

ANDREW DALAN

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SUMMARY

Recent graduate with a foundation in media production, writing, and digital storytelling. Experienced in creating video content, editing audio and video, and adapting messaging to match organizational voice and goals. Eager to bring creative and technical skills to a production or communications team.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Children's Advocacy Center of Hope (Non-Profit): May 2022-June 2025 – Belleville, IL

Office & Marketing Assistant

- Created promotional materials for outreach and marketing
- Redesigned and updated the organization's website
- Digitized and organized archival interview footage

SIUE Marketing & Communications Department: May-August 2024 – Edwardsville, IL

Communications Intern

- Researched and wrote articles covering university events and achievements
- Conducted interviews to incorporate diverse perspectives into storytelling
- Tailored writing style to match the university's voice and brand

AMC Theatres: January 2026-Present – Edwardsville, IL

Crew Member

- Supported team members in fast-paced operations across concessions, ushering, and customer service
 - Coordinated with crew to ensure theater turnover between showings
 - Assisted guests with directions, issue resolution, and overall service
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EDUCATION

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville | Graduated December 2024, Summa Cum Laude

Bachelor of Science in Mass Communications – Media Production

GPA: 3.9/4.0 | Dean's List, All Semesters

ACHIEVEMENTS & SKILLS

- NATAS 2026 Mid-America Student EMMY Award-Winner | Producer/Co-Editor "The Lesser Key"
- Second Place Selection – 2026 Friends of the Wildey Film Festival | Director/Writer "The Pitch"
- Foxtail Film Festival 2026 Official Selection | Producer/Composer "Proxy"
- Created weekly video content for *Global Village*, a student-produced show at SIUE, serving as producer, director, writer, editor
- Collaborated with peers and large crews to write, direct, and produce short films, documentaries, interviews, commercials, and PSAs
- Video and Audio recording/editing, Screenwriting, Camera operation, Lighting, Music composing
- Adobe Suite (Premiere Pro, Audition, Photoshop, Lightroom)
- Microsoft Apps (Word, PowerPoint, Excel)
- Final Draft 13, Canva, Logic Pro, Final Cut Pro