**Louise MacKay**

**Contact Details**

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**Objective**

I am seeking an opportunity to develop and expand my existing skills and enjoy new experiences as well as to get hands on experience and contacts in the bustling screen production sector. I enjoy keeping busy and look forward to new and challenging work. I am honest, reliable, and hardworking, a quick learner, composed and well organised.

**Qualifications**

* Bachelor of Arts (Double Major in Film and Media Studies)

**Skills**

* Full NZ driving license.
* Customer Service, Cash handling, and Cost negotiating
* Barista, and Hospitality Experience (FOH/BOH)
* Microsoft office, and both Windows and Apple OS. (IT/Admin skills)
* DSLR Camera usage skills and knowledge
* Adobe creative suite (dominant with Photoshop and Lightroom, experienced with others) as well as other video editing software.
* Information/data management systems
* Critical Analysis and Strategic research
* Written and Oral presentation skills

**Experience**

**Good Times Company – Extreme Cake Sports Season 2 (Produced by Bevin Linkhorn)**

* Unit Assistant, Driver, Runner.

**FIFA Womens World Cup – Volunteer (Match Operations/Competition Functional Area)**

* Responsible for delivering critical Competition Operations during the Tournament, managing the Competition Areas, and working with Teams and Referees.
* Assisting FIFA’s Match Director, Match Co-ordinator, Commissioner, Competition Manager, and Competition Co-ordinator.

**Olympus Films Limited – Prince (Directed by Mason Cade Packer, Produced by Micah Winiata)**

* On Set Production Assistant, Driver, Runner.

**Weta FX – Contractor (Department Production Assistant - Motion) Dec 2021 – Oct 2022**

* Assisting in all aspects of the Motion department, responsible for aiding managers, co-ordinators, leaders, and artists in a timely, organised, and proficient manner for the department to make target dates and keep the flow of the VFX pipeline running smoothly.
* Working directly with Academy Award and BAFTA winners Daniel Barrett and Richie Baneham and VES awards winners and nominees, Stuart Adcock and Rebecca Leybourne.
  + **Projects Worked on:** 
    - Avatar 2, The Way of the Water (Directed by James Cameron)
    - Cocaine Bear (Directed by Elizabeth Banks)

**Powder Keg Farms Limited – X (Directed by Ti West, Produced by Jacob Jaffke)**

* Cast Driver

**Weta Workshop – Contractor (Technician/General Crew) Nov 2020 – Dec 2020**

* **Project worked on**: Lord of the Rings, Rings of Power (Amazon).

**Louise MacKay Creative – Creator Oct 2015 – Current**

* Using creative skills - Photography, design, videography, and other mediums of creative arts
* [Portfolio Link](https://www.facebook.com/LMCreative101)

**NZIFF (New Zealand International Film Festival) – Office Volunteer 2015**

**Private Film – Lip Service (Directed and written by Bernard Beckett) 2010**

* Boom Operator
* Extra

**POP Film – Choice Night (Directed by Christopher Dudman, Produced by Vicky Pope)**

* Extra

**Hobbies and Interests**

I am extremely passionate about the creative and performing arts, in particular interest in photography, videography, drama, art, design, writing, and animals, but most of all film.

I love being active, playing sport, competing, and mixing with different groups of people.

**Referees**

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