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### Qualifications

Creative, highly motivated, deadline oriented media professional with a wide breadth of production knowledge including experience as a PA, key grip, gaffer, director of photography, cameraman, and set construction/design; Accomplished audio/visual technician with planning, lighting, audio mixing, video, and projection skills. Work with numerous clients including: Eaton, Ford, Chrysler, Carhartt, AAI/ACCESS (2007 Presidential candidate's press conference), BASF and extensive work with the Detroit Lions during the 08-09' season (Won 2008 merit award).

### **Professional Profile**

Gaffer/Grip: Bad to the Bone, Allen Park, MI (2010)

• Lighting and Grip work on the feature film "Bad to the Bone"

Camera/Jib Operator: Fox Sports Detroit, Detroit, MI (2010)

Operate jib and camera for taping of A Night of Knockouts II - Live Professional Boxing

Videographer: Tone-e, Southfield, MI (2007)

Shot footage for Bat Mitzvah using MTV style coverage

Production Assistant: YES Network, Brighton, MI (2007)

Perform multiple PA duties including location security for the Ultimate Road Trip Challenge

Production Assistant: General Motors, Detroit, MI (2007)

Promotional video with VP of GM; Responsibilities include set/strike, lighting, grip, and location security

Production Assistant/Grip: Heating/Sheet Metal Workers Union, Southfield, MI (2007)

• Assist Director of Photography with camera, lighting, and grip duties for Union training videos

**Production Assistant:** Hadley Media Inc., Detroit, MI (2006)

Set/strike of rigging and staging for Detroit episode of Food Network Challenge

Production Assistant: Motion Picture Institute of Michigan, Troy, MI (2005)

Assist with and coordinate assembly of set construction; aid grip/lighting team on film "The Rain Chronicles".

Freelance Videographer\Editor: MI (2005-2009)

• Shoot and edit wedding footage using music and graphics to create custom DVDs for clients.

**Key Grip:** Grand Valley State University, Grand Rapids, MI (2005)

• Coordinate, organize, and supervise two grip trucks while managing and directing a five person grip crew on short film "The Gospel According to Roy".

## **Employment History**

Audio Visual Technician: Chase Creative Unlimited, Plymouth, MI (03/01/2009 - 06/15/2009)

- Responsible for A/V rentals and services including setup, maintenance, installation and delivery of equipment
- Clients include: Chrysler, Rock Financial Showplace, Cobo Center, Yazaki, University of Michigan, etc.

Director of Audio Visual Solutions: ITA Audio Visual Solutions, Dearborn, MI (07/01/2006 - 02/15/2009)

- Manager of A/V equipment and services at Dearborn Doubletree hotel; Responsible for planning, setup, maintenance, installation, delivery, and supervision of additional on-site staff
- Clients include: Eaton, Ford, Carhartt, AAI/ACCESS, BASF, Pfizer, U.S. Army, Detroit Lions, etc.

Post-Production Intern: Okane Media Group, Detroit, MI (03/01/2008 - 09/15/2006)

Assist with editing and graphics for SwitchPlayTV

Production and Post-Production Intern: 45 Video, Grand Rapids, MI (10/01/2004 – 04/15/2005)

• Edit episodes of Snowtrails TV; Camera operator on multi-camera shoots for corporate videos

### **Education**

- Gaffer/Grip: Lifton Institute for Media Studies, Allen Park, MI (2010)
- Bachelor of Science in Film & Video: Grand Valley State University, Allendale, MI (2005)

#### **Technical Skills**

• FinalCut Pro HD, Avid DS, Adobe Premiere Pro, Adobe After Effects, Adobe Photoshop, MS Office, IntelliEvent