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EDUCATION

2021-2025

University of Michigan / Ann Arbor, MI

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Film, Television and Media; Entrepreneurship Minor

◦ GPA: 3.95

◦ Course highlights: Film Editing; Music Video Production; Film and Media Production; Documentary Production

WORK EXPERIENCE

May 2025

DeCubellis Films / New York, NY

Production Assistant

◦ Supported the setup and breakdown of production equipment and materials on a promotional video for an award-winning architecture firm

June - August 2024

Jump Cut NYC / New York, NY

Post Production Intern

◦ Conceived and edited television spots on Adobe Premiere Pro for *Citizen Nation* (2024), a four-episode, non-fiction PBS mini-series

◦ Assisted senior editors pulling clips for trailers for independent films and studio digital releases

June - July 2023

Avanti Channel / Remote

Intern

◦ Conducted demographic research for start-up streaming service focused on Italian-American content

May 2021 - August 2023
Seasonal

Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts / Katonah, NY

Box Office Agent / Guest Relations Staff

◦ Provided guest services; monitored email, phones, and website chat regularly
◦ Assisted box office manager in diverse administrative and operational projects

May - June 2021

InnerBrand Concierge / Remote

Marketing Intern

◦ Researched cultural and media trends among Gen Z to create marketing plans

AWARDS

December 2024

Winner, FVSA Lightworks Film Festival - University of Michigan

◦ Sound Production, *Invisible Forces* (2024), directed by Carsten Higbie

LEADERSHIP

2023-2024

58 Greene A cappella - University of Michigan / Ann Arbor, MI

Fundraising Chair

◦ Organized group events to raise funds for performances and charity donations

◦ Applied for University grants to further the group's opportunities to support itself

SKILLS

Adobe Premiere Pro

Final Cut Pro

DaVinci Resolve

Microsoft Office Suite / Google Workspace

Strong written and verbal communications skills

REFERENCES

Available on request