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### Senior Video Editor

Highly creative, Emmy-nominated video editor with motion graphics expertise and a passion for visual storytelling, skilled in crafting multi-platform content for television, digital, and social channels of multi-M+ follower brands under tight deadlines, delivering high-quality short-form marketing videos and versatile long-form projects like documentaries with strong narrative flow. Driven by a love for harmonizing visuals and audio into cohesive, engaging pieces with a satisfying flow. Dedicated to collaboration with fun teams to push the boundaries of creativity.

#### **HONORS & AWARDS**

- Annual Sports Emmy Nomination MLB Network
  - o 2015 Outstanding Sports Promotional Announcement: "Monuments"
  - o 2014 Sports Promotional Announcement Institutional: "Here's to Us"
  - o 2012 Sports Promotional Announcement Institutional: "All in One Place"
- Primetime Emmy Nomination NBC, NBC Universal
  - o 2006 Emmy Nomination Picture Editing for a Special: "A Concert for Hurricane Relief"

#### SKILLS

Color Correction/Grading, Sound Editing/Audio Mixing/Design, Motion Graphics Design, Visual Storytelling, Multi-Cam Editing, Branding and Identity Design, Project Management, Creative Problem Solving, Workflow Efficiency, Adaptability/Quick Learning, Attention to Detail, Video Trends, Sports, News, Broadcast, Online, Social Media, Entertainment

Software - (Adobe) Premier, After Effects, Photoshop, Media Encoder, Lightroom, Illustrator, Audition, Avid Media Composer, Cinema4D, Final Cut Pro

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

# FREELANCE Digital Arts NYC

Dec 2024 – Current Mar 2025 – March 2025

- Lead Video Editor on 2025 Crunchyroll Anime Awards
  - Edited a high-profile, 30-minute YouTube show garnering 200k+ views, seamlessly integrating multi-cam footage, animation, voiceover, and over 30 music tracks.
  - Designed nominee graphic cards while meticulously cross-referencing confidential information to ensure absolute accuracy in a project with numerous points for error.

#### **MLB Network / NHL Network**

Oct 2010 - Dec 2024

### Lead Video Editor/Graphic Designer, Marketing and Promotion

- Led video editing efforts for MLB Network's promo department, producing high-quality, high-volume digital content for on-air promotion, social media (2M+ followers), MLB stadiums, MLB Jewel Events, and MLB Sponsors and Clients
- Created diverse hype pieces, including topicals, network and show image campaigns, ticket sales commercials, presentation reels, and scoreboard videos while maintaining brand consistency.
- Contributed to creative brainstorm sessions, generating concepts that evolved into individual
  pieces and full-scale campaigns while supporting and enhancing the ideas of colleagues to drive
  collaborative success and elevate the MLB Brand.
- Boosted efficiency and cut costs by handling the editing, motion graphics, sound design, and mixing entirely within the edit room.
- Leveraged emerging technologies and AI tools to streamline workflows, ensuring high-quality output under tight deadlines while pushing creative boundaries.
- Mentored junior editors, fostering collaboration and skill development to enhance team performance.
- Established and maintained an organized digital asset library, improving workflow efficiency and enabling seamless collaboration across the creative team.

# CBS / BBC America / MLB Network, NY Freelance Video Editor, On-air Promotion

Jan 2010 - Oct 2010

- Edited and designed daily promos for CBS News's flagship shows, including the CBS Evening News, creating compelling narratives and integrating graphics to maintain brand consistency.
- Edited and designed promos for MLB Network's programming and lineup, showcasing its content and driving viewer engagement. Additionally, crafted high-impact sizzle reels for MLB owners' meetings, highlighting the network's achievements and strategic vision.
- Edited lively and engaging on-air promos for BBC America's hit shows, including Top Gear and The Graham Norton Show, tailored to highlight each program's unique appeal.

# NBC Agency East Coast, NBC Universal, NY Video Editor, On-air Promotion

Jul 2004 - Dec 2009

- Wrote, edited, and designed daily on-air promos for MSNBC's primetime and select daytime programs, delivering content aligned with the network's brand and messaging.
- Navigated tight deadlines to write scripts, coordinate voiceovers, edit footage, design animations, and deliver high-quality promos on schedule.
- Pushed my motion graphic design boundaries, crafting high-volume, fully animated promos with visual effects in hours to meet tight deadlines and boost engagement.

# CBS / FOX News Channel / ABC / FOX, NY Freelance Avid Video Editor & Promo Video Editor

Jun 2002 - Jul 2004

1999 – Jun 2002

- Edited a variety of multi-length segments for Fox's news magazine show "The Pulse," collaborating closely with producers to craft engaging, magazine-style stories on diverse topics.
- Edited multiple hour-long documentaries for *War Stories with Oliver North*, managing the entire post-production process from digitizing footage and creating storyboard cuts to incorporating music, editing, and color correction. Often crafted fast-paced visual montages to heighten the intensity and emotional impact, effectively capturing the gravity of war.
- Uprezzed and color corrected several documentaries for ABC, honing my expertise in color grading and treatment to enhance visual storytelling.
- Edited diverse segments for CBS, covering a wide range of topics and delivering compelling content tailored to each story's unique mood and needs.

### MSNBC, NJ Avid Video Editor

- Edited numerous hour-long documentaries for MSNBC's long-form unit, delivering compelling content with precise pacing and attention to detail across diverse topics like crime and history.
- Edited segments and packages for MSNBC's daytime news coverage and documentary unit, tackling a wide range of topics with compelling storytelling and precision.

CNBC, NJ 1996 – 1998

### Freelance Stage Manager, Camera Operator, Teleprompter

 Operated teleprompter, set cameras, and managed stage logistics for live shows, ensuring smooth production and timely execution.

**EDUCATION** 

William Paterson University of New Jersey Wayne, NJ **B.A. Communications / Broadcasting**County College of Morris: Randolph, NJ
Associates Degree

### **VOLUNTEERING**

### A Helping Wing Parrot Rescue

Educate the public about homeless parrots at pet expos and events, highlighting the joys and challenges of exotic pet ownership while promoting adoptions.