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EXPERIENCE

- | Aug 2016 - June 2017 |
Deputy Press Secretary of Digital Media
Office of the Governor of Illinois

Produced & edited videos for Governor Rauner's social media accounts, gaining over 2.7 million organic views & increasing followership by over 68,000%.

Created daily & weekly strategic social media plan.

Assisted in production of major live events like State of the State Address.

Liaised with all state agencies to produce content.

Traveled with the Governor to events including the Cubs World Series parade as photographer & videographer.
- | June 2018 - Sept 2018 |
Assistant Producer & Graphic Designer
Direct Pictures

Designed titles, posters & graphic materials for **Into the Heart of India**, directed by award-winning filmmaker John Bush.

Created a social media strategy to build hype surrounding the film's release.

Assisted in the editing of the film, trailers & animated sequences.
- | May 2015 - Present |
Lead Package Designer
Protein Essentials, LLC

Redesigned & rebranded product line & shopify storefront for multi-national protein company.

Increased sales by 110% in 40 day period after new design release.
- | June - Nov 2018 |
Freelance Video Editor
Culberson for Congress

- | Sept 2018 - March 2019 |
Graduate Teaching Assistant
Northwestern University

Lead weekly three-hour lab exploring filmmaking concepts including: exposure, lens choice, white balance, coverage, lighting, sound & editing. Taught students to use key production tools including the Canon C100mii, audio equipment & Premiere Pro.
- | May - Aug 2016 |
Strategic Resources Intern State Farm

Created, video, social media & photography materials for State Farm Newsoom & planned the summer intern showcase for key stakeholders.
- | May - Aug 2015 |
Director of Marketing
Protein Essentials, LLC
- | Winter 2008 - 2012 |
Senior Snowboard Instructor
Williams Ski Haus

EDUCATION

- | Sept 2017 - June 2019 |
MFA Documentary Media
Northwestern University, GPA 3.95
- | Aug 2012 - Aug 2016 |
BFA Photography & Art History
University of Illinois, GPA: 3.95
Bronze Tablet recipient: Highest Honors and top 3% of class of 2016 & 2017

STUDY ABROAD

- **Cuban American Relations**
Havana, Cuba | Winter 2016 |
- **Institut Américain Universitaire**
Aix-en-Provence, France | Spring 2015 |
- **École du Louvre**
Paris, France | Summer 2014 |

FILMS

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|---------------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Released June 2019 | Released April 2019 | Released June 2019 |
| Camelot North | #Beautysickness | Elizabeth et Les Bonbons |
| Director, producer & cinematographer. | Cinematographer | First Assistant Camera |

SKILLS

Premiere Pro	Canon C100 mii
DaVinci Resolve	Sony FS5
Illustrator	Arri Alexa
Photoshop	Shopify
Reaper	Vérité
Final Cut X	Movie Magic