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#### **OBJECTIVE**

Highly accomplished post production services supervisor seeking to leverage a strong background in high-profile film and television projects, superior people skills and an extensive technical and creative background in a Video Producer position.

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

# WARNER BROS - MOTION PICTURE IMAGING | 2006 TO PRESENT SENIOR POST-PRODUCTION SERVICES SUPERVISOR

Responsible for the coordination and supervision of creative and technical personnel to ensure maximum quality, on-time delivery of time-sensitive, high-profile projects while providing a positive environment with VIP clientele under demanding situations

#### **KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS:**

- Responsible for a wide variety of post-production projects including end-to-end restoration of Warner Bros' Tent-Pole (AAA) titles, 2D to 3D conversions, mastering of the 48f The Hobbit, and 4k UltraHD testing and workflow creation.
- Resolved inefficiencies in data-management production processes, increasing utilization of the 300 Terabyte Media SAN by 50% in day-to-day operations.
- Managed Key Projects accounting for 33% of total revenue generated through the facility in

# LASER PACIFIC MEDIA - FEATURE FILM DIVISION | 2002 TO 2006 DIGITAL INTERMEDIATE PRODUCER

Developed and maintained excellent relationship and communication between clients, post-production personnel and company management. Coordinated the post-production workflow process through offline, online and Digital Intermediate (DI) environments

- Became the "go-to" person for high-profile, technically demanding projects and consistently exceeded client's expectation for quality and timely delivery.
- Supervised both creative and technical personal on over 20 studio films within a high-stress, deadline-driven environment.

# LOADTV / TRIBE STUDIOS | 1999 TO 2002 DIRECTOR OF TECHNICAL OPERATIONS

Maintained the overall "technical environment" of the studio including the recommendation and purchasing of video and audio editing equipment, digital compression/encoding tools and digital capture equipment

## **KEY ACCOMPLISHMENTS:**

- Directed all post-production services including offline/online editing, visual effects processing, creation of graphic titles and 'bumpers' for internet-based commercials and programming.
- Expanded and streamlined the encoding department to include efficient, real-time encoding tools (Digital Lava's Firestream™) for streaming video and web-based delivery.

### RELATED SKILLS SOFTWARE/HARDWARE

- Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook)
- MovieMagic Budgeting and Scheduling
- Adobe Suite (Photoshop, Premiere & After Effects)
- Filemaker Pro
- **Xytech Enterprise**

- Shotgun Production Tracking System
- Final Cut Pro
- Windows XP/VISTA/7 Software Support
- Microsoft Visio

- Independent Filmmaker (http://www.imdb.com/name/nm1210063/)
- Adjunct Professor (Azusa Pacific University | 2002 to 2004) Undergraduate Video Production and Introduction to Directing
- Experienced ENG/Documentary HD Camera Operator (500+ hours)

### **EDUCATION**

# AZUSA PACIFIC UNIVERSITY | 1996 TO 2000

BACHELOR OF ARTS - COMMUNICATION/MEDIA STUDIES (MAGNA CUM LAUDE)