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FILM

Mean Girls Jake (Juice Box Boy) Paramount (Prod. Lorne Michaels & Tina Fey)

RISE NBA Scout Disney+

Contest Nathan Quigly Cartoon Network Ice Age III (Dawn of The Dinosaurs) Hippo, Turtle, Deer, etc. 20th Century Fox

TELEVISION

EVIL Pete Apple TV Nickelodeon Sam & Cat Interviewee David Letterman Anton Fig's Son **CBS** Vegan Discrimination/Bad Teacher **ABC** What Would You Do? x2 ep Good Morning America Bye Bye Birdie (Himself) **NBC NBC** Saturday Night Live Young Bill Hader

Dora The Explorer Lion Constellation Nickelodeon

BROADWAY* / THEATRE

Billy Elliot* Michael Imperial Theatre
Bye Bye Birdie* Randolph Roundabout Theatre
Limelight (Chaplin) Young Charlie/Jackie Coogan La Jolla Theatre
Distracted Jesse Roundabout Theatre

Les Miserables Gavroche Fox Theatre (Bway Nat'l Tour)

Whistle Down The Wind Poor Baby Bway National Tour

COMMERCIALS

My Butt Pervy Prom Date Weight Watchers

Repainting Teen Boy AT&T

Campbell's Soup Jingle"So Many Many Reasons"Campbell's SoupPass The SaltSonRadio ShackWorld PeaceSonRadio ShackPerfect MeasureYoung BoyBenadryl

SELECTED ORIGINAL FILM PROJECTS

FOOLISH 2024

Music Video - *Director*

Artist Jake Brewer with over 800K streams and 2M TikTok/Reel Views.

I WAS HERE 2023

Narrative Short Film - **Producer**

Devastated by a medical diagnosis for their young child, Elle and Jonah seek solace from an unexpected source.

*OFFICIAL SELECTION of San Francisco International

Film Festival 2024

IT IS WHAT IT IS 2021

Thesis Documentary - Director

Coming-of-age Thesis documentary against the backdrop of a global pandemic where the filmmaker gains a more complex understanding of himself when he is forced to spend a year in isolation with his larger than life family.

*WINNER of AFVS Thesis Award, Chris Philip Filmmaking Prize, David McGory Prize

NOTES FROM A PANDEMIC

Docu-Short - Director

A family in quarantine faces the only obstacle greater than a global pandemic: their personalities.

DON'T YELL AT ME ABOUT SALMON 2020

Narrative Short - Writer / Director

Deanna trains for her new job as a corporate waitress while her husband Bob is at home recovering from an injury.

YOU'LL BE BACK

2020

2020

Hamilton Parody Short - *Writer / Performer*The Zoom call where the John Harvard himself told students they weren't going back to campus in the fall.
*10K views on Youtube

Docu-Short - *Director*

Daniel, a first-generation student, applies for summer funding for the opportunity to reconnect with his culture.

TEACH ME HOW TO LOVE

2019

Music Video - Director

LGBTQ+ Equity in Education Music Video starring Shanna Peeples (2015 Teacher of the Year).

SIGNED WITH LOVE

2018

Narrative Short - Writer/Director

A high school love story inspired by Emily Brontë's classic novel, "Wuthering Heights"

THIRD PARTY COMPLIMENTS

Social Experiment - *Director / Creator*

Harvard classmates share anonymous compliments about their peers. The recipients read for the first time on camera.

*125K+ Views on Official Harvard Social Media, 90th Percentile of Harvard Wide Content

<u>CHORES</u> 2016

Narrative Short - Writer / Director

A young boy's life takes a turn for the worse when he has to start helping out around the house.

*WINNER of James Gandolfini Best of Fest Award at NJ Filmmakers of Tomorrow Fest, Audience Award at AAHSFF, and Best Fiction Film at Ramapo College Film Fest.

STUDIO FILM PROJECT EXPERIENCE

MEAN GIRLS

Middletown, NJ

March 2022 - January 2024

Executive Producer Assistant

- Collaborated on PARAMOUNT PICTURES' Mean Girls Musical Reboot from Development through Release. Worked
 closely with producing team (Lorne Michaels, Tina Fey, Pamela Thur) to develop creative and logistical plan for 13
 musical numbers in 9 week prep period. Involved in decision making of casting, locations, creative vision boarding, shotlisting, and budgeting.
- Theatrical release topped U.S. Box Office for three weeks, making \$100M+ thus far.

RISE

New York, NY

January 2022 - March 2022

Executive Producer Assistant

- New York Unit for WALT DISNEY PICTURES' *Rise*, with Director Akin Omotoso to tell biographical sports drama of the Antetokunmpo Family from Nigeria to Greece, and their eventual rise to playing with the Milwaukee Bucks.
- Storyboarded and managed NY Unit. Recreated set pieces originally filmed in Greece for Additional Photography.

CHANG CAN DUNK

Stamford, CT

Executive Producer Assistant

August 2021 - December 2021

- Partnered with Jingyi Shao and producers Lena Walther and Rishi Rajani (Hillman Grad) on WALT DISNEY PICTURES' *Chang Can Dunk*, produced off of BlackList Script of the same name. Created pitch deck for Disney Executives and sizzle reel of Production throughout shoot.
- Nominated for 2 EMMY Awards including Outstanding Fiction Special

BETTER NATE THAN EVER

New York, NY

Executive Producer Assistant

January 2021 - August 2021

- Mentored by director Tim Federle as well as collaborated with Marc Platt and Adam Siegel on WALT DISNEY PICTURES' *Better Nate*, which became the first ever live action Disney film with a queer protagonist.
- Nominated for 8 EMMY Awards, including Outstanding Fiction Special and Lisa Kudrow for Best Supporting, WINNING for Best Cinematography
- Nominated for a GLAAD award for Outstanding Kids & Family Programming

THE GIRLS OF SUMMER

Chicago, IL

Production Coordinator / Assistant to Director / Script Supervisor

May 2018- August 2018

- Hired by Academy Award Nominated Director John Hancock to work with his Independent Production Company FILMACRES
- Developed 40-day shoot schedule, accommodating 100+ crew/talent schedules and salary budgets.
- Corresponded with various businesses to negotiate 20+ shoot locations, production housing, and set meals, operating on ultra-low budget.