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EDUCATION

Master of Fine Arts	Denton, TX
University of North Texas	
Documentary Production Studies	Expected 2027
Bachelor of Arts	
University of North Texas	
Media Arts	2021

Research Interests

Documentary Studies, Film History, Screenwriting

Awards and Honors

Most Original Screenplay	2014
iSchool Media Arts Academy in Flower Mound	
UNT Dean's List Honoree	2020

Creative Projects

- 1.) **STAKEOUT**, Director, Cinematographer, Writer, Actor
2021

STAKEOUT is a short film about a couple of cops who stake out a drunken suspect's house, hoping to apprehend him for a crime.

- 2.) **JARMUSCH**, Director, Cinematographer, Writer, Actor
2021

JARMUSCH is a short film about an awkward meeting between a brother and sister, both praying that the conversation will end quickly, inspired by the works of filmmaker Jim Jarmusch.

- 3.) **SFUAD CAMPUS FIRE**, Director, Editor
2017

SFUAD CAMPUS FIRE is a documentary about the fire on the western film set on campus at the Santa Fe University of Art and Design in the Spring of 2017

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant	
Adv Film Production - MRTS 4140	2024
University of North Texas	

Teaching Assistant
Film and TV Analysis - MRTS 3610
University of North Texas

2024