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BACKGROUND

I have experience in photography, live and pre-recorded video production, directing, technical directing, photo and video editing, audio mixing and engineering, social media and project management, website development, graphic design, rudimentary writing skills, and event planning.



EDUCATION

B.S. in Video/Television Production, B.S. in Philosophy | Hofstra University

Class of 2021 | 3.78 GPA | Philosophy concentration in Ethics | Phi Sigma Tau Honor Society for Philosophy



MEDIA & WORK EXPERIENCE

Photography Manager | Philmont Scout Ranch, May 2021 – August 2021

Coordinate with fellow MPS managers to serve marketing needs | Schedule staff and participant shoots with other departments | Manage photo operations within the MPS department

Evangelization Coordinator | Notre Dame R.C. Church, June 2020 – May 2021

Managed parish digital media | Planned & executed parish-wide faith formation events | Coordinated creative digital & distance ministry during the COVID-19 shutdown | Worked directly with the pastor | Created capital campaign marketing materials | Freelanced at Notre Dame for two years prior to pastoral staff

Photo Services Student Associate | Madison Square Garden, January 2019 – May 2019

Maintained equipment, supplies, & records | Captioned, organized, & archived images | Assisted on shoots

Manager & Developer | Startup Catholic, August 2018 – May 2021

Managed projects & communicated with clients to develop & maintain websites

Photographer | Philmont Scout Ranch, May 2018 – July 2018

Worked in rugged & constantly changing conditions | Worked on a marketing team with photographers, journalists, & videographers | Worked during the 2018 Ute Park wildfire & first emergency closing of Philmont Scout Ranch

Technical Staff | Kellenberg Memorial High School, May 2017 – May 2020

Worked on pre-recorded and live video productions, live audio engineering, photography, & media marketing



SOFTWARE & SKILLS

- Adobe Premiere, Lightroom, Photoshop, Bridge
- OBS Studio & WordPress
- Avid Media Composer
- Strong management & teamwork skills
- Adjusts quickly to changing atmospheres
- Works efficiently under pressure



COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENTS

Eagle Scout, Current Merit Badge Counselor, Life Teen Core Team at Notre Dame R.C. Church (2020-21)