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Skills Summary

Having worked as a freelance photographer since 2015, and more recently a filmmaker since 2017, I have acquired the necessary creative skills and technical knowledge to work with a multiplicity of different styles of media. With experience in making short films, commercial videos, music videos, documentaries and commercial photography, I am well equipped to work on any project. I am a keen learner and am always willing to gain experience in different areas across the film and photographic industries, with the goal of eventually becoming a director in the industry. Considering my working experience and education, I feel well placed to take on any project.

Member:

- Australian Directors' Guild
- Australian Cinematographers Society
- Australian Screen Sound Guild

Work Experience

Channel 7 News Brisbane

Camera Operator / Editor | March 2022 - Present

Wildfire - Documentary

Producer / Writer / 2nd Unit Camera / Supervising Sound Editor / April 2022

QUT Indigenous Sport TVC - Taxi Film Production

Production Runner / Lighting Assistant | April 2022

Dominos Value Max TVC - Taxi Film Production

Production Runner | March 2022

Bundaberg Rum TVC - Taxi Film Production

Production Runner / Lighting Assistant | March 2022

TAFE Semester 2 Rollout TVC - Taxi Film Production

Production Runner / Grip Assistant | February 2022

Pantene Goldrush TVC - Taxi Film Production

Production Runner | February 2022

Channel 7 News Townsville

Camera Operator/Editor (Intern) | December 2021 - January 2022

The Verandah (TV Show)

Technical Director | November 2021

Buddy (Teaser Trailer)

Producer, Writer, Director, Editor & Sound Editor/Mixer | August - November 2021

Wildfire (Teaser Trailer)

Producer, Cinematographer, Sound Recordist & Sound Mixer | October - November 2021

It's a Goal! TVC - FoneKing

Director, Writer & Sound Editor/Mixer | September - October 2021

The After Bedtime Show (TV Show Pilot)

Technical Director | October 2021

Press Play (Experimental Film)

Director, Cinematographer, Editor & Sound Editor | June 2021

Midnight Calls to me (Music Video)

Producer, 1st AD, Editor & Sound Editor | June 2021

Project Indigo (Miniseries Pilot)

Cinematographer (Brisbane Unit) | May 2021

Beneath the Surface (Experimental Film)

1st Assistant Director | May 2021

Sarina Russo Group - Marketing and Communications Team

Videographer | January 2021 - Present

Murphy's Law (Short Film)

Director, Writer, Editor & Sound Editor | October 2020

The Iso Takes (Music Videos)

Producer, Director, Cinematographer & Editor | May - June 2020

Art in Isolation (Short Documentary)

Producer, Director, Cinematographer & Editor | May - 2020

Garricks Camera House Townsville

Retail Staff | February 2016 - July 2019

Freelance Photography & Videography

2015 - Present

Education

Bachelor of Fine Arts, QUT, majoring in Film / February 2020 - Present

Current GPA of 6.06

<u>Summary</u>

As my working experience and education suggest, I am wholeheartedly committed to filmmaking and photography. With experience both in filmmaking and a multiplicity of other creative mediums, I feel well equipped to work on any creative/commercial project or film set.

Kind regards,

Ben Cocklin