

Dawn Borchardt Artist & Production Resume

Bio

Dawn is a filmmaker, photographer and podcaster originally from Milwaukee, Wisconsin now based in Salt Lake City. Dawn's work has been primarily focused on exploring movement, sexuality and familial histories. Through her work she is interested in sharing intimate moments, spaces and bodies. She has 10+ years experience in freelance photography and video work, primarily focused in capturing events.

Resume

Dawn is a photographer and filmmaker with 15+ years of experience in personal, commercial and professional projects. Some notable projects include documentary short *The Dundee Project* (Directed by Mark Borchardt), short film *That is Circling All Round the Sun, Out and About* web series pilot (featuring Derek Waters from Drunk History and Magic Castle Magician Rob Zabrecky) and *ChatRoulette: Dreams Come True* (UWM Student Film Fest Audience Winner). She has a BFA in Film/Video/New Genres from UW-Milwaukee, an experimental film school.

She has 10+ years experience in freelance photography and video work capturing large events, as well as portrait photography. Samples can be found at www.dawnborchardt.com. In Milwaukee, she worked for 3 years for Orphonic Multimedia LLC, primarily shooting wedding videos. While there, the small company of 5 videographers won Best Wedding Videography Company in Milwaukee.

She works in the Operations and Programming departments for film festivals across the country such as Sundance, LA Film Festival, Montclair Film Fest and many more. Most recently, she was Festival Producer for the Freeland Film Festival in Wisconsin, which shares *stories that inspire*, focusing on endangered environments and wildlife that are fighting to make a comeback. She also manages Memorial House, an event center in downtown Salt Lake City. In this role she serves as building manager, staff manager and coordinator of all events.

Dawn also has a podcast interviewing independent filmmakers with newly premiered or released films - www.anchor.com/fauxreel including interviews with Alana Carithers and Mel Eslyn of Netflix's *Horse Girl* and Shalini Kantayya's *Coded Bias*, which both premiered at the 2020 Sundance Film Festival.

Video Samples

The Back and Forth Part: <https://vimeo.com/400046294>

ChatRoulette: Dreams Come True: <https://vimeo.com/109986843>

The Dundee Project Trailer: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eeKJu0gWV3Y>