

Brenden Meers Smith

DGA - 2nd AD

Movies, Commercials, TV, Documentaries

Specializing in Base Camp Operations

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Specializing in Base Camp Operations including handling all paperwork for base camp, actor scheduling for H/MU/Wardrobe, contract rider management, PRs, Exhibit Gs, call sheets, production trailer supplies & equipment management, trailer needs & set-ups, transpo calls. Also, skilled at scene blocking, extras handling, PA supervision. Professional, responsible, trustworthy, accountable. Main experience is in feature film production since 2009. Most recent work fully listed below.

Production Experience: Production (Prod.Year): Employer

Feature Films & TV

Additional 2nd AD
1st Unit

Shooting Stars
(2022)
Feature

Fab 5 Films

UPM: Kristen Ploucha
Producr: L.James/R.Winter/Beghley/T.Winter/Carter
Director: Chris Robinson
1st AD: Eric Lasko
2nd AD: M.Skaneski/A.Adams/T.Evanovich
2nd2nd AD: A.Adams

Base Camp, 2ndAD
1st Unit

A League Of Their Own
(2021)
TV Series

Sony Pictures Television

UPM: Rosemary Lombard
Producr: Wgraham/AJacobson/HWierengo/DReff/
MCedar/RLombard/JBabbit/JDodson
Director: Jamie Babbit/ACHenzira/Katrelle Kindred
1st AD: Ellie Smith/Maura Kelly
2nd AD: Susan R-Coyle/Jon Medeiros/TiffanyC-Janicin
2nd2nd AD: Jordan Weir

Base Camp Prod. Asst.
1st Unit

Archive 81
(2021)
TV Series

NETFLIX Productions, LLC.

UPM: Danielle Blumstein
Producr: JWan/RSonnenshine/MClear/ADouaihy
Director: Haifaa AlMansour/Becca Thomas
1st AD: Jane Ferguson/Maura Kelly
2nd AD: Susan R-Coyle/Constance P-Winters
2nd2nd AD: Jon Medeiros/Ana Drasinover

Base Camp Prod. Asst.
1st Unit

Rust
(2020)
TV Series

Fidelis Productions, LLC.

UPM: D.Futterman/A.Rapp
Producr:Futterman/Rapp/Ellis/Daniels/DeLuca/Martino
Director: John Dahl
1st AD: Stuart Valberg/Steve Parys
2nd AD: Susan Ransome-Coyle/Alyssa Batchelor
2nd2nd AD: Ryan Klutch

Background Prod. Asst.
ReShoots

Pickle
(2019)
Feature Film

Gravitational Productions, LLC.

UPM: Alex G. Scott
Producer: S.Rogen/Goldberg/Weaver/McAtee/Gidlow
Director: Brandon Trost
1st AD: Jonas Spaccarotelli
2nd AD: Michael King
2nd2nd AD: Jon Medeiros

Base Camp Prod. Asst.
1st Unit

I Am Not Okay With This
(2019)
TV Series

Teen Angst Productions, LLC.

UPM: Buddy Enright
Producer: J.Entwistle/C.Hall/S.Levy/J.Barry/D.Cohen
Director: Jonathan Entwistle
1st AD: Michael S. Chandler
2nd AD: Susan Ransom-Coyle
2nd2nd AD: Alyssa Batchelor

Base Camp Prod. Asst.
1st Unit

**A Beautiful Day In The
Neighborhood**
(2018)
Feature Film

You Are My Friend, LLC.
UPM: Bergen Swanson/Rich Chapla
Producer: Y.Henley/P.Saraf/M.Turtletaub
Director: Marielle Heller
1st AD: Tomas "Dutch" Deckaj
2nd AD: Susan Ransom-Coyle
2nd2nd AD: Alyssa Batchelor

Set Production Assistant
1st Unit

The Last Summer
(2018)
Feature Film

The Last Summer, LLC.
UPM: Mark B. Johnson
Producer: MB.Johnson/T.Salentine
Director: Bill Bindley
1st AD: James Rogers
2nd AD: Tami Kumin
2nd2nd AD: Andrew Shepherd

Base Camp Prod. Asst.
1st Unit

Outsiders
(2015 – Full Season
2016 – Dayplayer)
TV Series

Woodridge Productions, Inc.
UPM: Rich Chapla
Prdcr.:P.Tolan/P.Giamati/D.Carey/A.Bernstein
Director: Adam Bernstein
1st AD: A.Breton/S.Parys
2nd AD: Susan Ransome-Coyle
2nd2nd AD: H.Hinzman/A.Batchelor

Base Camp Prod. Asst.
1st Unit

Concussion
(2014)
Feature Film

Scott Free/Sony Productions
UPM: David Crockett
Producer: R.Scott/G.Facio/E.Cantillon
Director: Peter Landesman
1st AD: Vince Palmo
2nd AD: Susan Ransome-Coyle
2nd2nd AD: Alyssa Batchelor

Additional Features Films & Series I have worked on as a Staff or Additional Set PA:

Abduction
Captain America: Winter Soldier
Carol
Draft Day
Foxcatcher
Jack Reacher
Lovestruck: The Musical
Perks Of Being A Wallflower
Promised Land

Supah Ninjas (TV Series)
Super 8
The Avengers
The Bronze
The Frontier Boys
The Next Three Days
The Tank
Those Who Kill (TV Series)
With This Ring

Commercial/Print

Production Assistant

Cordray
(2018)

Bing, Bang, Boom Productions
Executive Producer/UPM: Angella Smith
Director: Kirk Sullivan
1st AD: Angella Smith

Production Assistant
2 Separate Commercials

Sherwin Williams Paint
(2018)

IBM iX Production Studio/Resource/Ammirati
Executive Producer/UPM: Colleen Duffy
Director: Dan Ledman
1st AD: Kevin Larsen

Production Assistant

Danny O'Connor
(2018)

AKPD Message & Media
Executive Producer/UPM: Sarah Hegeman
Director: John Del Cecato

Production Assistant

Wendys
(2018)

Janill Productions
Executive Producer/UPM: Janill Urbino
Director: Kathaleen Maniatakis
1st AD: J.Urbino

2 nd AD	<u>Park Ridge/HCP</u> (2017)	Portal A Productions Executive Producer/UPM: Kady Kamakate Director: Lacey Duke 1 st AD: Lizzy Walker 2 nd AD: Brenden Smith
2 nd AD	<u>Marlboro</u> (2017)	Environmentally Responsible, LLC Executive Producer/UPM: Jake Cassidy Director: John Chapman 1 st AD: John Guthrie 2 nd AD: Brenden Smith
Production Assistant <i>8 Separate Commercial Shoots</i>	<u>Tidy Cats</u> (2017)	IBM iX Production Studio/Resource/Ammirati Executive Producer/UPM: Colleen Duffy Director: Dan Ledman 1 st AD: Kevin Larsen
Production Assistant <i>6 Separate Commercials</i>	<u>White Castle</u> (2017)	IBM iX Production Studio/Resource/Ammirati Executive Producer/UPM: Colleen Duffy Director: Dan Ledman 1 st AD: Kevin Larsen
Production Assistant	<u>Safelite Autoglass</u> (2017)	Ron Foth Advertising Executive Producer/UPM: Lisa Bauer Director: Ron Foth Jr 1 st AD: Lisa Bauer
Production Assistant <i>2 Separate Commercials</i>	<u>Consumers Energy</u> (2017)	Questline Executive Producer/UPM: Scott Handel Director: Matt Irving 1 st AD: Scott Handel
Production Assistant	<u>Fresh Pet</u> (2017)	Public Record Executive Producer/UPM: Jeremy Yaches Director: Jeremiah Zagar 1 st AD: Virginia Bechtold
Documentary Key Set Prod. Assistant	<u>HGW</u> (2017)	HCO Productions UPM: Omar Esquyinas Prdcr: Victoria Gamburg Director: Ben Bloodwell 1 st AD: Dean Woods 2 nd AD: Brenden Smith
Key Set Prod. Assistant 1 st Unit	<u>The Vanishing</u> (2016)	Sirens Media UPM: Debbie Nicharot Producer: Kristen Ayscue Director: Guy Fiorita 1 st AD: Cat Demaree

Education / Training:

Motion Picture & TV Film Production Technical Studies Honors Program	2007 - 2009	Writing, Directing, Lighting, Camera Operation, Final Cut Pro
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References:

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