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PROFILE

Film Media Theatre Major (with a focus on film) and Computer Science Minor at Mount Holyoke College looking to apply my knowledge and gain experience working in the film production industry. Seeking internship opportunities for the summer and academic year in film production. My pronouns are they/he/she.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts in Film Media Theatre

Expected Graduation MAY 2025

Mount Holyoke College, South Hadley, MA, USA

GPA: 3.87 / 4.00

Relevant Coursework: Talking Pictures: Intro Film; Acting I; Latin American Film History; Introduction to Theater; Short Eyes Practicum; Intro to Video Production; Women Experimental Filmmakers; Directing Actors for Screen; Audio Storytelling; Media & Sexuality; Marisol Practicum; Experimental Video; Fandom Studies

Honors & Awards: 21st Century Scholar and Mount Holyoke Fund Scholar 2022-23

Set Etiquette 101

Completed JULY 2023

IATSE Local 849 (Valid until JULY 2025)

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE (Film and Media)

Stage Crew – Student Involvement, Mount Holyoke College

DEC 2023 – PRESENT

- Manage tech such as sound reinforcement, lighting design, projection design, and coordinate staging logistics with performers for campus events

Jury Member/Print Trafficking – 5 College Film Festival, Five College Consortium

DEC 2023 – PRESENT

- Organize film festival for the five colleges with representatives from each; track submissions and determine projections for day

Head Editor & Photographer – Don't Blink Media, Smith College

OCT 2023 – PRESENT

- Collaborate with the production team and other editors; photograph stills during production and pre-production work

Photographer – MHN, Mount Holyoke College

OCT 2023 – PRESENT

- Complete various photo assignments for Mount Holyoke News

FMT Department Student Liaison – FMT Department, Mount Holyoke College

AUG 2023 – PRESENT

- Coordinate events for students in the FMT department with the other liaisons; host weekly study hours (Writers Room)

Traffic Director – WMHC, Mount Holyoke College

APR 2023 – PRESENT

- Handle PSAs and station mail as a member of the WMHC board; participate in organizing concert events on campus

Marketing & Communications Intern – Welcome Change Productions, Remote

JUNE 2023 – AUG 2023

- Completed weekly tasks for social media platforms as well as editing transcripts and videos

Media Chair – Film Society, Mount Holyoke College

APR 2022 – MAY 2023

- Run social media accounts for club; help decide films for weekly screenings
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OTHER EXPERIENCE

Assistant Stage Manager – Mount Holyoke College

Marisol

NOV 2023 – PRESENT

Short Eyes

SEPT 2022 – NOV 2022

- Assist the stage manager with basic stage management duties including cleaning the stage before and after rehearsals, attending production meetings, setting up and striking the set, taking rehearsal and blocking notes, and pulling the curtain
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SKILLS

Digital -

Adobe Premiere Pro and Audition, Nikon DSLR, Microsoft Excel and Word, Final Cut Pro, Canon DSLR, Google Suite, Zoom H4N Recorder, Shotgun mics, Lavalier mics

Language -

English (native) and American Sign Language (proficient)