

Carson Blickenstaff

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SUMMARY

- Passionate Cinematographer telling creative stories with a deep understanding of the technical aspects of filmmaking including cinematography, lighting, color grading, and editing.
- Film Crew member with experience on short narrative films, documentaries, and commercials as Director of Photography, Camera Operator, 1st Assistant Camera, and Focus Puller.
- Familiar with ARRI, Sony, Canon, and Blackmagic camera systems.
- Maintains professional set etiquette, morale, and crew relations.
- Strong communication and problem solving skills.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Fine Arts, Filmmaking, *Southern Utah University*, Cedar City, UT

April 2025

- Minor: Physics
- 3.77 GPA

EXPERIENCE

Freelance Film Crew, UT

Jan 2022 - Present

- Camera Operator/1st AC for Untitled Cokeville Bombing Documentary.
- 1st AC for Utah Jazz/Mammoth Streaming ad.
- 1st AC for *The Destroying Angel* Short Film.

Videographer, Editor, *Everything Exterior*, UT

July 2025 - Present

- Captured video for training and marketing purposes.
- Handled multiple projects at once.
- Incorporated feedback and delivered projects on time.

Camera Operator, Production Asst.

August 2021 - April 2025

SUU Marketing Communication, Cedar City, UT

- Edited professional videos for commercial, news, and social media.
- Utilized Davinci Resolve and Adobe Creative Suite.
- Captured interviews, testimonials, and campus events for marketing purposes.
- Collaborated with marketing directors, producers, and creative team effectively.

ACHIEVEMENTS

- 1st Place Winner of the Zions Indie Film Fest 2025 Commercial Competition.
- Best Cinematographer Award at SUU BFA Senior Showcase 2025.
- SUU Artist of the Year Finalist 2025.