

Clinton Cornwell

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Education

Florida State University - 2013 | **Masters of Fine Arts – Film Production**

Conservatory style, production focused two year program, ranked as one of the best film schools by Hollywood Reporter

University of Nevada, Las Vegas - 2008 | **Bachelor of Arts – Film**

Traditional four year program with focus on academic theory

Teaching Experience

2015 - 2020 | **Instructor / Technical Assistant**

New York Film Academy - Burbank, CA

A leading film, media and performing arts college offering immersive undergraduate and graduate degree programs with campuses worldwide. Named by Variety as one of the 50 top global film schools.

FILM101 Director's Craft I

FILM181 Director's Craft II

FILM121 Digital Editing I

FILM131 Screenwriting I

FILM361 Music Video Production

2015 - 2022 | **Guest Lecturer**

University of Nevada - Las Vegas - Film Department

FILM 335 Professional Film Production Methods

FILM 338 Advanced Directing Workshop

FILM 432 Industry vs. Artistry in Film and Television

FILM 453 Co-Curricular Film Project

2012- 2013 | **Teaching Assistant**

Florida State University - College of Motion Picture Arts

FIL 2557r (2) Motion Picture Editing

FIL 3833r Film Styles

Creative Work

2022 | ***Killer in a Small Town* - Narrative Short Film - Horror (post-production)**
Director

True crime obsessed gay man, Will, is stalked by a masked killer during a first date

2022 | ***Birdsong* - Narrative Short Film - Horror (post-production)**
Director, Writer, Producer, Editor

Grieving the death of her father, Lily begins seeing him everywhere she goes

2021 | ***JPB* - Narrative Feature Film - Horror (post-production)**
Director, Writer, Producer, Editor

A young couple quarantining during the pandemic slowly go insane.

2021 | ***12 Months* - Narrative Feature Film - Romantic Drama (post-production)**
Director, Writer, Producer, Editor

Filmed in real time over the course of a year, 12 Months is the story of a modern couple's first year together, told month by month in vignettes.

2020 | ***The Haunted* - Narrative Short Film**
Director, Writer, Producer, Editor

2017 | ***Webdriver Torso* - Narrative Short Film**
Director, Writer, Producer, Editor

2016 | ***Red + Yellow* - Narrative Short Film**
Director, Writer, Producer, Editor

2016 | ***Power Couple* - Narrative Short Film**
Director, Writer, Producer, Editor

2016 | ***Hollywood and Sunset* - Narrative Short Film**
Director, Writer, Producer, Editor

2014 | ***Kiss and Tell* - Narrative Short Film**
Director, Writer, Producer, Editor

2013 | ***A New Leaf* - Narrative Short Film**
Director, Writer, Producer, Editor

2012 | ***A Good Man* - Narrative Short Film**
Director, Writer, Producer, Editor

2011 | ***Munchies* - Narrative Short Film**
Director, Producer, Editor

2011 | ***Sarah Divided* - Narrative Short Film**
Director, Writer, Producer

2011 | **Dumb Boys - Narrative Short Film**
Director, Writer, Producer, Editor

2010 | **Bear and Sally - Narrative Short Film**
Director, Writer, Producer, Editor

2008 | **The Rose - Narrative Short Film**
Director, Writer, Producer, Editor

Awards and Screenings

2022 | **Official Selection** Cinequest Film Festival - *12 Months*
2022 | **Official Selection** Oxford Film Festival - *12 Months*
2022 | **Official Selection** Sunscreen Film Festival - *12 Months*
2022 | **Official Selection** Lighthouse International Film Festival - *12 Months*
2022 | **Official Selection** Philadelphia Independent Film Festival - *12 Months*

2022 | **Best Film Best Director Best Cinematography - Nominee** Sunscreen Film Festival - *12 Months*

2017 | **Best of Fest Las Vegas Weekly** Las Vegas Film Festival - *Hollywood and Sunset*

2016 | **Best of Fest Las Vegas Weekly** Las Vegas Film Festival - *Kiss and Tell*

2016 | **Best Nevada Filmmaker Short Film** Las Vegas Film Festival - *A New Leaf*

2014 | **Best Short Film** Rochester International Film Festival - *A New Leaf*

2014 | **Best Short Film** Central Florida Film Festival - *A New Leaf*

2011 | **Best Acting** UNLV Spring Flix - *Sarah Divided*

2017 | **Dances With Film Festival**
Short Film Hollywood and Sunset

2017 | **Dam Short Film Festival**
Short Film Hollywood and Sunset

2016 | **Dances With Film Festival**
Short Film Kiss and Tell

2016 | **CineShorts NoHo**
Short Film Kiss and Tell

2015 | **Dances With Film Festival**
Short Film A New Leaf

2014 | **Dam Short Film Festival**
Short Film A New Leaf

2014 | **Rochester International Film Festival**
Short Film A New Leaf

2014 | **Las Vegas Film Festival**
Short Film A New Leaf

2011 | **UNLV Spring Flix**
Short Film The Rose

2017 | **Los Angeles Diversity Festival**
Short Film Hollywood and Sunset

2016 | **Las Vegas Film Festival**
Short Film Hollywood and Sunset

2016 | **Dam Short Film Festival**
Short Film Kiss and Tell

2015 | **Las Vegas Film Festival**
Short Film Kiss and Tell

2015 | **Hollyshorts**
Short Film A New Leaf

2014 | **Sedona International Film Festival**
Short Film A New Leaf

2014 | **Central Florida Film Festival**
Short Film A New Leaf

2011 | **UNLV Spring Flix**
Short Film Sarah Divided

2008 | **CineVegas**
Short Film The Rose

Clinton Cornwell Media Portfolio/Director's Reel

<https://vimeo.com/541816922/a0bcc2b46e>

All works in reel available for screening upon request.

Selected other works:

12 Months - Trailer - Mature Content

<https://vimeo.com/683570201/5a9ddf712b>

12 Months - Festival Screener - Mature Content

<https://vimeo.com/574690018/5bb7242505>

Hollywood and Sunset (2016) - Short Film

<https://vimeo.com/168146589>

Kiss and Tell (2015) - Short Film

<https://vimeo.com/135117253>

A New Leaf (2013) - Short Film

<https://vimeo.com/user5195466/aneuleaf>

Current Employment

2022 - Present | **Editor**

Light Up - Feature Documentary

Chronicles the stories of black LGBTQ+ people in the Atlanta area.

2022 - Present | **Cinematographer**

Good Old Fashioned Ghost Story - Feature Horror Film

A young man and his great aunt return to their family home to revisit their haunted pasts.

Professional Experience

2017 - Present | **Location Sound Recordist**

Freelance - Los Angeles Entertainment Industry

Expert in professional audio recording techniques for commercials, documentaries, and films

2020 | **Curated**

Short film

2020 | **Fine Brother Entertainment**

Youtube sketch series

2020 | **IWYIM**

Short film

2020 | **Social Call**

Short film

2020 | ***Crazy Lady***
Short film

2019 | ***Wrightwood***
Short film

2018 | ***LinkedIn Talent Connect***
Corporate video

2018 | ***Beyond Meat***
Spec Commercial

2018 | ***Del Monte Meats***
Documentary

2018 | ***Untitled Steroid Documentary***
Documentary

2017 | ***Luma House Photography***
Event Production

2017 | ***Imaginary Girlfriend***
Sketch comedy

2017 | ***Starcadian Freak Night***
Music Video

Proficient Software Skills

- Avid Media Composer
- Adobe Premiere Pro
- Adobe Audition
- Adobe Photoshop
- Final Cut Pro
- Movie Magic Production

2019 | ***The Sea***
Short film

2019 | ***Chinatown Sketch***
Short film

2018 | ***12 Months***
Feature film

2018 | ***Mother Daughter Daughter***
Short film

2018 | ***Monkey's Paw***
Short film

2018 | ***Will You Not Neighbor***
Sketch comedy

2017 | ***Born This Way***
Short film

2017 | ***Intro to American Culture***
Short film

2017 | ***AARP Conference***
Corporate Video

Proficient Filmmaking Skills

- Post Production Audio
- Cinematography
- Grip + Electric
- Digital Camera Operation (RED, Alexa, Sony Alpha, Panasonic GH, Black Magic, Canon)
- Independent Film Distribution
- Location Sound Mixing/Recording
- Film + Video Editing