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**Production Assistant**

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A childhood immersed in arts and culture gave me the skills, language and connections to operate in the creative industries. I am a resourceful and reliable Production Assistant – driven to become a creative producer - with solid experience within big scale, high-end events. I have excellent interpersonal skills, bucket loads of enthusiasm, common sense and am willing to get stuck into any job where needed.

It brings me joy to help people and see the fruits of my labour come together. I love seeing things run smoothly, and other people having fun because of the work I have done. It was a natural progression for me to turn my passion into a career and have made it my priority to see how events work from the ground up, gaining as much experience as possible. I am keen to build upon my skillset, treating all jobs with enthusiasm and the intention to be a valued member of the team.

**Key skills**

* Experienced within large scale events, TV and music.
* Proficient in word, excel, PowerPoint, and photoshop. I also have a broad technical knowledge across AV and build.
* Excellent communicator
* Logical thinker - always looking for a solution
* Great attention to detail
* Work well under pressure
* Understand my place within a larger team

**Experience**

**PRODUCTION ASSISTANT | FAMILY LTD | EVENTS | JULY 2016- PRESENT (FREELANCE)**

I’ve aided in producing fashion shows and parties for the likes of Paul Smith, Topshop, Erdem, Jo Malone and Dolce and Gabbana.

Operating in a variety of live production roles alongside both clients and suppliers I’ve helped realise challenging, headline-grabbing goals.

**PRODUCTION ASSISTANT | STEM STUDIOS | MUSIC VIDEO/COMMERCIALS | JAN 2014 - PRESENT (FREELANCE)**

Stem specialize in music production, commercials and branded content. As a freelance Production Assistant, I worked on set on a variety of music videos and commercials.

Some of my duties include; directly assisting AD's, camera and costume departments, helping with location set up and de-rigging, ensuring all call sheets are issued on time to the correct people. Most importantly, adapting to a dynamic working environment and thinking on my feet.

**ASSISTANT CO-ORDINATOR | AUDIO DOUGHNUTS | MUSIC EVENTS | MARCH 2010 - DECEMBER 2014**

Audio Doughnuts started as a record label and expanded into live music events.

I managed artists and hosted stages at festivals, as well as assisting them promote and produce their own parties. Highlights included Outlook and Dimensions in Croatia, Horizon in Bulgaria, Latitude and many more in the UK.

**STAGE MANAGEMENT | EYE OF THE STORM | MUSIC EVENTS | SUMMER 2013**

My role was within stage management and artist liaison at festivals including Boomtown, Eldorado and Outlook. Having always loved festivals, this was an ideal way for me to get involved in the background mechanics and has been the best way to spend many of my summers.

**EVENTS ASSISTANT | CTM | EVENTS | SUMMER 2011**

CTM are specialists in events traffic management, parking and venue admission control.

I worked at multiple large-scale events and festivals. My role required me to help plan and manage traffic, admission control – wristbands cash management, parking and production, for large scale events with thousands of people.

**HOST | PREMIER INN HOTEL | PUBLIC SECTOR | 2013 – 2015**

Working as a host reception and bar tender at a well-known hotel chain, as well as assisting with fundraising campaigns. Fresh out of college, I learned a lot from this public facing role within the customer service industry. Allowing me to gain solid communication skills, working within a team for a big name brand.

**VOLUNTEERING**

**ACTION FOR CHANGE**

I have been working for this charity for two years, assisting in the organization of outdoor events for charities across the UK, as part of the team who raised over 60 million pounds.

**EDUCTION**

**CITY AND ISLINGTON 6TH FORM COLLEGE | A-LEVELS | 2009 – 2012**

Media studies (B), Film Studies (B), Drama (B)

**CENTRAL FOUNDATION | GCSES | 2004 – 2009**

A\* - B in the following subjects, English, Maths, Science, Geography, Information Technology, French, German and Physical Education. I also represented the school in Cross Country and Football.

**HOBBIES AND INTERESTS**

I like to keep up to date with current trends and fashion – I have my finger on the pulse for all music, fashion and tech trends. It’s my life and my passion. It’s why I want to build this career, but it’s also what drives me to connect with the world around me and the things I love.