

Matthew Kourie

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Profile

Proficient and passionate Audio Producer and Composer with an extensive background in digital audio production, music composition and Voice Over for TV, web and radio.

Objective

To be a part of a team, drawing upon my experience in multi-media production, creating compelling music, sound design and mix-down for a successful and growing audio post house or content development company.

Skills

Digital audio and synchronization MIDI application and sequencing. Music composition and sound design. Tracking, editing and mixing music/dialogue. Voice Over talent and producer. Location sound recording.

Software

Digi-Design Pro Tools, Steinberg Nuendo/Cubase SX, Emagic Logic, Bias Peak, Fairlight Mfx-3, Propellerheads Reason/Recycle.

Hardware

Digital and Analog Mixing consoles, MIDI control surfaces, Microphone selection and placement, Studer D-9505 mk2, SSL 6000/G series automation, NEVEVR and Flying Faders automation.

Experience

Professional Performer/Instructor, 2002-present

Director of band and rehearsals, original and cover material. Instructor of guitar and band lessons.

Guitar Center, Carle Place, NY

Sales Associate: November 2009- Present

First Associate in company history to be top salesperson within first month of hire. Trained to become Expert Certified in department of Sales. Steadily ranked #1 for the year on achievements and sales across the board.

Moda Entertainment, New York, NY

Audio Editor/Voice Over Talent: April 2008- April 2009

Edit Weekly Icons Radio Hour one hour programs from start to finish. Work with writing staff and producers to fulfill finished product. Voice Over Talent for Icons Radio Hour; Episode William Wyler, June 22, 08'. Secured advertising sponsor by performing voice over spot for Donruss America.

Nice Shoes, New York, NY

In House Promotion: September 2004- November 2006

Composed exciting original music as multi-instrumentalist for series of spots. Implemented attention grabbing sound design and voice over to animations. Completed final mixes under tight deadlines and met quality expectations. Managed project, directed shoot and performed all post production duties. Ran technical setup at High Definition seminars for parent company Nice Shoes.

Education

Ex'pression College for Digital Arts, Emeryville, CA

Associate of Applied Science: Sound Arts January 2000-April 2002.