gregorydiaz

La Habra, CA 562-446-6799 gregdiaz@hotmail.com An experienced and motivated writer, editor and designer for both print and online publications. Currently a journalism student at California State University, Long Beach and assistant design editor for the Daily 49er. Experienced with video and photgraphy production. In pursuit of goal to become an editor for print or online publication.

Work History

2013-14

Editor-in-Chief Fullerton College Publications

2013-14

Contributing Writer Irvine World News

2012-13

Photographer South Coast Photographic

2011-13

Videographer Kids Artistic Revue

2007-10

Grip/Electric Various Productions

2005-08

Assistant Manager Hollywood Video

Skills

Layout & Design
Newswriting
Management
Copy Editing
Photography
Videography
Adobe Suite
MS Office

Experience Highlights

EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Spent 18 months with Fullerton College Publication, and over that period was promoted from staff writer to online and senior editor to editor-in-chief. As editor-in-chief, my responsibilities included leading a staff of over 20 people in all aspects of production on a news website and a biweekly newspaper. Learned skills of reporting and writing, and gained a working knowledge of Adobe InDesign and Photoshop. Managed coutless story ideas from creation to publication.

- •Instrumental in moving the focus of the newspaper from traditional print to an online publication.
- ◆Won Print General Excellence from the Journalism Association of Community Colleges for both the Spring and Fall of 2013

VIDEOGRAPHER

Worked for Kids Artistic Revue, a dance competition that traveled throughout the country. Produced videos of dance routines that were sold at the competitions. Responsibilities included unloading trucks of gear on site; safely and securely setting up camera position and microphones; shooting video for up to 17 hours a day; ensuring video was captured to computers correctly; properly packing camera equipment back up for safe travel.

FILMMAKER

Wrote and directed four short movies as part of my film school education. Responsible for projects from conception to completion. This involved writing treatments and scripts; determining budgets and shooting locations; casting actors and organizing crews for production; editing film and sound using Final Cut Pro and Pro Tools.

ASSISTANT STORE MANAGER

Worked for over three years in retail video rentals. Responsibilities included resolving customer issues; opening and closing the store; counting registers and handling bank deposits; scheduling shifts for other employees.

• Promoted quickly from a customer service representative to shift leader to assistant manager due to my attention to detail and good relationships with other employees.

Education History

California State University, Long Beach Fullerton College San Francisco School of Digital Filmmaking Classes at University of California, Berkeley St. John Bosco High School