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Reese Manross

Professional Summary

Creative and driven University of Arizona graduate with hands-on experience in directing, screenwriting, cinematography, editing, and acting. Produced and contributed to multiple short films, music videos, and documentaries while developing strong storytelling, communication, and leadership skills. Combines creative vision with professional experience in public speaking, marketing, and team collaboration to bring ideas to life.

Experience

Films

10/2024 - Current

- ["He loves me, He loves me Not"](#) Director, Screenwriter, Cinematographer, and Editor.
- ["Drift" Music Video](#) Director and Screenwriter.
- ["Rain v Sunshine"](#) Director, Screenwriter, Cinematographer, and Editor.
- ["Red Bath"](#) Director, Screenwriter, Cinematographer, and Editor.
- [Experimental Final Film](#) Director, Screenwriter, Cinematographer, and Editor.
- ["I am Film"](#) Director, Screenwriter, Cinematographer, and Editor.
- ["Bubble"](#) Director, Screenwriter, Cinematographer, and Editor.
- ["Party in The Desert"](#) Director, Screenwriter, Cinematographer, and Editor.
- ["TSIN"](#) Costume and Production Design.
- ["Face to Face,"](#) Boom Operator.
- ["Celaine" Music Video](#) Acted as "Celaine."
- ["Nostalgia-thon '99,"](#) Acted as "death."
- ["Jane and John,"](#) Acted as "Jane."

Arizona Board of Regents - Regents Cup Competitor

Tucson, AZ

12/2025 - 03/2026

- Competed in the Annual Speech and Debate competition hosted by the Arizona Board of Regents.
- 1 out of 4 people to represent my University.

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Websites, Portfolios, Profiles

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- <https://youtube.com/@reesemanross?si=R3Z-oVpMgppGtgiU>
- <https://vimeo.com/user253858952?fl=pp&fe=sh>

Education

05/2026

University of Arizona, 3.5 GPA

Tucson, Arizona

Bachelor of Arts: Communication, minor in Film and Television

- Relevant Courses: Cinematography, Advanced Public Speaking, Editing, Business in Film
- Studied abroad at IAU (International American Universities) in Barcelona, Spain, Spring 2025.

05/2022

Corona Del Sol High School, 3.7 GPA

Phoenix, Arizona

High School Diploma

- Varsity Indoor and Beach Volleyball with a Final Four Finish at State Championships.
- Humanities Course across Europe, studied art history, religion and philosophy.

- Over the course of 4 months, we prepared and memorized 10-minute-long stories about an event in our lives, relating to the theme of liberty and responsibility.

[Regents Speech Attached](#)

JusCollege - JusCollege Communication Representative

Tucson, Arizona

11/2024 - 08/2025

- Promoted JusCollege opportunities through Greek Life and Social Networking.
- Group sales exceeding 200.

Rick Wamer - Teacher's Assistant

Tucson, AZ

08/2024 - 12/2024

Acting 101

- Presented & lectured on various acting techniques and history.
- Led acting warm-ups and activities.
- Collaborated on classroom curriculum.
- Received 1:1 mentoring from the leading theater professor.

UCLA Summer Institute Program

Los Angeles, CA

07/2023 - 07/2023

Student: Voice-Over and on-Camera Acting

- Built a demo reel of voice-over acting for animations and commercials.
- Directed and filmed a short film, with a strong monologue performance.
- Learned proper breathing skills to project a strong voice with emotional influence.
- Studied and performed Shakespeare's iambic pentameter monologues.

Affiliations

- Pi Beta Phi (Sorority)
- Delta Kappa Alpha (Cinematic Arts Society)
- Elevation Ski Club (Ski and Snowboard Club)
- Chandler Service Club (Philanthropist)
- East Valley Juniors Volleyball Club

Skills

- Public Speaking
- All Adobe Creative Cloud Applications (Premiere Pro, Lightroom, etc.)
- Promote, advertise, and connect people to opportunities
- Assist and manage work
- Know the right format for Storytelling and how to keep people engaged
- Director
- Screenwriter
- Cinematographer
- Actress
- Boom Operator
- Editor