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SKILLS

- Comedy
- Project Management, Time Management, Problem Solving, Communication, Collaboration Skills
- Equipment Transportation
- Social Media Platforms
- Video Editing
- Music Composition
- Media Trends
- Film History
- Video Production
- Art Department
- Pop Culture
- Media Archiving
- Digital Marketing
- Acting, Voice Acting
- Story Pitching
- Data Analysis

SOFTWARE

- Adobe Premiere
- Adobe Photoshop
- Logic Pro
- Final Draft
- Google Suite
- Microsoft Office
- Canva
- Web Flow

EDUCATION

2018 - 2021

UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT

- Bachelor of Arts in English, Minor in Film and Television Studies

2020

UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS

- Study Abroad Educational Program

2017 - 2018

EMERSON COLLEGE

- Writing for Film & TV

AWARDS

- Quarterfinalist in the 2022 PAGE International Screenwriting Awards

ELLIOT COCKAYNE

FILMMAKER

PROFILE

Intuitive filmmaker with over a decade of experience in visual storytelling. Multi-talented, adaptable professional with expertise in comedy recognized by peers for outstanding creative skills. Proven ability to enhance production quality with exceptional collaboration and enthusiasm.

PRODUCTION EXPERIENCE

Commercial Production Assistant 2024 - PRESENT

Freelance

- Coordinates a range of technical and administrative activities including art department construction, errand management, sound checks, equipment maintenance, crafty assistance, walkie distribution, script allocation, and Camera and G&E support.
- Reliably transports valuable film equipment to and from rental houses.
- Liasing with department heads, cast, and crew to execute production needs.
- Safely transported model cars from dealership to set and vice versa.
- Handles confidential and sensitive information with the utmost discretion and professionalism.

NOTABLE PROJECTS

- Bugaboo Baby Stroller Commercial Independent - 2026
- LA Galaxy Media Day Shoot Aether Films - 2026
- SoCal Chevy Commercial Aether Films - 2026
- "Young and Dumb" Music Video (Avril Lavigne Simple Plan) Aether Films - 2025
- Chipotle: Taylor Fritz Surprises Tennis Team Aether Films - 2025
- SoCal Chevy Commercial Aether Films - 2024
- Doritos 'That '70s Show' Spec Commercial Independent - 2024
- Doritos 'I Can Make Him Talk' Spec Commercial Independent - 2024
- Lifetime - The Holiday Junkie - Promo Photoshoot The Canyon Road - 2024
- HGTV - Ugliest House in America Shoot JEAN Productions - 2024

Creative Director

Winter Sun Films

2023 - PRESENT

- Leads narrative short film projects from ideation to final delivery, including acting, producing, scheduling, scriptwriting, storyboarding, location scouting, lighting, video directing, color correcting, video editing, workflow optimization, composing, and marketing.
- Writes screenplays ranging from short-length to feature-length narrative films.
- Ideates, researches, and curates multimedia playlists designed to educate and entertain audiences.
- Executes visual marketing strategies designed to build Winter Sun brand identity and awareness across a range of social platforms.
- Uses graphic design prowess to construct logo designs, title fonts, cartoons, GIFs, and memes for brand optimization.
- Transforms raw video footage into engaging, quality content tailored to social media and cinematic audiences.
- Reinforces extraordinary wealth of media landscape, pop-culture, film history, and music history knowledge through avid media consumption.
- Manages campaign-driven social media content strategies including content copywriting, SEO optimization, growth-based workflow improvement, and cross-platform content calendar supervision.
- Creates and presents pitch decks for multi-platform content launches and campaigns to business and creative partners.
- Multi-tasks autonomously on numerous projects in a fast-paced, deadline-driven environment, ensuring effective results.
- Prepares agendas, gathers materials, manages logistics, and ensures a professional meeting environment to support internal and external meetings.
- Creates retagged and resized assets as needed to ensure creative consistency across all platforms throughout the lifespan of a campaign.

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- Introvverted School Reunion - Short Film Winter Sun Films - 2026
- COVID Cop - Short Film Winter Sun Films - 2026
- Unorthodox Interrogation Tactics - Comedy Sketch Winter Sun Films - 2026
- Movie Pirates - Comedy Sketch Winter Sun Films - 2023
- Stop Sign Standoff - Comedy Sketch Winter Sun Films - 2023
- Unsocialized Cinephiles - Comedy Sketch Winter Sun Films - 2023
- Tomboology - Comedy Sketch Winter Sun Films - 2023
- The Naughty List - Comedy Sketch Winter Sun Films - 2022
- HELLPLESS - Comedy Sketch Winter Sun Films - 2021