JASON HESS

Cinematographer // Director of Photography

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LION+Lamb Films

SUMMARY

Accomplished Cinematographer with a proven track record at LION+Lamb Films, enhancing storytelling through expert composition and Adobe Creative Suite. Skilled in visual storytelling and leading teams to deliver projects that exceed client expectations. Demonstrates a keen eye for lighting and a creative approach to problem-solving, ensuring high-quality production outcomes.

SKILLS

Adobe Creative Suite expertise, Location scouting, Lighting scenes, Visual storytelling, Shot/Framing Composition and Visual design, Shot framing, Pre-production planning, Set design collaboration, Digital camera operation, Script reading

EXPERIENCE

12/2023 - Present

Cinematographer / Director of Photography

Leesville, LA

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- · Directed on-location shoots with multiple crew members, talent and clients present.
- Edited videos to meet client requirements and deadlines.
- Evaluated footage from on-location shoots to determine which scenes should be used in final product.
- Oversaw the selection of music tracks used in videos according to copyright regulations.
- · Edited captured video to tell concise, visually pleasing stories or relay video messages.
- Researched new technologies related to digital video production processes.

05/2023 - Present

Media and Technical Director

Christian Living Fellowship Church

- Create visual effects using computer generated imagery techniques when needed.
- Composed and framed shots using camera settings and other technical aspects to achieve requested results.
- · Helped prepare sets and set up equipment for in-studio filming.
- Ran sound checks and assessed equipment for proper functionality, troubleshooting issues that arose.
- Set up and calibrate sound systems, amplifiers, microphones and other audio equipment.
- · Mixed live audio sources such as vocals, instruments and playback devices during performances.

EDUCATION

02/2023 - 03/2025

Winter Park, FL

Bachelor of Science in Digital Cinematography Full Sail University

02/2020 - 05/2022

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Bachelor of Science in Music Production

Full Sail University

PROJECTS

Studio 101 Hair Salon Commercial Campaign

Writer, Director and Lead Cinematographer and Editor for small business commercial highlighting multiple aspects of local Hair Salon

"Healing the Wounds that don't Bleed" Mini-Documentary

Writer, Director, Cinematographer and Editor of Mini-Documentary highlighting veterans who struggle with their mental health.

"Morning Coffee Conversation" Short Film

Writer, Director, Cinematographer and Editor of Fictional Narrative Short Film that tells the story of one man's back and forth conversation with his future self.

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