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EDUCATION

University of Colorado, Denver – **BFA in Film/TV**, Magna Cum Laude, Graduated 2021

Colorado Film School – **Writing/Directing**, 2016-2018

WORK EXPERIENCE

WRITER/PRODUCER AT LISTEN PRODUCTIONS. DENVER, CO. - JANUARY 2022 - PRESENT

Website: listenproductions.com

Core member of the team at a film production company that makes TV, movies, and branded content, scripted and unscripted. Personally specialized in writing and producing.

CO-FOUNDER OF SAD GIRL PRODUCTIONS, LLC. DENVER, CO. – JULY 2018 - PRESENT

Website: sadgirlproductions.com

Writing, directing, producing, development, and production for short films, web-series, music videos, documentaries, and other promotional projects. Social media marketing and management.

PAID FREELANCE FILMMAKING/VIDEO/MEDIA WORK – JANUARY 2019 - PRESENT

Directing, producing, and shooting music videos, concerts, documentary series, educational textbook videos, audiobooks, and more. Writing for script notes, coverage, and development. Video editing. Photography. Casting, PA-ing, on set makeup.

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

ADOPTTEEN (THE PARK ADOPTION COMMUNITY CENTER). CENTENNIAL, CO. – MAY 2020 - PRESENT

Website: adopteen.org

Spoken on and hosted various public panels relating to the intersections of adoption, LGBTQ issues, Pride and identity, and allyship. Filmed b-roll video footage of their summer camp, Denver Camp Conference, 2021. Participated as a group "Mentor" for their children's program AdoptTween Colorado, 2021-present. Volunteered for various other community adoption events planning.

EDI TASK FORCE. UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO, DENVER. – SEPTEMBER 2020 - SEPTEMBER 2021

"Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion" advocacy/activism work within UCD's College of Arts and Media department, helping marginalized groups on campus and within school curriculum.

WOMEN IN FILM AND MEDIA COLORADO. NON-PROFIT. – MARCH 2019 - MARCH 2020

Website: wifmco.org

Student-At-Large Board Member. Planning and putting on events to empower women and heighten the local Colorado film community. Event photography/recording, student outreach and marketing.

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VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE, CONT.

H.O.P.E. (HORSES OFFERING PEOPLE ENRICHMENT). NON-PROFIT, BEIJING, CHINA. – JULY 2019

Website: hopebeijing.org

Summer camp program working with special needs children. Provided photography/video services throughout events, as well as served as a "camp counselor" working with children.

OTHER VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCES - 2020 TO PRESENT

Served on various employment Search Committees, and Review Panels for grants/awards within UCD's College of Arts and Media. Regularly participates in lobbying/advocacy/activism work with local LGBT organizations, such as One Colorado.

OTHER COMMUNITY FILM INVOLVEMENT

- Currently one of five filmmakers in **Cine Fe's fellowship program** - 2021-2022
- Spoke on various filmmaking panels across the country, including Denver Comic Con 2019, and ClexaCon 2019 and 2020.
- Recent press interviews include 303 Magazine, Tagg Magazine, and Voyage Denver.
- Participated in Cinema Day lobbying work at the Colorado State Capitol - 3/06/2020
- Previously served as a film festival script reader and submission judge for organizations such as SeriesFest.

***Full list of film festivals, press, and panels can be found at: marinlepore.com/cvpress**

FILMMAKING AWARDS

- "Best Short Series" Award - Horsetooth Intl. Film Festival, 2021
- *Women in Film & Media Colorado* Content Creator Award - Horsetooth Intl. Film Festival, 2020
- Women in Film Award - Colorado Short Circuit Film Festival, 2020
- "Best Comedy" Award - Colorado Short Circuit Film Festival, 2019
- "Best Screenwriting" Award - Colorado Short Circuit Film Festival, 2019

REFERENCES

- **John Van Wyck:** 520.780.2489 - john@cinefe.org
- **Trai Cartwright:** 310.210.9221 - traicartwright@gmail.com