

# Amara Mesnik

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## Experience

### **Video Content Coordinator - BBC Studios, New York, NY**

September 2018 - present

- Project manager for DVD & Blu-ray production of all BBC shows distributed in the US & Canada, as well as manager of DVD production lists for Global Operations dept.
- Edits, conforms, and delivers clips, trailers, and assets for use in DVD production as well as other departments and BBC America broadcast use.

### **Freelance Filmmaker - New York, NY**

2014-present

- Shooting, editing promotional & testimonial videos for various clients
- Works on sets of various projects ranging from commercials and music videos to documentaries. See Film Production Experience below.

### **Media & Marketing Consultant - The 2.0 Collective, New York, NY**

June 2018 - August 2018

- Conceived and implemented creative work on website for Clean, a new dry cleaning service. Wrote copy for website, organized and took photos for site, and developed marketing and media strategy for beta test and official launch of company.

### **Documentary Unit Intern - CNN, New York, NY**

January-April 2018

- Conducted research, fact-checked scripts, transcribed videos, gathered & logged archival footage, and assisted with interview shoots

### **Operations Intern - BBC Studios, New York, NY**

May-December 2017

- Prepared and delivered digital content for distribution on streaming platforms
- Contributed to global operations tasks including video editing, setting up and filming interviews, and updating metadata

### **Video and Communications Intern - Charles River Associates, Boston, MA**

June-August 2016, January 2017

- Filmed, edited videos about company for internal and/or external use
- Edited articles, blog posts and newsletters, monitored social media for internal communications and public relations

### **Multimedia Intern - Robot Locomotion Group, CSAIL, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Cambridge, MA**

May 2014-February 2017

- Shot, edited short documentary, robot demonstration videos, videos published to IEEE website. Graphic design of software logo, figures.

### **Film Production Experience (Production resume upon request)**

- Experience: Director, DoP, 1st AC, 2nd AC, Gaffer, Grip, PA, Editor, Sound Designer

### **Personal Film Portfolios**

<https://www.youtube.com/c/AmaraMesnik> (complete portfolio)

<https://vimeo.com/amaramesnik> (incomplete portfolio)

## Education

### **New York University - Tisch School of the Arts - Class of 2018**

GPA: 3.90 Major: Film & Television (BFA) Minor: Molecular and Cell Biology  
Summa Cum Laude

### **FAMU International - Fall 2016**

Study abroad program with NYU in Prague, Czech Republic  
Directing and cinematography on 35mm film

## Skills

- Programs: Adobe Premiere Pro, Final Cut Pro 7 and X, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Flash, Adobe AfterEffects, Adobe Illustrator, Pro Tools, Davinci Resolve, Avid
- Worked on sets with 35mm and 16mm analog film
- Proficient in Spanish, learning German