# BEN DOUMA

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## SUMMARY

Collaborative video producer and photographer with 6+ years of professional experience in filming, editing, directing, scripting, and audio. Organized, self-driven, and quick to adapt in fast-paced environments. Seeking opportunities in Metro Detroit.

# EXPERIENCE

#### Videographer & Multimedia Designer | December 2020 - present

#### Brightz, Ltd. in Ottawa Lake, MI

- o Utilize production toolbelt to create customer-facing video content from end to end, building an entire content library
- Fill roles of director and producer on set; working directly with talent and vendors for consistently smooth productions
- o Use organizational skills to manage equipment and digital asset archive, streamlining company-wide access
- Employ graphic abilities to assist 3-person graphic design team, lightening their workload and improving creative output
- o Build marketing skills by strategizing with social media and Amazon associates to ensure brand consistency across channels
- Extend time-management skills beyond my department, coordinating projects and improving company-wide output

#### Vehicle Photographer & Field Service Representative | May - December 2020

#### Auto Uplink Tech in Ann Arbor, MI

- Showcased professional independence by servicing up to 5 car dealerships daily, consistently beating company records
- o Practiced reliability when managing relationships with clients and satisfying each dealership's unique standards

#### Telecommunications and Marketing Intern | January - May 2019

#### The City of Holland in Holland, MI

- o Honed video production skills by shooting/editing features for city events, boosting community awareness and action
- Exercised tactful process of polishing and publishing content for popular public-facing social media channels

#### Resident Photographer & Videographer | April - August 2017-2019

#### Hope Summer Repertory Theatre in Holland, MI

- o Managed simultaneous projects with quick turnaround; photos appeared in Broadway World and Revue West Michigan
- Collaborated with the Artistic Director to produce video for social media, elevating branding and boosting following

#### Freelance Videography and Photography | November 2016 - present

- o Produce a variety of video content including interviews, b-roll, events, product demos, and more to elevate local brands
- Maintain skills by photographing headshots, products, events, weddings, real estate, landscape, wildlife, and more.

## SKILLS

- Certified drone pilot, FAA part 107
- o Adobe Creative Suite (Premiere, Photoshop, Lightroom, After Effects, Illustrator, Acrobat), Final Cut Pro, Davinci Resolve
- o Cameras: Sony, Canon, Go Pro, Blackmagic PCC, RED Epic Dragon
- o Scriptwriting, motion graphics, color grading, audio recording and editing, studio lighting, podcasting
- o Google Suite, Microsoft Office Suite, Asana, Airtable, Canva, Digital Asset Management systems

# EDUCATION

Hope College, Holland, MI: Bachelor of Arts: Media Production | LA Film Studies Center: Cinematography

## HONORS AND AWARDS

First-place "Long Form Fiction" in Michigan Emmy Chapter (2020); First-place documentary in Michigan Association of Broadcasting Student Awards (2019); First Place–Hope College Screenplay Competition (2018)