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Professional Summary

Media Producer and Animator with 13+ years of video production, animation and visual effects experience, and 16 years of high-volume food service production. Bachelor of Arts in Journalism and Media Communications; Master of Communications and Media Management in progress at Colorado State University. Skilled in storytelling, content creation, SEO, social media and customer service.

Skills

Animation, Video Production, Video Editing, Visual Effects, Motion Graphics, Storyboarding, Sound Design, Digital Photography, Content Creation, Creative Writing, Search Engine Optimization (SEO), Search Engine Marketing (SEM), Social Media Marketing, Small Business Marketing, Advertising, Public Speaking, Event Planning, Customer Service, Employee Training, Inventory Management, Food Safety, HACCP

Software: Adobe Photoshop, Adobe After Effects, Adobe Premiere Pro, DaVinci Resolve, Blender, Storyboard Pro, Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel, Microsoft PowerPoint

Professional Experience

Production Cook (Dining Services III) Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO | 2022 - Present

- Prepare and serve a wide range of recipes in university dining centers while maintaining high standards of food quality, safety and hospitality
- Manage inventory, train employees and collect HACCP food safety data
- Produced Quarantine Cooking at Colorado State University, a recipe video playlist

Video Producer and Content Creator (YouTube Partner) Self-employed, Remote | Mar 2013 - Present

- Write, storyboard, shoot, edit and publish educational and entertaining videos in live-action, 2D animation and 3D animation formats

- Manage the full production pipeline including cinematography, sound design, visual effects, publishing and content distribution
- Apply SEO and social media strategy to grow audience reach on YouTube, Facebook and Twitter

Dining Services II Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO | Jan 2010 - May 2022

- Served an average of 800 to 2,300 guests per 3 to 4 hour meal period at the university's largest dining hall
- Supported inventory control, food safety compliance and employee training in a high-volume kitchen

Security Staff Landmark Event Staffing Services, Fort Collins, CO | Aug 2008 - Aug 2014

- Staffed security details at events with large crowds and provided customer service

Digital Archivist Front Range Community College, Fort Collins, CO | Nov 2006 - Dec 2008

- Scanned, restored and organized photographs and archived images on network storage

Education

Master of Communications and Media Management (M.C.M.M.), Colorado State University, in progress

Bachelor of Arts, Journalism and Media Communications, Colorado State University, Dec 2022

Associate of Arts, Art Studies, Front Range Community College, 2008

Certifications

- CPFM Food Safety Manager (HACCP), ServSafe, Jan 2011
- Fundamentals of Search Marketing, Google, Jun 2021
- Learning Agility, LinkedIn, May 2022
- Building an Online Portfolio, LinkedIn, May 2022

Volunteer Experience

- Off the Hook Arts, Fort Collins, CO, 2021: animation, video production, video editing, tech support
- Linus Media Group, Vancouver, BC, 2019: tech support, registration, event security
- MAGFest, Inc., Washington, D.C., 2014 - 2016: registration, security, tech operations

Languages

English (native), Spanish (limited working proficiency), Gaelic (elementary proficiency)