

RICARDO BOUYETT

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Columbia College Chicago (2015)
Bachelors of Arts in Commercial Photography

Professional Experience

Freelance Filmmaker/Writer

August 2014 - Current

Self-Employed - Chicago/Aurora, IL

Worked as a director, producer, cinematographer, editor, and screenwriter for client-based work as well as independent projects. Successfully managed varying crowdfunding campaigns for self-produced film projects spanning between 2015-2020 that can be found on my website and have been featured on online platforms and film festivals.

LYT - Living Your Truth DocuFilm

March 2017 - Current

Creative Director - Chicago, IL

I'm responsible for creating the visual language of the production. This includes creating treatments, shot lists, and scouting locations for days of filming along with managing a team of creatives that can handle both the logistics and creative sides of production. I execute the producer's vision and film throughout the course of production. In addition to this I'm also the main editor of the production and oversee every editing session to ensure it fits the producer's needs.

VAM Studio

September 2017 - October 2017

Freelance Part-time Editor - Chicago, IL

I was responsible for executing the rough and final phases of post-production for VAM Studio's editing work on Calid B.'s music video for his song "Gold". I was in charge of sequencing and special effects on the project.

YEP ROC RECORDS

January 2017 - June 2017

Freelance Music Video Director - Remote Job In Chicago, IL

Held a position that was responsible for seeing through production for folk band Mandolin Orange's music video for their single "Take This Heart of Gold". I was in charge of pre-production all the way through to post-production where editing partner Matt Carter finalized the final music video.

COLUMBIA COLLEGE CHICAGO

March 2014 - May 2015

Photo Studio Aid - Chicago, IL

Assisted CCC Photo Studio Faculty staff with equipment rentals and in-studio workshops. Cleaned up studio inventory, performed troubleshoots for students & faculty, assisted in lighting demonstrations. Responsible for providing students with any assistance from software fixes to studio production set-up.

ACCOLADES

Exhibition Shows/Magazine Features/Interviews/Film Festivals

Wondrous Indeed Group Show 2014
The Columbia Chronicle 2014
Whim Magazine 2014
Flesh & Bone Magazine Vol. 13
Estereotipo Magazine Third Edition
Cross Connect Magazine 2015
Manifest Urban Arts Festival 2015
See Me Exposure Award 2015
Hooligan Magazine August Issue 2016
Piano & Coffee Artist Interview 2016
Off-Kilter Magazine 2016
Beautiful Bizarre Magazine 2017
Heads Up Guys Mental Health 2017
Circus Magazine 2017
The Independent Magazine 2017
Folk Lifestyle Magazine 2017
Golden Boy Press 2017
Indiefilm Minute 2017
Newport Folk Festival 2017
EXPO Chicago 2017
SHOPColumbia Spotlight Exhibition 2017
Film Shortage Premiere Filmmaker 2018
Largo Film Awards Best Director Nominee September 2018
Lift-Off Global Network's Filmmaker Sessions 2019
Daily Short Picks - Film Shortage - 2019
Semi-Finalist Short To the Point ISFF Awards 2019
Semi-Finalist - Torino LGBTQI Visions 2019
Trifecta Dance Festival 2020
Micromania Film Festival 2020