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EDUCATION:

UC Davis | September 2025 - June 2029

Bachelor of Arts in Cinema and Digital Media

Relevant Coursework | CDM 001 Introduction to Film Studies

Dos Pueblos High School | GPA: 4.75 / 5 | Graduated 2025

SKILLS:

Live Production: TriCaster Vizion, NewBlue Captivate, ATEM Mini, YOLOLiv, OBS, Livestream Studio. **Cameras / Gimbals:** Blackmagic Studio Cameras, Sony FX, Canon DSLRs, PTZ Cameras, DJI Ronin.

Post Production: DaVinci Resolve, Adobe Premiere Pro, After Effects, Color grading workflows

Audio Engineering: Behringer X32, Dante networking, wireless mic systems, broadcast audio mixing

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE:

Music Academy of the West

Video Production Associate | July 2024 - July 2025

- Managed end-to-end video production for concerts and events (up to 1500 attendees) at venues including the Granada Theater, ensuring seamless broadcasts.
- Operated TC1 TriCaster switcher and five PTZ cameras capturing high-quality multi-camera coverage.
- Edited and synchronized video with professional audio, delivering polished final products for Vimeo.

DPNews

Technical Director | January 2022 - June 2025

- Directed 300+ daily live broadcasts viewed by 2,000+ students, as well as a TEDx event, managing all aspects of production including framing, lighting, and audio.
- Configured and deployed a new TriCaster video switcher and designed and implemented a graphics workflow that reduced setup time by 80% (50 to 10 minutes).
- Spearheaded relocation to a larger facility, upgrading production (Cameras, Lighting and Audio).
- Elevated Student Television Network ranking to Outstanding Achievement from Distinguished Merit
- Earned multiple small group awards (3 members) including 1st in Mobile Journalism and top placements in PSA and Convention Promo categories.

RELEVANT PROJECTS:

Dos Pueblos High School Promotional Video

- Directed and edited a 6-minute promotional video for Dos Pueblos High School, showcased on the school website and presented to 700+ parents at back-to-school night.
- Managed a multi-month production, coordinating with students, staff, and faculty to capture academics, arts, and athletics.
- Produced a narrative-driven project featuring 15+ student testimonials, highlighting the school's inclusive culture and diverse opportunities.

Killer B Fitness Promotional Video

- Directed a promotional video highlighting the dynamic atmosphere and community-oriented classes of a local gym.
- Developed a marketing asset active on client's website boosting membership sign-ups and brand awareness.

Fire Station 11 Feature

- Produced a video showcasing firefighters' dedication and connection to the community.
- Crafted a compelling narrative aiming to deepen public appreciation for their commitment beyond firefighting aired on DPNews to over 2000 students.