

#### OBJECTIVE

To work within the commercial production industry through an advertising agency, production company or marketing department of a corporation.

### PREVIOUS PROJECTS

**DR. PEPPER** | PRODUCTION ASSISTANT | MAR 2017 Production Company: charlieuniformtango (Dallas, TX) Social Media Spot, :15 - Dir. Lan Freedman

MARY KAY | PRODUCTION ASSISTANT | FEB 2017 Production Company: charlieuniformtango (Dallas, TX) Spot, :60 - Dir. Jason Burks

RAISING CANE'S | PRODUCTION ASSISTANT | FEB 2017 Production Company: charlieuniformtango (Dallas, TX) Spot B-Roll - Dir. Lan Freedman

**TEXAS RANGERS** | PRODUCTION ASSISTANT | JAN 2017 Production Company: charlieuniformtango (Dallas, TX) *Trafficked Super Bowl Spot, :30 - Dir. Lan Freedman "Take Jeff Out to the Ball Game"* 

"MALLSOFT" | 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR | DEC 2016 Short, Drama/New Media - Dirs. Mark Kerins & Elliot Mayen

**STORIES** | 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR | NOV 2016 Short, Drama - Dir. Jessica Cole

**DADDY'S LITTLE GIRL** | 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR | OCT 2016 Short, Comedy - Dir. Greg Pauley

ACHIEVA | PRODUCTION ASSISTANT | JUN 2016 Production Company: Company Man Studios (Tampa, FL) Trafficked Spots, :30 - Dir. Brandon Ransbottom

**SWIPE RIGHT** | 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR | APR 2016 Short, Dark Comedy - Dir. Brian Ide

**BUFFET** | BOOM OPERATOR | MAR 2016 Short, Comedy - Dir. Rachel Wilson

BABA YAGA | 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR | DEC 2015 Selected for Dallas VideoFest 2016, IndieWise FF, Frame4Frame FF Short, Drama - Dir. Cydney Cox

MISSING | 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR | NOV 2015 Selected for Dallas International Film Festival 2017 Short, Drama - Dir. Brian Mbipeh

**SAMUEL ADAMS** | 2ND ASSISTANT CAMERA | OCT 2015 Spec Spot, :60 - Dir. Icé Mrozek

**POCKET WATCH** | DIRECTOR OF PHOTOGRAPHY | MAR 2015 Short, Comedy - Dir. Ferris Shaheen

LUCKY | DIRECTOR OF PHOTOGRAPHY | NOV 2014 Selected for Dallas International Film Festival 2015 Short, Drama - Dir. Paker Smitherman

**LEGACY** | PRODUCTION ASSISTANT | JUN 2014 Feature, Drama - Dir, Rachel Wilson

A FULL LIST OF PROJECTS CAN BE FOUND AT WWW.RYANBLITZER.COM

## **EDUCATION**

#### SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY

Masters of Arts, Popular Film & Media Studies, 2017 Bachelor of Fine Arts, Film & Media Arts, 2016, GPA: 3.73 Bachelor of Arts, Advertising, 2017

### CLIENTS









# SELECTED DIRECTING PROJECTS

GRIFFIN'S SONG | BRANDING | 2 MIN

Feb 2017 - work with Brazen Animation and non-profit Kidlinks

PIECES, THESIS - SHORT | 20 MIN | DRAMA Complete Dec 2016 - Film Festival Submissions

**SPEC COMMERCIALS** | SAMSONITE, WII U, BUMBLE Post-Production - Submission to Advertising Competitions

**REVEAL**, SHORT | 10 MIN | DRAMA **Selected for Palm Beach Int'l FF, Won Award of Merit at IndieFest** *Mar* 2014

**48 HOUR FILM PROJECT** | SHORTS | 5-7 MIN Competed in three races in FL between 2014-2016

# SKILLS & SPECIALTIES

- Directing story-driven, big-picture thinking
- 1st AD shooting schedules, shot lists, locations, budgets, safety, working on time-crunch
- Advertising commercial productions, short timeframes
- Camera DSLR, RED, FS7
- FX chroma key
- Grip Kino, ARRI
- Audio production mixing
- Software Final Cut X/7, Adobe CC (Premiere, Photoshop, After Effects, Illustrator), Media Composer/Pro Tools, Mac/PC

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