# **Jacob Rafael**

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#### **EDUCATION**

### LYNN UNIVERSITY | School of Communications, Boca Raton, FL

**Expected May 2027** 

Bachelor of Arts in Film Production

**Relevant Coursework:** Digital Imaging, Film Appreciation, Documentary Film, Screenwriting, Cinematography, Motion graphics 2D, Lighting Practicum, Digital Video Editing, Audio Production

#### **TECHNOLOGY**

Video/Audio Editing & Graphics: Adobe Premiere Pro (After Effects, Photoshop), Final Cut Pro, Apple Motion Audacity Social Platforms: YouTube, Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, TikTok, Slack, Tumblr, Pinterest, Tumblr Camera Equipment: Canon C200, Panasonic AG-DVX200, Various DSLRs Content Creation and Management: Final Draft Microsoft Office Suite (Word, Excel, PowerPoint), Dropbox, Google Drive, Backgrounds

#### **EXPERIENCE**

# Echo Studios, Business Development Intern, Boca Raton, FL

March 2025 - Current

- Workshopping more methods to help finance Echo Studios
- Suggesting and developing new social media strategies to boost clientele growth
- Field Marketing for potential clients and investors

## Learning Express Toys and Gifts, Marketing and Sales Associate, Boca Raton, FL

May 2024 - Current

- Produced series of short videos to showcase new toy product on TikTok and Instagram.
  1500 views and the other has 800 views
- Developed and implemented social media strategies to enhance toy store's online presence and engage target market.
- Invited customer to follow social media platforms during their store customer experience.
- Developed and implemented creative strategies to enhance social media engagement, working collaboratively with store management to ensure alignment with business objectives.
- Monitored and evaluated social media engagement and reach through detailed spreadsheet analysis, delivering actionable insights to optimize future campaigns.

## RAFCO Properties | Custodial and Maintenance Porter, Saint Louis, MO

June 2019 - Aug 2023

- Began working at age 14 during weekends/summers providing janitorial service for Class A corporate business campus.
- Interacted with tenants attending to customer maintenance needs.
- Inventoried cleaning supplies and used iPad to record summary for management.
- · Stocked and sanitized restrooms, emptied garbage cans, and operated industrial cleaning equipment.

### FILM PROJECTS/EXPERIENCE

**Film Production Open Genre Class Project (Spring 2024)** | Used Final Cut, Adobe Photoshop, and After Effects to create Stop-Motion LEGO short film. Built film script, developed shot list, and included soundtrack.

**Film Production Class Narrative (Spring 2024)** | Wrote short film script based on self-created LEGO Stop-Motion video. **Audio Production "Car Commercial" Project (Spring 2024)** | Created promotional videos for car dealerships.

**Lynn University Student Short Film (Spring 2024)** | Volunteered as Production Assistant for Lynn University student short film, handling food and water delivery, equipment management, and on-set needs.

## **Independent Films:**

- Created 2- and 4-minute LEGO Stop-Motion video and formed narrative based off Marvel Cinematic Universe.
- Created 1-minute LEGO Stop-Motion video of recreated scene from popular Disney+ Series: The Mandalorian.
- Created 3 ½-minute LEGO Stop-Motion video of recreated scene from Marvel film: Iron Man 3.

### **COLLEGIATE INVOLVEMENT**

**GAME CLUB | Member** 

February 2024 – Present