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Education

LOYOLA MARYMOUNT UNIVERSITY

SFTV Living Learning Community; Major: Film and Television Production

Los Angeles, CA
2022-Present

CATE SCHOOL

4.0 unweighted GPA; Graduated with honors; Prefect; Peer Tutor; Club Head; Photographer

Carpinteria, CA
2019-2022

Experience

TV SHOW- SWEET AND COLD

Summer Intern

Suzhou, Jiangsu
2021

- Participated in the filming of TV show *Sweet and Cold*
- Studied under Chinese director Zhang Feng and worked along the script supervisor on set

SHORT NOVEL: WHAT GOES AROUND, COMES AROUND

Writer, Editor, Formatter

Shenzhen, Guangdong
July 2021

- Wrote and published a ~15,000-word crime/thriller novel revolving around a boarding school teacher who finds himself entangled in a series of suicides that may not be simple suicides after all...
- 2021 Scholastic Writing Silver Key Winner

IOWA YOUNG WRITERS' STUDIO

Writer's Room TV Writer

Virtual
June 2021

- Participated in the IYWS' TV Writing/Writer's Room
- Wrote a 47-paged pilot script for an original TV show based on Mary Shelley's *Frankenstein*

SANTA BARBARA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (SBIFF)

Filmmaker

Santa Barbara, CA
December 2020 - April 2021; January - March 2020

- Selected as a filmmaker finalist in the 2021 SBIFF 10-10-10 Screenwriting and Filmmaking Mentorship and Competition; Participated in workshops, planned out production, and worked with mentor Leslie Zemeckis (however due to the COVID pandemic, films were not able to be produced)
- Worked as the assistant director of Dylan Macfarlane's short film, *A Broken Home* for the 2020 SBIFF 10-10-10

UCLA FILM & TELEVISION SUMMER INSTITUTE

Student/Participant

Virtual
June 2020

- Participated in the UCLA Film and Television Summer Institute - Digital Filmmaking Session A 2020
- Attended lectures & workshops; Wrote, directed, & edited a 2-minute short film (shot with an iPhone)

TV SHOW- HE LI HUA TING

Summer Intern

Xiang Shan, Zhejiang
2018

- Participated in the filming of TV show *He Li Hua Ting*
- Studied under Chinese director Yang Wenjun and learned about directing and different aspects of filmmaking.

Leadership & Activities

CATE SCHOOL YEARBOOK

Photographer & Editor

Carpinteria, CA
2020-2022

- Worked on the Cate School Yearbook, taking photographs for sport teams, sport games, special events, etc.

PERSISTENCE OF VISION (POV) FILM CLUB

Club Member & Head

Carpinteria, CA
2019-2022

- Exchanged creative ideas, introduced films, worked on screenwriting, etc. with other members of the club.

Skills

Technical: Proficient in: Adobe Premiere Pro; Adobe Photoshop; Adobe After Effects; Adobe InDesign; Davinci Resolve

Language: Fluent in: English; Mandarin. Conversant in: Spanish

Certifications

Accounting Fundamentals, Corporate Finance Institute - June 2022