

OLIVIA BATTLES REAP

CASTING

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PROFILE

- Accomplished casting director and filmmaker with extensive expertise in casting for narrative films, music videos, commercials, and digital content.
- Possesses hands-on experience both in office settings and on-location, contributing to the success of union and independent projects.
- Recognized for a keen eye for visuals, strong problem-solving and organizational skills, coupled with a fervent passion for creative expression and innovation.

SKILLS

- FILM/ VIDEO PRODUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT
- PLANNING AND ORGANIZATION
- COMMUNICATION SKILLS
- LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT SKILLS
- CREATIVE DIRECTION
- BUDGETING AND BREAKDOWN SKILLS
- LOCATION SCOUTING
- CLIENT SERVICES
- PROFICIENT IN GERMAN

SOFTWARE

- MICROSOFT OFFICE
- MOVIE MAGIC SCHEDULING & BUDGETING
- ADOBE PREMIER PRO
- ADOBE PHOTOSHOP
- ACTORS ACCESS
- MONDAY.COM
- SAG FORMS

EDUCATION

- MA in Film & Television - Concentration: Producing
Savannah College of Art and Design, 2020
- BFA in Performing Arts, minor in Film
Savannah College of Art and Design, 2018
- Certificate in English and Performing Arts
Cambridge University, 2013

WORK EXPERIENCE

- **MALKA Media - S. Prod Coord/ Casting/ Influencer Manager** 2022-2024
Overseeing all aspects of production coordination and casting processes for seamless and successful project execution. Proven track record in managing complex logistics, budgets, and timelines while maintaining high quality and creativity.
- **Freelance, "Rapt" Short Film - Producer** 2023
Produced all elements for the film, including cast, crew, locations, and finances.
- **CBS- The Equalizer S2 - First Team Runner** 2021
Coordinated day-to-day logistics, managed production assistants, and served as a liaison between production teams.
- **Battles Studio & Casting - VIMANA** 2021-Present
Casted talent for films, music videos, & commercial work for Battles S&C clients. Created sides, breakdowns, & all other elements.
- **Law & Order: SVU S22 - COVID Admin. Manager** 2021
Planned and executed testing logistics for all production members. Enforced on-set COVID protocols to guarantee health and safety.
- **Nitrous.Ltd - Freelance Casting Director** 2020
Created sides, breakdowns, and organized submitted material for commercials and advertisement work.
- **Capital One - The Grey, Commercial - Production/ Locations** 2019
Organized logistics for production, locations, and transport. Collaborated with director and clients.
- **1/2 Productions LLC - Production/ Locations Coordinator** 2018
Organized auditions and materials for submission to the director. Produced all needed elements for the film.

CLIENTS

- Amazon Music, L'Oreal, Nitrous LTD, Yahoo-ITK, Bustle, Shark Ninja, ADP, Deloitte, etc...

SELECTED WORK

- RAPT, Short Film, Producer, 2023
Official Selection at Mammoth Film Festival
- SHARK BEAUTY SS, TVC, Casting, 2023
- ITK 2023 Social Media Series, Casting, 2023
- NINJA Wandvac/ Hydrovac SM Campaign, Casting, 2023
- NINJA Speedi SM Campaign, Casting, 2022
- REMNANT, Short Film, Producer/ Casting Director, 2021
Official Selection at over 10 Film Festivals worldwide
- Perfect, Short Film, Production Manager, 2020
Official Selection at over 5 Film Festivals Worldwide
- What We Always Wanted, Feature Film, Casting, 2019