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Other Credits on IMDB

Objective

To continue my career in the Film and Video Production business

Education

Florida State University — 1984 - BA Communications - Minor - Film

Producer/Director of College TV Shows: Seminole Uprising, Campus Connection, 1800 Seconds. Worked with Bobby Bowden on the first ever recruiting film for FSU Football team.

Current position

THE CITY OF BOCA RATON

Broadcast Production Manager - Responsible for all video productions and photography for the City of Boca Raton. National TV Commercials Produced: "Perfect", "Hyperboca", "Sights and Sounds", "Live it", and "Business and Pleasure". (please view commercials on my website)

Regional TV Commercials Produced: "Boca Raton Police Recruitment Spot," and "Visit Boca".

Production Experience (Feature Films/Television)

GREAT EXPECTATIONS - 20TH CENTURY FOX - CAMERA DEPT. - 1998

WRESTLING ERNEST HEMINGWAY - WARNER BROTHERS - SOUND DEPT. - 1998

PSYCHO 4 THE BEGINNING - UNIVERSAL TV - SOUND DEPT. - 1990

CAT CHASER - VESTRON PICTURES - SOUND DEPT. - 1989

BL STRYKER - UNIVERSAL TV - SOUND DEPT. 1990

IT HAD TO BE YOU - LIMELIGHT PRODUCTIONS - SOUND DEPT. - 1989

ESCAPE - BRINSON-RICHARDS ENTERTAINMENT - SOUND DEPT. - 1989

THE UNHOLY - VESTRON PICTURES - SOUND DEPT. 1988

THE GIRL IN A SWING - MIRAMAX FILMS - SOUND DEPT. 1988

TRADING HEARTS - VISTA ORGANIZATION - SOUND DEPT. 1988

SOMETHING WILD - ORION PICTURES - PRODUCTION ASSISTANT - 1986

Production Experience (National and Regional TV Commercials)

Worked in Camera, Sound, Video Assist or Production Departments

WORKED ON OVER THREE HUNDRED REGIONAL, NATIONAL, AND INTERNATIONAL TELEVISION COMMERCIALS. SOME INCLUDE: MCDONALDS, BURGER KING, WALT DISNEY WORLD, CARNIVAL CRUISE LINES, HONDA, PUBLIX, BUDWISER, HEINEKEN, MILLER LITE (SUPER BOWL COMMERCIAL), NIKON CAMERAS, FLORIDA LOTTO, AT&T, FLORIDA TOURISM, OFFICE DEPOT, CADILAC, HAAGEN DAZS, BARNET BANKS, FILA SHOES, NIKE, FLORIDA OJ, TOYOTA, TWIX CANDY BARS, DORITOS, PITTSBURG PAINTS, LARK CIGARETTES, KENNY ROGERS ROASTERS, ARRID EXTRA DRY, MR. CLEAN CLEANER, COKE, WELCH'S GRAPE JUICE, PAMPERS, HUGGIES, LUVS AND MANY MORE...

Production Experience (documentaries)

Worked in Camera and Sound departments

"ONCE UPON A TIME ON SOUTH BEACH" A DOCUMENTARY ABOUT LIFE ON SOUTH MIAMI BEACH, IT WON THE SILVER AWARD FOR BEST DOCUMENTARY IN THE 1991 HOUSTON INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL.

"HIDDEN RIVERS OF THE MAYA" A DOCUMENTARY FOLLOWING SOME OF THE WORLD'S FINEST CAVE DIVERS ON AN EXPLORATION OF THE UNDERWATER CAVES OF THE YUCATAN PENINSULA.

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Screenwriter

"ALMOST INNOCENT" (Currently writing) AN ORIGINAL FEATURE-LENGTH SCREENPLAY.

"DIRTY WATER" AN ORIGINAL FEATURE-LENGTH SCREENPLAY. THIS DRAMA WON THE 1992 FLORIDA SCREENWRITERS' COMPETITION AS WELL AS THE 1992 WORLDFEST FINALIST AWARD AT THE HOUSTON INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL. IT ALSO WAS A FINALIST IN THE AMERICA'S BEST SCREENWRITING COMPETITION AND THE INDEPENDENT PRODUCERS PROJECT.

"GOING GREY" AN ORIGINAL FEATURE-LENGTH SCREENPLAY, THIS COMEDY WAS A FINALIST AND SEMIFINALIST IN A COUPLE NATIONAL SCREENWRITING COMPETITIONS.

"MOVIE MOGUL THE GAME" AN INTERACTIVE GAME IDEA, WHERE YOU ARE THE PRODUCER OF A MAJOR HOLLYWOOD MOVIE AND MUST PRODUCE IT OR NEVER WORK IN THIS TOWN AGAIN.

Personal Film/Video Projects

CREATED A WEBISODE - PRODUCER/DIRECTOR - FOR A LOCAL PALM BEACH GARDENS DENTIST DR. DAVID S. BENSON, DMD. IT'S A CREATIVE AND HUMOROUS LOOK AT ANSWERING SOME EVERYDAY DENTAL QUESTIONS.

"DIRTY WATER" TRAILER - WRITER/PRODUCER/DIRECTOR - A MOVIE TRAILER FOR MY AWARD WINNING SCREENPLAY "DIRTY WATER".

"SERVICE COMPRIS" - PRODUCER/WRITER - THIS FIFTEEN MINUTE FILM WAS SHOT ON 35MM FILM, ON LOCATION IN SOUTH FLORIDA AND WAS A FINALIST IN BOTH THE HOUSTON INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL AND THE USA SHORT FILM COMPETITION.

"PO HANK" - WRITER/PRODUCER/DIRECTOR - THIS BLUES MUSIC VIDEO WON THE GOLD AWARD FOR THE BEST R&B MUSIC VIDEO IN THE 1988 HOUSTON INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL.

"FSU RECRUITING FILM" - WRITER/PRODUCER/DIRECTOR - THE FIRST EVER, FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL RECRUITING FILM. THIS THIRTY MINUTE FILM WAS USED SUCCESSFULLY BY COACH BOBBY BOWDEN TO RECRUIT HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL PLAYERS TO FSU.

"SEMINOLE UPRISING SHOW" - WRITER/PRODUCER/DIRECTOR - THIS WEEKLY SHOW FEATURED INTERVIEWS, REPORTS AND HIGHLIGHTS OF THE FLORIDA STATE FOOTBALL TEAM.

I HAVE EXPERIENCE IN ALL ASPECTS OF FILM AND VIDEO PRODUCTION, GRAPHICS, PHOTOGRAPHY AND FINE ART PRINTING AND PUBLISHING.