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#### **Professional Summary**

Experienced audio-video specialist with over 15 years of industry expertise, skilled in multimedia planning, production, copywriting, and project management to achieve marketing and outreach goals. A highly creative thinker and strong communicator committed to completing projects on time, independently and as a member of a team. Excellent production skills with mastery of audio-video hardware and editing software utilized in pre-production, production and post-production for broadcast, studio, live settings and social media platforms.

#### Work experience

# Audio-Visual Arts & Broadcast Communications Instructor CTAE Career & College Readiness Advisor SCCPSS Hubert Middle School

2020 - present

- Successfully teaches over 240 students a year the art of video broadcast production, promoting self-motivated research, compelling script-writing, visual storytelling, filming; utilizing techniques such as interviewing, narrating, public service announcements, social media campaigns and personal brand development.
- Independently created and successfully implemented Audio-Video Club resulting in student readiness for career pathways in the field of audio-video arts through industry standard practices and initiatives.
- Collaborates with the district Audio-Video Technology and Film (AVTF) council committee, building relationships with other district and industry professionals sharing best practices, resources and opportunities for the benefit of the community.
- Assists the school staff and campus with audio-video needs, including morning announcements, staff and student photoshoots and school-wide event productions.
- Implements positive programs to enhance the school climate and culture through the Mindfulness Club and Social Emotional Learning opportunities reaching over 500 students.

## Audio Visual Engineer / Technician Savannah Cultural Arts Center

2019 - present

- Collaborates with an in-house team to provide audio, video and lighting solutions for over 20 events at Ben Tucker Theater with continued assistance as needed.
- Provided AV technical assistance for live dance performances, Savannah Book Festival, special events, film screenings and additional productions.
- Created and directed self-improvement classes/workshops for over 50 individuals.

# Audio Video Editor / Studio Manager Jamie Casino Injury Attorneys

2013 - present

- Creates and executes successful marketing and outreach campaigns using post-production video editing, graphic and web design resulting in products as billboards, online and broadcast commercials to include the client's viral Super Bowl half-time advertisement with nearly 6 million views. <u>Link</u>
- Managed and maintained the client's in-house production studio and equipment to include green screen, cyc-wall, lighting, professional camera rigs, drone operation, teleprompters, wireless audio, and multimedia, providing technical direction as needed.

# Owner / Creative Director Matthew Duplessie Motion Design Studio

2010 - present

 Over 15 years of content creation with audio-video, marketing, branding, copy, captions and headlines of social media content with a diverse portfolio. Savannah clients include: Bonaventure Cemetery Tours, Tree House, Jamie Casino Injury Attorneys, Anahata Healing Arts, yoga studios and more.

# Teacher / Content Creator Insight Timer - Audio Soul Healing

2015 - present

- Teaching over 20,000 international students with high-quality audio, music, courses, guided meditations and live broadcasts.
- Created the online course "The Power of Sound Healing with Voice" successfully reaching over 15,000 students worldwide. Link
- Creative director to successful Youtube channel with over 7,500 followers, producing regular and original audio-video content on various social media platforms including Instagram, LinkedIn, Twitter, Facebook, Spotify, Bandcamp.

# Audio Video Specialist Bowling Green Technologies

2014 - 2019

 Managed, assembled and transported audio-visual equipment such as projectors, screens, sound systems, wired/wireless microphones, computer powerpoint presentations to industry events in the state of Georgia and South Carolina, ensuring success from start to finish for clients presentations.

#### Education

**Savannah College of Art & Design** - Savannah, GA, 2010 Bachelor of Fine Arts - Major in Motion Media Design and Minor in Sound Design

**Cuyahoga Community College** - Parma, OH, 2008 Associate of Arts - Major in Interactive Media

#### **Certificates and Skills**

- Adobe Creative Suite, Adobe Premiere, Adobe After Effects, Adobe Photoshop & Adobe Audition, Ableton Live DAW, Final Cut Pro, DaVinci Resolve, Google Suite, OSX/Windows OS, MS Office suite, Asana.
- Videography skills (ability to record video, b-roll and interviews), live streaming & broadcast, script writing, storytelling/journalism, post-production with non-linear video editing software, graphic design, web design, animation and programming.
- Recording Arts Certification Recording Arts Workshop Chillicothe, OH, 2006
- Georgia Certified Life Coaching McDonough, GA 2018

#### Accomplishments and Volunteering

Multimedia Coordinator & Stage Director - Earthrise Earth Day Event - 2019 - Link

AV & IT Support Specialist - Kundalini Research Institute - 2015 Link

Creator and Executive Director - Manifest Sound & Healing Arts Festival - 2015 - Link

Audio Book Narrator - Inner Traditions Publishing - Audible.com - 2023 - Link

Published Author - Brush Your Teeth & Go To Bed - 2017 Link

#### References

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