# **Austyn Hamby**

Offering a strong foundation in visual storytelling and a keen eye for detail, ready to learn and grow within a dynamic production environment. Contributes solid understanding of essential camera functions and editing software, demonstrating quick grasp of new techniques. Ready to use and develop camera operation and video editing skills in camera operating or videographer role.

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## REEL:

## **PORTFOLIO**

### **PROJECTS:**

#### **SHORT FILMS:**

Dylan's Project

My Roomba Knows the Secrets of the Universe

IRIS

Manhunt

Go Easy

**FEATURE FILMS:** 

Painted Faces

Director/Writer Director of Photography

Director/Writer

Director of Photography

**Production Assistant** 

2nd Assistant Camera

#### **EXPERIENCE:**

#### **Shootday,** Orlando, FL — Professional Photographer/Videographer

March 2025 - Present

- Collaborated with different clients to conceptualize visual content, ensuring alignment with client values and goals.
- Delivered high quality projects within tight deadlines while maintaining high standards of quality and creativity.
- Managed and operated DSLR and mirrorless cameras, and lighting equipment to ensure high calibur photos and videos.
- Provided real-time direction during video shoots to best achieve creative vision and storytelling

#### **Universal Orlando Resort,** Orlando, FL — *Attractions Attendant (Trainer)*

January 2023 - PRESENT

- Trained new ride operators on safety procedures and ride operations.
- Welcomed new team members with compassion and care while helping them adjust to their new role.
- Educated new employees on safety protocols and attraction operations, ensuring a knowledgeable and skilled workforce
- Memorized and utilized radio codes and commands.
- Engaged and interacted with guests using themed lines and narration.
- Resolved guest issues by identifying the source of complaint and formulating corrective action
- Collaborated with fellow attendants to maintain safety procedures, ensuring a secure environment for both guests and staff.

#### Universal Orlando Resort, Orlando, FL — Halloween Horror Nights Scare Actor

JAugust 2024 - November 2024

- Performed intentional and well-timed scares (at roughly 1 per 5 seconds), maximizing guest
- Maintained character consistency throughout my performance while upholding safety regulations
- Utilized creative scare tactics to surprise and entertain all guests while sustaining production value given from show direction
- Created immersive and interactive experiences for guests, enhancing entertainment value.
- Delivered thrilling performances to captivate the audience.

## **Relevant Coursework:**

#### Cinematography

- Built an in-depth understanding of the different aspects of the camera and surrounding
- Practiced with the technical facets, including things like shutter speed, ISO, and aperture.
- Experimented with the creative uses of the camera.
- Made use of different camera equipment and accessories.

#### **Narrative Production**

- Learned how to set-up and take down a variety of equipment in all departments,
- including grip, electric, camera, and sound. Familiarized myself with being on set, as well as the intricacies of the workflow and the interactions between the different departments.
- Operated electric, lighting, grip, sound, and camera equipment.
- Collaborated with and lead my team while in production.

## **EDUCATION**

University of Central Florida — Bachelor of Fine Arts in Film (Ongoing - Senior Standing)

June 2021 - May 2025

Dean's List for 6 Semesters - 3.8 GPA

## **SKILLS:**

Adobe Premiere, Audition, and Photoshop

DaVinci Resolve - Beginner

Microsoft Word, Excel, **Powerpoint** 

Cameras - Canon, Sony, and Blackmagic

Can operate electric, lighting, grip, sound, and camera equipment.

Radio and Radio codes

## Traits

Creative

Strong Multitasker

Self-Efficient

Quick Learner

Adaptive

**Detail Oriented** 

Team Player

## LANGUAGES:

American Sign Language (intermediate)