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**EDUCATION**

**Bachelor of Arts Communication, May 2026**

The University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL

Major: Creative Media                      Minor: Advertising and Public Relations

Honors College

GPA: 4.00/4.00 – President’s List

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

**Center for Public Television**, Student Intern, Tuscaloosa, AL, January 2025 – present

- Research and produce short film documentaries highlighting impactful stories that often go unshared
- Responsible for filming and editing documentaries to be shared on various platforms, such as Facebook, Instagram, and Youtube
- Perform various tasks on client-based documentaries, including producing, interviewing, and editing

**Bama Wesley Foundation**, Evangelism/Outreach Intern, Tuscaloosa, AL, February 2024 – December 2025

- Manager of weekly outreach and messaging for Bama Wesley
- Design marketing initiatives (handouts, info sheets, chalking, etc.) and manage website/social media
- Lead recruitment and retention efforts for newcomers

**Disney College Program**, Entertainment Costumer, Orlando, FL, June 2025 – August 2025

- Quality checked, prepared, and washed dozens of costumes daily for performers and dancers
- Helped dress and undress multiple performers/dancers for performances throughout the day
- Had to adapt to last minute changes in schedules, while ensuring costumes were ready for upcoming performances

**Social Media Ambassador**, College of Communications and Information Sciences, August 2023 – May 2025

- Collaborate with fellow students and faculty on content for social media platforms
- Participate in videos and announcements to promote events and happenings around campus

**SKILLS**

Adobe Premiere Pro, Adobe Lightroom, Microsoft Office Suite, Canva Graphics

Creating and Filming Content for Social Media, Video Cameras Operation, Group Collaborations

**EQUIPMENT EXPERIENCE**

**Cameras:** Canon EOS C200; Canon EOS C100; Panasonic HC-X2000; RED Digital Cinema Komodo

**Gaff Equipment:** Ledgo600 Lights; Advanced LED Lighting Kit; C-Stands

**Miscellaneous Equipment:** ProMediaGear-DUO Video Slider; Rokinon Prime Lenses; Follow Focus; Zoom H6; Boom

**STUDENT LED SHORT FILMS**

**Producer**, for Short Documentaries at Internship and Class Projects, January 2025 – present

- Researched and found talent to feature in documentaries
- Organized time and locations of shoots
- Edited clips and produced final documentary

**Producer and AD**, for Short Film, August 2025 – November 2025

- Worked with director and DP to establish shooting locations and times
- Created shot lists and organized call times for cast and crew of 15
- Managed cast and crew on set
- Kept with shooting schedule and ensured production stayed ahead of schedule