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EDUCATION

Ball State University

Graduated: May 2013

Major: Bachelor of Arts,

Journalism/ Telecommunications

AWARDS

2017 Emmy

"Don't Look Back" - The Gaelin Elmore Story

2016 Emmy

"Hearts, Guts, Balls" - The Todd Oakes Story

2017 College Sports Media Awards

"Under the Lights" - Outstanding Promo

"Hearts, Guts, Balls" - Special Feature

Software

- Adobe Premiere
- After Effects
- Lightroom
- Audition
- Media Encoder
- Trapcode Suite
- Photoshop
- InDesign
- Final Cut Pro
- DJI Assistant

SKILLS

- Cinematography
- Motion Graphics
- Audio Mixing
- Interviewing
- Directing
- Lighting
- Editing
- Sony FS7
- Panasonic EVA 1
- Panasonic GH4, GH5
- Sony FS700
- Inspire 1 Pro
- Canon 7D, 7D Mark II
- DJI Ronin

GEAR

Work Experience

Elite Edge Productions, Producer - 2018 - Present

- Produce in-venue and online content for the NFL, NBA, MLB, NCAA, etc.
- Film and direct on-location during various feature, open video shoots

University of Minnesota, Senior Producer - 2014 - 2018

- Produce creative/digital content for all Golden Gopher varsity sports
- Feature stories, intro videos, commercials/promos, social-driven concepts
- Assist in creation of sport-specific marketing brands across all platforms
- Oversee Gopher Digital student/intern production staff

Minnesota Vikings, Cinematographer - 2014 - Present

- Film cinematic highlights during homes at U.S. Bank Stadium
- Produced in-venue NFL Redzone highlights for video board
- Edited in-game highlights from control room

Minnesota United, Cinematographer - 2016 - Present

- Film cinematic footage during MLS inaugural season
- Various roles include CrossFire and in-venue camera operator

University of Minnesota, New Media Intern - 2013 - 2014

- Producer of "Brick by Brick and "Raise the Barn," two behind-the-scenes web series featuring all-access coverage of football and men's basketball
- Shot and edited game highlights, produced team intro videos

Ball State Sports Link, Producer - 2010 - 2013

- Nationally recognized immersive-learning digital sports program
- Scripted, filmed, produced feature stories on Ball State athletes
- Filled various live TV broadcast positions during Ball State events

Turner Sports, Social Media Producer - 2011 - 2013

- Edited and published in-game highlights for March Madness Live applications on Broadband, iPhone, iPad and Android digital products
- Filtered social trends within the MM Live application

2012 London Olympics, Feature Producer/On-Air - Summer 2012

- Three-week trip covering the Summer Olympic Games in London
- Produced video and written feature stories on USA Olympians
- Covered boxing, gymnastics, swimming, diving, judo, synchro swim etc.

References

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