# Michael Cortina

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#### **SKILLS**

## PROJECT MANAGEMENT

Agile project management Jira + Confluence Trello Google Sheets/Docs/ Slides Microsoft Excel/Word/ Powerpoint/Outlook

### DIGITAL PRODUCTION

HTML/CSS & JavaScript UI/UX Design Wireframing Prototyping Site Mapping Adobe XD InVision Figma Sketch

## FILM & VIDEO PRODUCTION

Budgeting Scheduling Canon, Sony, RED & Black Magic Cameras Editing Adobe Photoshop, After Effects & Premiere

#### + LANGUAGES

Spanish

#### **STILL LEARNING**

Danish Python

#### AT A GLANCE

Producer-Manager with 7 years' experience planning and executing creative projects. Combines strategic leadership with business acumen to achieve organizational goals, strengthen operations and identify growth opportunities for teams and individuals.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

### **Project Manager** (contract)

2019 - current

New York Film Academy, New York, NY

Compile and analyze payroll and scheduling data to forecast headcount and optimize scheduling for upcoming programs to minimize overhead.

#### **Production Coordinator**

2018 - 2019

San Francisco State University - School of Cinema, San Francisco, CA

Managed \$30k production-operations budget and led faculty + staff in department meetings. Coordinated use of film equipment across classes and film shoots. Provided logistical support for MFA and BA film productions: processed insurance, scheduling, permitting, talent/location releases and all project-related contracts.

### Creative Producer, Production Coordinator, Equipment & Operations Manager

2015 - 2017 concurrent

New York Film Academy, New York, NY

- Produced commercials, photo-shoots, live-events and special projects for Marketing Team. Point of contact for outside vendors, suppliers and partners.
- Managed 20 person team that recorded classes and produced short films and live-shows for Acting and Musical Theatre Departments.
- Co-led 10 person team responsible for operations of New York campus,
  equipment management, and logistical support for over 30 academic programs.

#### **Equipment Tech., Summer Tech. Coordinator**

2013 - 2015

New York Film Academy, New York, NY

As Summer Tech. Coordinator: recruited, scheduled and managed 40 person team responsible for recording classes, providing technical support, instruction and supervision.

As Equipment Tech.: managed and repaired cameras, lights and grip equipment. Provided technical support and instruction to students and staff.

#### **EDUCATION**

Tufts University – B.A. Psychology, Film Production, 2012