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Education

March 2022 - June 2022 **Concordia Bootcamps**
Diploma in Full-Stack Web Development
 Developed a full-stack (MERN) web application at the end of the full-time 12-week program.

Sept. 2013 - June 2018 **Concordia University**
BFA Film Production
 Mel Hoppenheim School of Cinema
 Graduated with Distinction

Relevant Work Experience

Sept 2022 - Ongoing **Off-Paper Creative Agency**
Lead Shopify Developer
 Building custom theme sections, features, and e-commerce solutions to meet unique client needs - Developing internal workflows, training other developers as they join the Off-Paper team - Ensuring best SEO practices, accessibility, email marketing flows.

March 2024 - April 2024 **HTMLles Festival**
Web Developer
 Charged with building the Wordpress site for the 2024 edition of the festival using PHP, Twig and Timber - Received mockups from the graphic designer and developed the website accordingly, precisely and in a timely manner.

Oct 2022 - Dec 2023 **Mythologi XR**
Front-End Web Developer
 Designed and developed the landing page for Elysium AR - Designed and developed web share link feature for AR scenes - Worked within an agile team environment.

May 2021 - Feb. 2022 **Kenyon-Wells Casting**
Casting Assistant
 Facilitating the administrative flow of major film and television projects as they move through the agency - Communicating with talent agents, performers and clients during the casting process - Reviewing screenplays, creating character lists, and writing character breakdowns.

Jan. 2019 - May 2019 **Neighbourhood Film Festival**
Graphic Designer
 Developing logo, branding, and visual identity for the 2019 edition of the festival - Designing posters, programs, and animated Facebook banners - Making sure all documents go to print and that programs are assembled for distribution.

May 2017 - June 2018 **Galerie VAV Gallery**
Co-Director
 Responsible for overseeing the daily operations of the gallery - Maintaining the public face of the VAV through external communications - Curation of student works in accordance with the Gallery's mandate - Updating and adhering to the Gallery's policies and bylaws with the Board of Directors - Aiding in the install and takedown of artist work - Maintaining relationships with our local sister organisations.

- March 2016 (1 mo.)** **Art Matters Festival**
Technical Director
 Working with the curators to assess artist needs before install - Painting, patching, and sanding gallery interior - Mounting paintings and prints according to curatorial plan - Providing technical support for audiovisual set-ups.
- March 2015 - May 2017** **IITS Concordia**
Help Desk Technician
 Responsible for maintaining classroom operations and troubleshooting technical issues - Providing set-up, technical support, and take-down for special events - Responding to client inquiries at the IITS service counter - Required to use a ticketing and appointment scheduling system on a regular basis.

Tech Experience

Proficiency in the following softwares, frameworks and technologies: Typescript, Javascript, React, Next.js, PHP, Wordpress, HTML/CSS, MongoDB, NodeJs, Liquid, Twig, Figma, Adobe Suite, AVID Suite, Ableton, Microsoft Office Suite, and more.

Production Credits

- 2021** **TONZ - Commercial**
 Dir. Bea Scharf-Pierzchala
Set Decorator / Production Assistant
- 2021** **Island Cowboy**
 Dir. Raphael Sandler
Graphic Design and VFX
- 2019** **Mal - Sun Stealer/True Believer (Music Video)**
 Dir. Beatrice Scharf-Pierzchala
Set Decorator
- 2018** **Miss Libra**
 Dir. Adriana Molly
Location Sound Mixer
- 2017** **13 Reasons Why - Netflix Web Promo**
 Dir. Laurence Philomene
Location Sound Mixer and Boom Operator
- 2017** **Forever - Heavens Mouth (Music Video)**
 Dir. Emmett Rose
Editor