PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Skilled storyteller keenly attuned to sensory details and surroundings. Adept at thoughtfully transforming observations into impactful artistic experiences; specializing in sound design and audio engineering.

An enthusiastic explorer always eager to experience new places, challenges and people.

Resourceful, positive and engaging professional known as a champion of both individuals and teams.

Sound Design Sound Effects Editing Foley Editing Field Recording Universal Category System SFX Library Curation Social Media Client Relationship Management Project Management

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Pro Tools | Logic Pro | Wwise | iZotope RX | Soundminer | Radium | Avid Consoles | MIDI | Synthesizers Universal Category System

Digital Pigeon | Slack | MASV | Asana | Monday | Box | Dropbox | Google Applications | Microsoft Office

AWARDS

2025 Emmy Award - Orion and the Dark - Sound Editor

2025 MPSE Golden Reel Nomination - Orion and the Dark - Sound Effects Editor

2025 MPSE Golden Reel Nomination - Jurassic World: Chaos Theory - Foley Editor

EXPERIENCE

Sound Rebels, Burbank, CA

Sound Designer, Sound Effects Editor Foley Editor, Post-Production Sound Intern Jan 2023 – present Jun 2022 – Aug 2022

Serve as right-hand to the Supervising Sound Editor at a studio focused on animated television and reality TV

- Build sound effects sessions, premixes, preps FX sessions for delivery to the mix stage and creates deliverables
- Establish and maintains all Sound Rebels editorial department templates
- Supervise foley editorial with tasks including creating foley spot notes, coordinating record days with contracted
- teams, calling out pick-ups, communicating workflow notes, and delegating assignments to junior editors
- Edited and designed sound effects for 7 TV series, 1 feature film, and 2 short films
- Completed 250+ episodes of sound effects and foley editorial, and ambience design

SFX Libraries

- Field record custom props, textures, ambiences and reference material
- Create show-specific sound asset libraries to maximize editorial efficiency
- Lead the in-house conversion of sound libraries to the Universal Category System

Client-Facing

- Serve as a client-to-studio liaison for asset, picture and session reception and delivery
- Manage @soundrebelspost social media accounts, expanding outreach and engagement by over 114%
- Organize and prepare specialty or homemade craft services for clients' final mix celebrations

Girls Rock! Rochester, Rochester, NY

Audio Technician and Videographer

Jun 2021 – Aug 2021

Interned at a non-profit music camp for girls and gender-expansive youth aged 5-17 years old

Video Producing

- Planned, storyboarded and executed video production for the 10th Annual GR!R Showcase (TRT: 58 minutes)
- Captured and edited high quality video and audio for 5 music videos, 8 highlight montages and 5 interviews
- Designed and animated transitional and informative graphics with Adobe Premiere and Canva
- Accurately transcribed audio content and added precise closed captions to guarantee accessibility

Sound Recording

- Managed set-up of all instruments, effects pedals, amplifiers, cables, and microphones
- Operated live sound during daily rock band rehearsals
- Recorded demos for 4 bands alongside audio engineers from Geneva Sound Factory

Grace Stensland

Sound Designer | Emmy Award Recipient

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Promotional Content

- Conceptualized, wrote and performed voice-over, photographed and edited a 1-minute-stop motion video, including frame-by-frame adjustments and synchronization with sound and music
- Designed social media posts and video content for Instagram Reels and TV, Facebook and TikTok to promote the "10k for 10 Years" fundraising campaign

EDUCATION

University of Rochester Rochester, NY

B.A., Film and Media Studies, Magna Cum Laude - December 2022

Minor in Audio and Music Engineering - Recording and Sound Design (50%+ coursework)

- Teaching Assistant for Sound Design and Audio for Visual Media courses
- Audio Engineering Society, Undergraduate Film Council's Audio Specialist