

# ALEXANDER BARSANTI

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## EDUCATION

<b>University of Southern California, School of Cinematic Art</b>	Aug 2024 – May 2027
BA in Media Arts + Practice	
<b>The California Institute of the Arts</b>	
Experimental Animation	September 2023 – May 2024

## DIGITAL MEDIA EXPERIENCE

<b>Cinema Projector Operator</b>	Mar 2024 – Present
University of Southern California School of Cinematic Arts	Los Angeles, CA
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Screening films and course content for various classes in USC's film school, including Leonard Maltin's historic Film Symposium, USC's most popular elective.</li><li>Managing theater projector and audio equipment for interviews with renowned guest directors.</li></ul>	
<b>Colorization Artist</b>	Jan 2023 – Present
Jay Blakesberg Photography	Remote
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Digitally colorizing photographer Jay Blakesberg's B&amp;W photographs for him to post on social media.</li><li>Worked with Jay to capture the essence of his photos featuring Jerry Garcia, David Bowie, and Allen Ginsberg.</li></ul>	
<b>Assistant Photographer to Stephanie Berger</b>	Dec 2022
The Actors Studio Conversation with Al Pacino	NY, NY
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Assisted photographer Stephanie Berger as she photographed Al Pacino and his guests at the United Palace's screening of <i>Dog Day Afternoon</i>.</li><li>Managed and itemized her archive of negatives from 1987 to the present.</li></ul>	
<b>Graphic Designer and Photographer</b>	Mar 2022 – Jan 2023
Children's Shakespeare Theatre	Palisades, NY
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Photographed and designed posters for CST's productions of <i>Hamlet</i> and <i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i>.</li></ul>	
<b>Video Editor and Social Media Manager</b>	May 2020 – Dec 2020
Synchronous Social Media Internship	Piermont, NY
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Filmed and edited social media advertisements for various local businesses in Rockland County, New York.</li></ul>	
<b>Animator/Graphic Designer/Video Editor</b>	2020 – Present
Freelance	Remote
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Worked on various projects including music videos, documentaries, independent 3D animated short films, and photo restorations/colorizations.</li></ul>	

## OTHER EXPERIENCE

<b>Teaching Assistant</b>	Jul 2024 – Aug 2024
Rockland BOCES Jesse J. Kaplan School	West Nyack, NY
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Worked alongside the classroom teacher to provide additional support and individualized interventions to autistic and cognitively challenged students.</li></ul>	
<b>Fry Cook</b>	Dec 2022 – Aug 2023
Filling Station Burger Works	Palisades, NY
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Prepared food, worked the cash register, and tended to customer's needs.</li></ul>	

## SKILLS

**3D:** Blender, Autodesk Maya **Image/Video:** Adobe After Effects, Adobe Lightroom, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Premiere Pro  
**Graphics:** Adobe Illustrator, Adobe After Effects, Figma **Interactive:** TouchDesigner, Processing Java **Others:** Image Restoration/Colorization, Word, PowerPoint, Classical Mandolin, Jazz Trombone, Stand-up Comedy, Model Making