

# JOSEPH LOPEZ

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## ACCOMPLISHED PHOTOGRAPHER

### SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

Focused, results-driven professional with over 20 years of experience working within fast-paced environments in the art and entertainment industry, with an emphasis on detailed plans, productive operations, motivational team management, and superior service to clients. Innovative and self-motivated leader who excels at creating customized solutions for clients, colleagues, and the company as a whole. Demonstrated ability to effectively work on projects on a collaborative as well as a managerial level. Strong communication skills, serving as a liaison, coordinator, and manager. Successful record of accomplishing set objectives.

#### Experience in:

Photography (Location on set photographer, Editorial, Fashion, Magazine, Product, Music) • Videography (Corporate, Entertainment)

Planning, Scheduling, and Coordination • Team and Operations Management • Production • Results Analysis  
Collaboration with Artists and Managers • High Volume Communications • Special Projects and Assignments

### EXPERIENCE AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

#### Photography

- Served as a Personal Photographer to music artists Bruce Springsteen and Clarence Clemons since 1996, shooting all live shows, rehearsals, portraits, and still photography on music videos and portraits, b roll. Bruce Springsteen Rolling Stone cover and inserts as well as Dvds, Cds, merchandise, Grammys behind the scenes and rehearsals, [www.brucespringsteen.net](http://www.brucespringsteen.net),
- Exhibited photographs at art exhibits in Miami, in magazines that include Rolling Stone, Billboard, Pollstar, New Yorker, New York Times, Ocean Drive, and Surfers Journal, and dvds and websites for Bruce Springsteen, Bob Seger, Hendrix Experience, Austin City Limits, Clarence Clemons, Hank Williams Jr., Tom Morello, Eddie Veder, Ray Manzarek, Robby Krieger, and Motor Head, Neil Young and Stephan Stills...
- Performed fashion shoots for Miami Next Model Agencies, Wilhelmina, and Ford Model Agencies.
- Worked as a Wedding Photographer for Town and Country and Blake Spurling Photography in Fort Lauderdale.
- Managed a rental house on Miami Beach for Splash Light Studios and Focus Studios, with responsibility for producing local and out of town photoshoots as well as maintenance for all camera and lighting equipment.
- Worked at Film Trade Miami. Location photography, grip house, rental as well as driving a 10 ton truck.

#### Film and Videography

- Scheduled, coordinated, and produced shoots for Lil Stevens Underground Garage, Jimmy Vaughn, Tyrone Vaughn, Nico McBrane (Iron Maiden), the Halftime Super Bowl Show with Bruce Springsteen, Monday Night Football, Road Life - Old Route 66, Michael Franti, and Soja.
- Freelanced as a Boom Operator, Video Assist, and Grip for commercials for The Home Depot, Univision, Nokia, Pepsi, Coca Cola, Master Card, Comcast, golf commercials, movie trailers, and Jay Z and Timbaland music videos.
- Served as the Videographer for the Winter Music Conference in Miami in 1998, 2000, and 2005.

#### Production and Stage Management

- Worked for the National Academy of Recording Arts and Sciences (NARAS) to schedule, coordinate, and direct crews and operations involved in rehearsals and shows with artists that included Julio Iglesias, Barry Gibb, Allman Brothers, Lonesome Dave of Foghat, David Lee Roth, and KC from KC and the Sunshine Band.
- Managed stage crews and operations for Cameo/Larry Blackmon from 1997 until 1999.

#### Road and Tour Management

- Managed road and tour operations for Bruce Springsteen, Lou Gramm with Foreigner, Charlie Daniels Volunteer Jam, Billy Dean, Suzy Bogguss, John Berry, Lil Stevens Underground Garage, and Ray Manzarek and Robby Krieger of The Doors.
- Handled off-tour duties such as photography, studio work, warehouse maintenance, and event attendance to a Lady Gaga Video (as Clarence Clemons' Personal Assistant), Hank Williams Jr. Monday Night Football taping, and Rock and Roll Hall of Fame Ceremonies.

#### Musical Instrument Technology

- Served as Horn Technician for Clarence Clemons, Piano Technician for Neil Young and Stephen Stills, and Guitar/Bass Technician and Maintenance for Bruce Springsteen, Foreigner, and Bob Seger Tour.

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### **ACCOMPLISHED PHOTOGRAPHER AND VIDEOGRAPHER**

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

**Photographer, Videographer, Road/Tour Manager, Technician** | Jo Lopez | Nationwide **1989 – Present**

Built a respected business working with well-known artists, bands, magazines, newspapers, websites, television programs, and companies to produce professional photographs and videos as well as managing tours and maintaining instruments and equipment while on tour.

**Crew Chief, Load Master, and Instructor** | American Airlines | New York, NY and Miami, FL **1987 – 1999**

Trained, scheduled, and managed teams of up to 150 members while directing operations for loading, push back, ground to cockpit communication, and ramp services to ensure on time delivery.

#### **EDUCATION, TRAINING, AND CERTIFICATIONS**

**Photography Dark Room** | Broward Community College

**Art Major** | Lehman High School

**Crew Chief, Load Master, and Ramp Service Instructor** | American Airlines

#### **TECHNICAL AND COMPUTER SKILL SET**

Windows and Mac Operating Systems

Publisher

Adobe Photoshop

Web-based tools and applications for online research and communications

#### **LANGUAGES**

Bilingual in Spanish and English.

#### **REFERENCES**

Excellent references and professional recommendations can be provided on request.