

MATTHEW HUGHES

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EMPLOYMENT

Hyphenated-Pictures

(Aug '02 - present)

Freelance Director of Photography

Worked extensively as camera operator and lighting specialist for events, weddings, lectures, documentaries, films, music videos, and television.

Big Ten Network

(Oct '07 - present)

Freelance Studio Tech

Coordinated ingestion of satellite and studio feeds, HD media, graphics, voiceovers, and other show elements. Integrated playback of previously recorded video during live studio broadcasts.

Soho Experiential

(Nov '07 - Jan '09)

Brand Ambassador, The Macallan & Highland Park

Distributed samples and sold bottles of The Macallan and Highland Park at Chicagoland liquor stores and educated the public about single malt Scotch.

Delnor-Community Hospital

(Aug '02 - Aug '07)

Order Intake & Systems Support Specialist

Evaluated, corrected, and wrote reports, letters, and medical documents for doctors. Coordinated all outpatient tests with patients, nurses, doctors, and hospital staff. Worked extensively to coordinate the short-term and long-term schedules of multiple doctors and nurses. Developed organizational and administrative improvements to internal departmental operations. Created PowerPoint, Excel, and Publisher documents for various presentations to staff. Remained in consistent communication with patients and physician offices via phone, e-mail, and fax. Provided computer technical support to staff and helped with system upgrade implementation and maintenance. Trained new employees in administrative support processes and on various software programs.

Big Picture Chicago

(May '02 - Aug '02)

Camera Operator

Worked as camera operator and support equipment technician, 2nd unit director of photography, and in general office administration.

AMC Cantera 30 Theatres

(Jan '98 - May '02)

Projection Booth Manager

Coordinated and managed projection booth staff for major multiplex. Trained and guided new employees on technical operation of film projection units, projector repair, and maintenance.

Projection Booth Senior Operator

Responsible for projector operation, maintenance, and repair. Established presentation quality assurance throughout the theater and organized 35mm film trailer placement.

EDUCATION

Columbia College

Chicago, Illinois

Bachelor of Arts, Film & Video, August 2002

GPA: 3.85, Dean's List and Honors Awards

COMPUTER SKILLS

Thorough knowledge of Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook, Nebo, Meditech, Iatriscan, Faxination, Photoshop, Adobe Premiere, Final Cut Pro, DVD Studio Pro, Motion, Avid Newscutter Adrenaline. Skilled at network maintenance and repair. Experience with both PC and Mac applications. Typing speed: 70 wpm.

SELECTED FILM EXPERIENCE

Director of Photography

- Master~~x~~ in Motion* (2007, HD) Directed by Robyn Okrant
Blue-screen elements for Independent short
- Taken* (2007, Super 8 B&W) Directed by Niles Maxwell
Independent short
- vynl Overdrive: "Hey Bitch (You Ain't Got Notbin' On Me)"* (2006, DV)
Music Video; Official Selection: 2006 Illinois International Film Festival
and 2006 Chicago International REEL Shorts Festival
- Stalled* (2005, 16mm) Directed by Niles Maxwell
Independent short
- The Art of Teaching at Columbia College: Carmelo Esterrich* (2004, DV)
Documentary for The Center for Teaching Excellence at Columbia College
- Adam & the Go Comets: "Wish You'd Stay"* (2004, DV) Directed by Zach Keller
Music Video
- Las Palmas: "Scrabble"* (2004, DV) Directed by Sean J. Riley
Commercial for Las Palmas Restaurant; featured on the Dec 2004 "Cherry Bomb"
- Aim Into the Excellent Territory* (2003, DV)
Training video for Delnor-Community Hospital
- Misconception* (2002, 16mm B&W) Directed by Jeanine Vaughn
Independent short

Crew Positions

- Among Thieves* (2008, HD) Directed by Francisco Castle
Gaffer
- Your Mouth is Perfect* (2007, HD) Directed by Sean Miller
Key Grip
- "The Thintuition Competition" (2007, DV) Directed by Jeff Jones
Lighting Director
- Silent Shame* (2007 HD feature) Directed by Tadeo Garcia, DP: Carlos Oropeza
Gaffer
- Forgotten Wealth* (2007, HD) Directed by Vesal Stoakley & Josh Paney, DP: Ryan Miller
Gaffer
- "The Tyra Banks Show" (2006, DV)
Production Assistant, field shoot
- Atkinson for Governor: "Fixing Oregon"* (2006, DV) Directed by Kevin Sinnott
Editor
- Baby Time Share & Old Maid* (2005, DV) Directed by Jim Zulevic, DP: Marie Joëlle Rizk
Key Grip
- Brushfires* (2004, DV feature) Directed by Ai Lene Chor, DP: Fred Miller
Grip / Electric
- MS 150 promotional video (2004, DV) Directed by Derek Chimenti
Camera Operator
- Sullivan* (2003, DV feature) Directed by Gregory Edwards
Gaffer
- Flying Above This Life* (2002, 16mm) Directed by Sam Patterson, DP: Christopher Mick
Gaffer / Assistant Camera
- Sunset Town* (2002, Super 16) Directed by Justin Swibel & Bryan Trietler
Grip / Electric
- Bad Meat* (2002, 35mm feature) Directed by Scott Dikkers
Set Production Assistant

FILM EQUIPMENT USED

Arriflex, Aaton, CP-16, Eclair, Panavision, Bolex, Canon XL series, Panasonic DVX & HVX, Sony PD series & HDR-FX1, various lighting and grip packages, Kino Flo, HMIs, dolly track, blue screen.