers find their tents. This role also involved a lot of warehouse work and heavy lifting and also some driving.

**HAP Recruitment**

May 2019- September 2019

Working for an events bar company during my university summer holiday, working busy event bars at festivals and concerts across the country, serving drinks and working as bar support.

**Space Engineering**

March 2017-September 2018

Working for a refrigeration engineering service as a service controller. This involves managing the schedules of a team of engineers, prioritising workloads, taking inbound calls from both engineers and clients and ensuring the smooth running of the refrigeration repair service for a major retail chain. This roll involves lots of planning and logistics, time management and the ability to keep calm under pressure and to work as a team.