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SBF Creative - Founder

October 2022 - Present

Project Manager - Ingenio, LLC

- Managing all AI article production, including ChatGPT3 and DALL-E prompt engineering and publishing, increasing the company's capacity to publish SEO articles by nearly 400%.
- Leading and training a team of 5+ freelancers and contractors in Ingenio's editorial and publishing practice.
- Managing the end-to-end content process, including video production, SEO content creation, editing, and publishing. Overseeing and tracking all invoicing and scheduling for 35+ content producers.
- Creative Consultant A.Brilliant Film, LLC
 - Co-creating film production company to include building a team, sourcing projects, and managing scripts.
 - Conceptualizing, writing, and editing all scripts, documentaries, and commercials.
- Video Editor and Creative Consultant UpCounsel
 - Lead editor and creative director for UpCounsel testimonial videos.

Ingenio, LLC - Editor

May 2022 - August 2022

- Pitched, wrote, edited, and published unique content across the platform; edited and published weekly articles.
- Built a social media channel from the ground up in 2 months with no budget producing 200+ new videos and amassing 2K+
- Developed email marketing calendar, authored copy for upcoming FY, and published daily outbound emails.

KDFC - KUSC - Editor

September 2021 - May 2022

- Pitched, wrote, and edited blog entries and articles for the public-facing KDFC/KUSC Staff Blog.
- Conceived, wrote, filmed, and edited 15 original promotional videos (in Adobe Premiere).
- Created original video content featuring young musicians and local schools to increase viewership with younger audiences.

MA Productions - Script Reader

September 2021 - December 2021

- Researched, identified, and wrote treatments for 50+ original content pieces to assess suitability for screenplay adaptation.
- Wrote coverages and edits for 10+ screenplays for this Emmy Nominated Production company.

Laugh.Events - Video Editor

January 2021 - May 2021

Produced and edited 25+ short-form videos and commercials culled from footage of hour-long stand-up comedy shows and published on Twitter and LinkedIn channels.

University of Southern California - Writing Tutor

September 2020 - December 2020

Taught proper writing styles (MLA, AP, APA, Chicago, etc.) and structure (grammar, sentence construction and essay structure) to 8 USC student-athletes.

EDUCATION

Master of Visual Anthropology - University of Southern California

- Studied the intersection of cinema and human culture to create films inspired by diverse human voices.
- Conceived, shot, and produced a 22-minute documentary following four end-of-life care professionals, displaying the variety of roles in the field of Thanatology (Master thesis).

Bachelor of Arts, Interdisciplinary Studies in Narrative Death and Dying - University of Southern California Minor in Comedy: School of Cinematic Arts

- Created an independent Thanatology major, crafting and pitching an innovative curriculum to program and departmental faculty. Conducted original research resulting in a 50+ page thesis on the 1835 Moriori Genocide—worked closely with Moriori leaders and the Hokotehi Moriori trust to destignatize traditional Moriori practices and correct false narratives.

Awards & Leadership

Phi Beta Kappa May 2021

Discovery Scholar Award

May 2021

Awarded to undergraduates who have made "significant contributions to their discipline" and "generated outstanding original research" in collaboration with USC faculty.

USC Digital Folklore Archive - Student Research Contributor

January 2020 - May 2020

Contributed 100+ hours of original folklore research to the University of Southern California's archive.

University of Rhode Island - Teaching Assistant

January 2018 - May 2018

Advised, mentored, and tutored 50+ students; developed curriculum; graded essays and exams for HDF 200: Lifespan Development 1.

SKILLS, TOOLS, AND LICENSES

Project Management | SEO Content | Marketing | ChatGPT3 | DALL-E | Microsoft Office | Adobe Premiere Asana | Slack | Discord | Canva | WordPress | Pushly | JIRA | Monday.com | PostUp | Google Analytics | Semrush Storytelling | Writing | Editing | Copywriting | Proofreading | Comedy Writing | Screenwriting | Script Reading | Coverages