

Michael Thomas Cain-Filmmaker

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Summary

9+ years of filmmaking experience that demonstrates multiple skills. Record of writing, directing, and producing award winning feature & short films and video content on schedule and under budget for numerous projects and various clients. Executive Producer for the Full Service Production Company Forgotten Artist Productions.

Qualifications

- *Film production*
- *Film directing*
- *Script writing*
- *Script/story analysis*
- *Storytelling*
- *Creativity*
- *Film producing*
- *Project management*
- *Casting*
- *Location scouting*
- *DaVinci Resolve*
- *Editing*
- *Storyboarding*
- *Production Design*
- *Photography*
- *Shooting/camera operator*
- *Preparation of shot list, shooting script, and shooting schedule*
- *Sound recording*
- *Planning*
- *Organization*
- *Coordinating*
- *Scheduling*
- *Patience*
- *Resourceful*
- *Researching*
- *Attention to details*
- *Problem solving*
- *Strong critical thinking*

Education

Master of Fine Arts in Creative Writing (Dramatic Writing), Adelphi University, Garden City, NY—2009

Bachelor of Arts in Communications (Theatre), Augusta College (now Augusta University), Augusta, GA—1995

Selected Projects

*Director/Co-Producer/Script Analyst/Editor
TOP HATE -HD Feature Film*

Director/Producer/Script Analyst

“Outta This World”-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Jazz John”-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Oatmelio’s”-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Thumb Wrestler 2: The Second Thumbing” (sequel)-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Thumb Wrestler”-Award Winning HD Short Film

Writer/Director/Producer/Editor

“Jordey The Christmas Movie” (sequel)-HD Short Film

“Restructuring”-HD Short Film

“Jordey The Movie”-Award Winning HD Short Film

Writer/Director/Producer

“Not Approved For Cancer Treatment”-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Eliminated”-Award Winning HD Short Film

Writer

“Killing The Small Family Farmer”-Award Winning Short Screenplay

Storyboard Artist/Production Designer/Location Scout/Casting Director

“Jazz John”-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Oatmelio’s”-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Jordey The Christmas Movie” (sequel)-HD Short Film

“Jordey The Movie”-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Thumb Wrestler”-Award Winning HD Short Film

Storyboard Artist/Production Designer/Casting Director

“Restructuring”-HD Short Film

“Eliminated”-Award Winning HD Short Film

Storyboard Artist/Location Scout/Casting Director

“Outta This World”-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Thumb Wrestler 2: The Second Thumbing” (sequel)-Award Winning HD Short Film

Production Designer/Location Scout/Casting Director

“Not Approved For Cancer Treatment”-Award Winning HD Short Film

Production Designer/Casting Director

TOP HATE -HD Feature Film

Production Supervisor/Production Coordinator/Assistant Location Manager

TOP HATE -HD Feature Film

Camera Operator

TOP HATE -HD Feature Film

“Not Approved For Cancer Treatment”-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Jordey The Christmas Movie” (sequel)-HD Short Film

“Jordey The Movie”-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Outta This World”-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Jazz John”-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Oatmelio’s”-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Thumb Wrestler 2: The Second Thumbing” (sequel)-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Thumb Wrestler”-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Eliminated”-Award Winning HD Short Film

Production Sound Recordist

“Not Approved For Cancer Treatment”-Award Winning HD Short Film

“Jordey The Christmas Movie” (sequel)-HD Short Film

“Jordey The Movie”-Award Winning HD Short Film

Related Experience

Founder and Executive Producer 2014–current (Forgotten Artist Productions)

- *Develop and execute film/video projects*
- *Oversee and manage pre-production, production, and post-production on film/video projects*
- *Run full service production company*

Instructor 2022-current (New York Film Academy)

- *Teach courses on-ground (Media and Society, Critical Thinking, and First Year Seminar)*
- *Use of Google Classroom*
- *Review and develop curriculum*

Instructor 2023-current (Westchester Community College)

- *Teach courses on-ground and online/remotely (Directing for Film & Directing for Theatre)*
- *Review and develop curriculum*

Videographer, Editor, and Sound Recordist/ALMS a full-length play production video 2023 (Knowledge Workings Theater)

- *Coordinated and executed pre-production*
- *Coordinated and executed production*
- *Camera operator during shooting*
- *Edited the project using DaVinci Resolve*

Videographer, Editor, and Sound Recordist/THE JESTER'S WIFE a full-length play production video 2023 (Knowledge Workings Theater)

- *Coordinated and executed pre-production*
- *Coordinated and executed production*
- *Camera operator during shooting*
- *Edited the project using DaVinci Resolve*

Videographer and Sound Recordist/"Queensbridge" a one-act play production video 2022 (for playwright Marlin Thomas)

- *Coordinated and executed pre-production*
- *Coordinated and executed production*
- *Camera operator during shooting*

Adjunct Professor 2016-current (Berkeley College)

- *Teach courses on-ground and online/remotely in writing, literature, and English*
- *Use of Canvas, Blackboard, and Zoom*
- *Review and develop curriculum*

Assistant Professor 2010–2023 (ASA College)

- *Taught courses on-ground and online/remotely in writing, literature, English, and speech and communication*
- *Coordinator of the writing/English courses; Coordinator of The Writing Center; reviewed and developed curriculum*
- *Hired and mentored new faculty*