

# Jesse Rogala

### **Senior Video Producer & Multimedia Content Creator**

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Experienced multimedia professional with over a decade of creating compelling narratives across diverse platforms. Skilled at orchestrating seamless productions, both remotely and on-location, that captivate audiences with emotional depth and stylistic flair. Adept at aligning creative vision with client objectives, consistently delivering high-impact content that resonates and engages.

# **Professional Experience**

September 2023 -Present

### **Multimedia Director**

The San Francisco Standard, San Francisco, CA

- Lead creation and production of diverse video content, from daily short-form videos to long-form features
- Integrate multimedia experiences into website presentation, including custom illustrations, outshining competition in digital storytelling
- Manage both remote and in-person productions, coordinating talent, locations, and logistics
- Direct and coach on-camera talent, enhancing performance quality across various settings

March 2021 -September 2023

#### **Senior Video Journalist**

The San Francisco Standard, San Francisco, CA

- Implement innovative production techniques and technologies to maintain competitive edge
- Analyze performance metrics to optimize content strategy and audience engagement
- Joined as one of the first hires, helping establish the video department from the ground up
- Produced wide range of video content including news, features, and branded material
- · Developed and implemented best practices for video production workflows
- Transformed complex narratives into visually engaging stories across multiple formats
- · Mentored team members in various aspects of video production
- Contributed to content strategy, offering innovative ideas for integrated multimedia campaigns

August 2018 -March 2021

### Field Video Producer

Fortune Magazine, Manhattan, NY

- Pitched, produced, and directed short-form documentary content for Fortune's feature Enterprise team
- Collaborated with top magazine writers and editors to create premium videos and episodic docu-series
- Oversaw teams of freelance editors and videographers on multiple simultaneous productions
- Managed logistics for domestic and international shoots, ensuring high-quality content delivery under tight deadlines

September 2017 -August

2018

### Video Producer, Editor

Fortune Magazine, Manhattan, NY

- Produced and directed on-screen talent for current news coverage and longform investigative journalism
- Produced "On Leading with Susie Gharib", featuring interviews with top Fortune 500 CEOs
- Synthesized complex business topics into engaging, accessible video content and accompanying text

June 2014 -January 2015

#### **Editorial Producer**

Audible, San Francisco, CA

- Developed, wrote, and produced original storytelling series for various platforms, including podcasts
- Crafted scripts and social media copy for national ad campaigns, focusing on comedic and engaging narratives

### **Education**

June 2009

**Bachelors in Film** 

- July 2013

San Francisco State University, San Francisco, CA

# **Key Skills**

- · End-to-end video production: short-form, long-form, and live content
- Comprehensive producing skills: production management, creative vision, and logistics
- Hands-on directing: on-set cinematography and talent coaching
- · Advanced video editing and post-production
- · Content strategy development and audience engagement analysis
- · Cross-platform content optimization and distribution

## **Certifications**

June 2024

**FAA Part 107 Remote Pilot Certificate** 

Licensed to operate drones for videography and photography while abiding by operating requirements and safety procedures.

# **Awards and Recognition**

Fortune Magazine's "Most Memorable Interviews This Decade" (2019)

### 2023 California Journalism Awards

1st Place: Social Media Innovation Award, The San Francisco Standard 1st Place: Food Writing/Reporting, The San Francisco Standard

### San Francisco Press Club Awards

2023: 1st Place, Television/Video: Videography, The San Francisco Standard 2022: 1st Place, Digital Media: Videography, The San Francisco Standard 2022: Overall Excellence: Digital Media, The San Francisco Standard

### 2022 Editor & Publisher Awards

1st Place: Best News or Event Feature, The San Francisco Standard