Michael Paris Stone

WORK EXPERIENCE

Advanced Cameras, Chicago, IL — Camera Technician

January 2022 - May 2024

Experience in all aspects of camera prep and maintenance for film and digital camera systems, lenses and support equipment. Assists with management of workflow in the rental environment and handles high volumes of equipment check outs.

Great Lakes Recycling, Oak Park, MI- Teardown and Sortation

August 2020- April 2021

Deconstruction and organization of desktop computers and organization of general electronic components.

Miscellaneous Freelance Work

Employers - Production Craft, British Petroleum, Revealing Media Group, and Apollo Crewing.

EDUCATION

Columbia College, Chicago — BFA Cinematography

Sept 2019 - May 2024

3.9GPA. Graduated with honors. Certified for use of Chapman Peewee III and Hybrid Dolly. Vast technical and practical experience with Sony Venice, FX9, FX6, Red Gemini, Alexa Classic, Bolex H16, Arri SR 2, and Aaton XTR.

SET EXPERIENCE

Cinematographer

+5 years of experience managing and delegating creative and technical direction to the camera and lighting team. Diligent and effective pre production including making shot lists, storyboards, overheads, and lined scripts. Focus: non-union, independent and student films

Grip and Electric

+t Years of experience working as: Gaffer, Key Grip, Best Electric, Best Grip and Dolly Grip. Focus: non-union, independent and student films stonefilm312@gmail.com

SKILLS

Webcheckout Davinci Resolve Studio (editing and coloring) Cinetracer 1 and 2 Shotput Pro Basic Woodworking Stagehand work

AWARDS

Film- Favorite Things-Nominated for Best Cinematography and best screenwriting.

Dean's list for the entire time enrolled at Columbia.

Outstanding Editing in 2018 CASA Documentary.

PERSONAL

Very well organized Precise and direct at communicating with others Self driven and highly motivated