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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University – Tepper School of Business

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Minor: Film and Media Studies

Cumulative GPA: 4.0/4.0

Expected May 2013

Fifth Year Scholarship Recipient

EXPERIENCE

Illumination Entertainment – Santa Monica, CA

Entertainment Intern

Summer 2008 & 2011

Wrote coverage reports for several spec scripts and other writing submissions. Analyzed domestic and international box office trends. Researched new story ideas and settings for high-concept family films. Witnessed behind-the-scenes production for the films *Despicable Me* and *The Lorax*. Covered receptionist's and assistant's desk and phone.

ABC Campus Crew – Pittsburgh, PA

Fall 2012 – Present

Student Ambassador for ABC Television

Organized promotional screening events for ABC fall pilots and 64th Primetime Emmy Awards. Developed campus-specific marketing and promotion strategies.

"Faces of Others" International Film Festival 2012 – Pittsburgh, PA

Fall 2011 – Spring 2012

Coordinator of Fundraising and Public Relations

Raised over \$45,000 from corporate and non-profit sponsors. Designed and executed festival marketing plan with a target of 3,200 attendees. Achievements featured on the Tepper School of Business undergraduate website.

SELECTED FILM PROJECTS

Untitled 1890s Pittsburgh Period Drama – Short Film

In Development

Writer, Director, Producer

In development stages, including researching, writing, and budgeting. Fundraising goal of \$40,000. Principle photography will take place Fall 2013. Project sponsored by Carnegie Mellon's Fifth Year Scholars program.

The Perils of Growing Up Flat-Chested – Short Film, dir. Yulin Kuang

Summer 2012 – Spring 2013

Producer

Oversaw production of 17-minute film from development stages through post-production. Managed \$18,000 budget through a production LLC bank account. Managed SAG-AFTRA contracts, talent release forms, craft services, crew calls, and contracts for insurance, locations, and equipment rentals. Film was shot on an Arri Alexa Plus.

First Kiss – Short Film, dir. Yulin Kuang

Fall 2011 – Spring 2012

Producer

Oversaw production of 13-minute film exceeding a \$6,000 budget. Functioned as Unit Production Manager and Script Supervisor during shoots. Casted extras and relayed cast and crew call information. Film was an official selection of the 2012 HollyShorts Film Festival.

RELEVANT COURSES

Advanced Screenwriting
Advanced Film Studies
Fundamentals of Producing
Marketing

SKILLS

Screenwriting & Story Analysis
Independent Film Production
DSLR Still & Video Photography
Microsoft Office

EXTRACURRICULARS

Filmmaking Club (Vice President)
Men's Club Soccer Team
Piano Playing