

James Defalco

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Accomplished Director and Producer, renowned for delivering captivating and inspiring films. Expert in conceptualizing ideas, crafting scripts, and guiding projects from inception to completion. Visionary creator with meticulous attention to detail and a solution-oriented approach to problem-solving. Adept at overseeing all aspects of film production to ensure successful outcomes

EXPERIENCE

Video Producer / Director

New York / Los Angeles (Remote)

Wise Implants

May 2024 - Present

- Skillfully create promotional videos designed to captivate potential investor
- Produced a compelling promotional video showcasing Wise Implants' groundbreaking new technology to dentists.

Director / Producer / Video Editor/ Writer

New York, NY

Independent Film Productions

July 2017-Present

- The Only Fan (2024) Short Film
- Henchman: A Documentary (2024) Short Film
- Time Match (2024) Short Film
- Self Tape (2023) Short Film
- Night In (2023) Short Film
- Prologue to a Dinner Party (2023) Short Film
- Still Watching? (2023) Short Film
- Season of Change (2022) Short Film
- Thornhill (2018) Short Film
- Lets Write a Web Series! (2018) Short Film
- All In (2018) Short Film
- Acoustic Kitty (2017) Short Film
- Long Island Love Story (2017) Feature Film, *Winner of Best Feature Award 2017 - Movies4Movies Film Festival*

Video Editor

New York, NY

Net Lease Realty

2017-2024

- Transform raw footage into a polished final product that captivates and sells multi-million-dollar properties
- Create and edit dynamic short videos and sizzle reels showcasing commercial real estate properties, from office buildings and shopping centers to industrial facilities.
- Utilized Final Cut Pro X to expertly edit videos, including cropping, audio mixing, color grading, and incorporating basic text graphics

Technical Director / Camera Operator

New York, NY

Jones Beach Theater, Nassau Coliseum etc.

July 2012- April 2018

- Operated professional video cameras and related equipment to capture high-quality footage for television programs, films, or live broadcasts
- Served as First AC, Cable Wrangler, AV Tech, Technical Director, and in-house camera lead per client needs.
- Recorded sports games, assorted live events, concerts and conferences at various venues; including Nassau Coliseum and Jones Beach for clients including Unilever, The NY Islanders and Madonna

- Ensured smooth camera movements and transitions during filming to enhance storytelling and visual impact.

In House Video Production Liaison / Production Assistant

New York, NY

The CW Network - The Next: Fame is at Your Doorstep (NYC Episode)

July 2012- August 2012

- Coordinated logistics & scheduling for video shoots, ensuring seamless communication & collaboration among all involved.
- Provided technical support and troubleshooting expertise during video shoots to maintain production timelines & quality standards.
- Collaborated with directors, producers, and post-production teams to ensure continuity and consistency in video content.

Head of Video Production

Huntington, NY

Paramount Theater

October 2011- August 2012

- Directed & managed all aspects of video production for live concerts & events, ensuring seamless execution & high-quality deliverables.
- Implemented and maintained video standards and protocols to ensure consistency and quality across all productions.
- Contributed to strategic planning and decision-making processes to support the overall mission and objectives of the concert venue.
- Provided leadership and mentorship to the video production team, fostering a collaborative and productive work environment.
- Led a team of video technicians and operators in setting up, operating, and dismantling video equipment and systems for concerts and related events

Production Assistant

New York, NY

NYCB Theater at Westbury

January 2010- June 2010

- Assist in setting up and dismantling equipment and staging for live events.
- Operate audiovisual equipment such as cameras, microphones, sound systems, and lighting.
- Monitor and adjust audio and video quality during live events to maintain optimal production standards.
- Provide support to presenters, performers, and technical crew as needed.
- Collaborate with team members to ensure seamless execution of live events and achieve client objectives.

EDUCATION

Five Towns College

New York, NY

Bachelor's Degree in Fine Arts

SKILLS

Final Cut Pro X - Location Scouting - Non-Linear Editing - Strategic Planning - Writing
 Casting - Directing - Lighting - Cinematography - Color Grading - Producing - Project Management -
 Time Management - Relationship Building - Staff Management - Leadership Abilities - Charismatic Leader -
 Creativity and Innovation - Content Development - Digital Marketing - Rapid Skill Development -
 Experimentation - Time Management - Adaptability - Camera Operator

ACHIEVEMENTS

Best Feature Film Award - 2017 Movies4Movies Film Festival 'Long Island Love Story'
 Official Selection - 2017 Long Island International Film Festival 'Long Island Love Story'