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Education

Shanghai Normal University (SHNU), College of Humanities and Communications Sep. 2015 - 2019

- **Degree:** BA in Chinese Language and Literature

Florida State University(FSU), College of Motion Picture Arts Sep. 2019 - 2021

- **Degree:** MFA in Motion Picture Arts, Production
- **Relevant courses:** Camera and Lighting, Motion Picture Editing, Screenwriting, Motion Picture Acting, Producing, Production Design, Post Sound, Visual Effects.

Film Experience

CINEMATOGRAPHER

Alien

- Best Superhero/Comic Book Film at the Pensacon Short Film Festival
- screening at the Seattle Asian American Film Festival

Recipient

- Best Student Film in the November edition of the Oniros Film Awards New York
- Best Student Film Cinematography at the Los Angeles Cinematography Award
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- Best Student Film Cinematography at the Canadian Cinematography AWARDS (CACA)
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- Finalist for the September European Cinematography Awards
- Semi-Finalist at the Miami Short Film Festival
- selected for screening at the Orlando Film Festival
- screening at the Myrtle Beach International Film Festival
- screening at the Gasparilla International Film Festival
- screening at the Universe Multicultural Film Festival
- screening at the Oscar-qualifying HollyShorts film festival
- screening at the Love Your Shorts Film Festival
- screening at the Chinese American Film Festival
- screening in the April edition of the Short to the Point ISFF Awards

It's Over

- Best Cinematography at the Couch Film Festival
- nominated for Best Comedy at the Couch Film Festival
- nominated for Best Cast at the Couch Film Festival
- nominated for Best Apocalyptic Student Film at the End of Days Film Festival
- nominated for Best USA Student Film at the End of Days Film Festival
- Finalist at New York International Women Film Festival
- Finalist for Best Short Comedy at New York Flash Film Festival
- selected for screening at the Tallahassee Film Festival
- selected for screening at the Big Teeth Small Shorts Film Festival
- selected for screening at the Lovesick Film Festival
- selected for screening at the New Florida Cinema Film Festival

Happy Monday

- selected for screening at the Ethereal Horror Festival

Guiding (In Post-Production)
Put me to trails (In Post-Production)
Black Veil (In Post-Production)
Her Story

CAMERA DEPARTMENT

Feature/ Documentary/ TV

Florida's early childhood courts (B-Camera Operator)
My Room my way Season 2 (B-Camera Operator)
Trauma for life (First Assistant Camera)
Hello, Stranger (First Assistant Camera)
This Time (Second Assistant Camera)
Drugstore June (Second Assistant Camera)
Road Trip Hostage (Second Assistant Camera)

Short

La Perrera (First Assistant Camera)
Pollywog (First Assistant Camera)
Hiding (First Assistant Camera)
Grieving the Girl (First Assistant Camera)
DUMPED (First Assistant Camera)
KEYZ' (First Assistant Camera)
Our Late Father (First Assistant Camera)
Saturday (First Assistant Camera)
Dog Lady (First Assistant Camera)
Zoe's Last Day on Earth (First Assistant Camera)
Bar None (B-Cam First Assistant Camera)

Zoetrope (Second Assistant Camera)
Have a Nice Night (Second Assistant Camera)
Cosplay at the Convenience Store (Second Assistant Camera)
The Priest (Second Assistant Camera)
Every Morning (Second Assistant Camera)
ALFU (Second Assistant Camera)
Oyakodon (Second Assistant Camera)
The Ladies (Second Assistant Camera)
The Pink (Second Assistant Camera)
Bite (Second Assistant Camera)

Commercial

ASTROLOGER VS. REALITY STAR: THE ULTIMATUM in Netflix (First Assistant Camera)
BeHaVR (First Assistant Camera)
Adore me (Second Assistant Camera)
CeraVe (Second Assistant Camera)
Estrella Jalisco (Second Assistant Camera)
Money Lion - Super Bowl Watch Party with Mike Tyson (Camera PA)
ITK BOWL 2022 (Camera PA)

Skills & Interests

- Languages: English (proficient), Chinese (native), Japanese (intermediate)
- Technical: Adobe Premiere, Adobe After Effects, DaVinci Resolve, Adobe Photoshop, Nuke, Pro Tools, Final Cut Pro, Final Draft