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Featured Credits

1st AC/A Cam Operator

Kid Chef Bakes (2022) Web Series / Digital Media Callisto Media (New York, NY)

DP: Doug Meltzer (Local 600)
2nd AC / Swing G&E

The Wilsons (2022)

Television Pilot

Tiffany Films LLC (Montclair, NJ)

DP: Dave Brick (Local 600)

Director of Photography / Producer

Madeline (2023)

Short Film

Director: Sam Anctil

Key Grip / Best Boy Electric Untitled Short (2022)

Short Film

Freelance

DP: Dave Brick (Local 600)

2nd AC/Dolly Grip The Way Back (2022)

Short Film

Freelance

DP: Dave Brick (Local 600)

Swing G&E

Embecta Diabetes Awareness "We're All In..." (2022)

Corporate / Promotional Rocket to the Moon

DP: Noah Stout

Gaffer: Topher Maz

Camera Assistant/PA

Awesome Science Experiments for Kids (2022)

Web Series / Digital Media

Callisto Media (Brooklyn, NY)

DP: John Nastasi (Local 600)

DP: Anthony Savini (Local 600)

Camera Assistant/PA

NYC Travel Promotional Shoot (2022)

Online Promotional Campaign / Advertisement Marriott Bonvoy (New York, NY)

DP: Kyle Woodhead

Director of Photography/2nd AD

The Call (2022)

Short Film

Moonlight Media LLC (Irvington, NJ)

Director: Abwon Clindinin

Cinematographer/1st AD

EXTRACTION (2021)

Short Film

Freelance

Director: Sam Anctil

Cinematographer/1st AD Matthew Check - Walk Away (2020)

Matthew Check - The Condesa Queen (2020)

Music Video

Matthew Check (Recording Artist)

Director: Sam Anctil

Head of Film Division and Video Production/Board

Member

Dead Rabbits Society Film Division (2018-2020)

Sketch Comedy/Web Series/Digital Media

Dead Rabbits Society Sketch Club (Marymount Manhattan College)

Producer: Jackie Kraft Producer: David English

1st Assistant Director/Associate Producer

SCRIPTED (2019-2020)

Short Film

Cinemaniacs Film Club (Marymount Manhattan College) Executive

Producer: Katheryn Milewski

Executive Producer: Max Itsikson

Director: Sam Anctil

**Cinemaniacs Student Film Festival: 14 Awards (incl. Best Picture & Audience Choice)

Production Experience

Camera Assistant/PA

Freelance - NYC/NJ

January 2021 - Present

I have acted as a Camera PA/Set PA on multiple different projects in and around NYC. I have experience with the loading, unloading, set-up, and breakdown of camera as well as lighting equipment. I have experience with most cinema camera bodies and an educated foundation in lenses as well as lighting

DP, Cinematography, Editing

Freelance - NYC

February 2018 - Present

I frequently work on personal projects and collaborate on colleague's and friend's projects. I primarily work in film and digital media but I am very well trained and experienced with Promotional Content, Music Videos, Documentary, and Corporate Content.

Marymount Manhattan College

- 3 Years (2019 2022)
- BFA Digital Media and Video Production (Incomplete)
- Cinematography, Dir. for Film, Screenwriting, Podcasting, Advanced Field Prod., Storytelling, etc.

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- Set Production Assistant (3 Years)
- Camera Assistant (3 Years)
- Swing G&E (3 Years)
- **Client Services (3 Years)**
- Retail & Sales (4 Years)
- Copywriter (1 Year)
- Cargo Van Driving (3 Years)
- 14' Truck Driving (2 Years)

Certifications and Licenses

- Drivers License
- Passport