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SUMMARY

Every story wants to be told differently.

What has kept me passionate about storytelling — and especially editing — for more than two decades is that magical process of listening to all the varied parts of a story until you can hear how *it* wants to be told. I still get a thrill working through creative challenges, enjoy the unexpected ideas that arise through collaboration, and love experimenting with the ever-evolving tools that help us bring ideas and emotions to life.

Corporate/Staff Experience

NewYork-Presbyterian Hospital	Marketing & Communications Dept - (Producer/Editor).	2022-Present
• Produce, direct, and edit documentary-style patient stories, physician interviews, health explainers, partnership content, and social media content from concept through delivery. • Shape editorial direction through pre-interviews, story development, interview planning, paper edits, and close collaboration with physicians, patients, writers, and creative stakeholders. • Plan and manage productions including crew coordination, scheduling, shot lists, call sheets, directing field shoots, conducting on-camera interviews, and crafting the story through the edit, including color, audio, graphics, and delivery. • Serve as the team's lead post-production resource, mentoring fellow producer/editors and social media staff in advanced editing techniques, storytelling, technical problem-solving, and workflow optimization to elevate the quality of work across the team. • Developed standardized workflows for the video team, including templates for graphics and projects; implemented a shared storage architecture and backup procedures, and contributed to post-production best practices, improving consistency, collaboration, and operational reliability across the team. • Evaluate and integrate AI-assisted production tools—including Adobe Premiere Pro, Photoshop, transcript analysis, and emerging generative media workflows—to enhance storytelling, improve production efficiency, and explore new creative workflows.		

Freelance Editor Experience

TALK SHOWS

Sexology with Shan Boodram	QUIBI - (editor, story producer) Short form daily talk show.	2020
Steve Harvey Talk Show	NBC Universal - (editor, post producer) National syndicated daytime talk show.	2017, 2019
The Business of Life	VICE - (lead editor) Panel discussion talk show.	2016 - 2017
Watch What Happens: Live!	BRAVO - (editor) Late night talk show hosted by Andy Cohen	2016
Big Morning Buzz Live	VH1 - (senior editor, post supervisor) Morning talk show.	2011 - 2015

UNSCRIPTED/DOCU-STYLE & BIOGRAPHY

Why Not Us: FAMU Football	ESPN+ (editor, story producer) Doc abt HBCU football team post-covid return.	2021
Why Not Us: Southern U Dance	ESPN+ (editor, story producer) Doc abt "Fabulous Dancing Dolls" training..	2021
Funk Flex Full Throttle 2	MTV2 - (lead editor, story producer) Flex customizes cars & chats with celebs.	2011
Let's Get Free	Afropunk - Web series doc of world-class skateboarders roaming NYC.	2012
Soul Cities	VH1 - Half-hour soul-inspired travel show.	2009
RUSSIA! The Drama of Art	Guggenheim Museum - Epic doc miniseries on the history of Russian art.	2006
American Masters: Sidney Poitier	PBS - Hour-long acclaimed biography show.	2000

NETWORK PROMOS & BRANDED CONTENT

Next Level Kart Racers 2	NICKELODEON - Branded content game show: video games & slime challenges.	2021
Bar Rescue	PARAMOUNT Network - "Taffer Tough Love Marathon" interstitials & promos.	2019
Love & Hip Hop Hollywood	VH1 - Season 6 premiere marathon interstitials.	2019
Various On & Off-Air Content	BLOOMBERG TV - Network brand image spots, on-air promos, sales videos.	2007 - 2009
"Sunday is..." promo	HBO - Promo for groundbreaking Sunday night originals lineup.	2002

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CONCERT/EVENT/AWARDS SHOWS

Holidays with the Houghs	NBC - Derek & Julianne Hough host their own music & dance holiday special.	2019
Black Women in Hollywood 2017	ESSENCE - (Lead Editor) Multi-camera awards show.	2017
The Woodies 2016	MTV - (Lead Editor) Packages and live-to-tape show edit.	2016
Legends at the Apollo (series)	OWN - Multi-camera concert show.	2015
UNCF: An Evening of Stars	BET - Awards show, music performances, packages.	2011
World Wide Day of Play	Nickelodeon - Almost-live event show, music perfs, sports events, packages.	2011
HALO Awards	Nickelodeon - Awards show, music performances, packages.	2011
Jay Z at Radio City Music Hall	BET - Music performances for Nike World Basketball Festival.	2010
Hip Hop Honors: Def Jam	VH1 - Live-to-tape awards show, packages.	2009
AFROPUNK Festival 2009	AFROPUNK - Multi-camera concert performances, host wraps, sizzle videos.	2009

WEB SERIES - WEBISODES - WEB CONTENT

Various	NICKELODEON YouTube Channel - Original content with influencers + Nick stars.	2019
#BLX Kiana Ledé	BET - Mini bio doc + BTS videos for her performance at the BET Awards	2019
Sitting in Diners Eating Donuts	BRAVO - (Lead Editor) Jill Klargman web series promoting "Odd Mom Out"	2016
A Season of Style	MARIE CLAIRE - Style tips web promotions for Kensie clothing line.	2013
Denim Diaries (series)	DAVID JONES - Man on the street interviews and games, hosted by Jason Dundas.	2013
She's Got the Look (series)	TV LAND - Web content (sizzles, bonus ftg, promos) for reality show contest.	2008
Elvis Comeback Special	TV LAND - Web content (unique interviews, mini docs) for classic concert rebroadcast.	2007
America's Funniest Moms 2	NICK@NITE - Web content (sizzles, bonus ftg, promos) for reality show contest.	2006

FEATURE FILMS:

Magic Lantern	(Dir. Amir Naderi) Premiered at the Venice Film Festival.	2018
Vegas: Based on a True Story	(Dir. Amir Naderi) Premiered in competition at the Venice Film Festival.	2008
Sound Barrier	(Dir. Amir Naderi) Premiered at Tribeca Film Festival; won Roberto Rossellini Critics' Prize at the Rome Film Festival	2005

SALES TAPES, CORPORATE VIDEOS, SIZZLE REELS & TRAILERS

GIVE	NBC - Sizzle reel for celeb charity reality show.	2016
Global Sales Report 2011	SONY Retail Group - Sales presentation video for CEO's global sales report.	2011
Words From the Field	AXA EQUITABLE - Corporate video, top insurance salesmen tell their strategies.	2010
Electric Company Outreach Tour	PBS - Sizzle video for EC outreach tour to school kids.	2010
Anne Moore Lifetime Achievement	TIME, INC. - Corp. video celebrating the life and career of CEO Anne Moore.	2009
Swimsuit Sizzle	SPORTS ILLUSTRATED - Promotional sizzle video highlighting SI swimsuit supermodels	2008
Football. Fútbol. Soccer.	MLS - Branding video to help launch American expansion of Major League Soccer.	2008
Smart Style.	ESSENCE - Corporate sales and marketing video.	2007
"Miss Gulag" Trailer	VODAR PRODUCTIONS - Trailer for doc on beauty contest in Siberian women's prison	2005

COUNTDOWN SHOWS

Various Top 10/Top 25 Shows	BET & VH1 - Various half-hour countdown-themed interview/clip shows.	2007-2011
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Awards

2024 New York Emmy Award (Health/Medical Short Form Content) – Editor
A Teenage Girl Finds Her Smile After a Series of Reconstructive Surgeries.

Education

New York University, Tisch School of the Arts. BFA, Film/Television Production

Core Skills

Editing • Post-Production • Producing • Directing • Interviewing • Team Leadership • Mentoring • Creative Problem Solving

Misc

Tai Chi practitioner & instructor • Photographer • Karaoke aficionado.

REFERENCES, CURATED EDIT SAMPLES and WAR STORIES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST.