



Janhavi Asthana

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Pyar ka Punchnama 2

Nov 2014 — Jan 2015

Camera Intern

Worked under Mr. Sudhir Chaudhary, Director of Photography for the film, on the Mumbai and Delhi schedule.

Maska Pav Productions

June 2015 — Aug 2015

Assistant Producer

Worked in the creative team, as a content producer.

Living Foodz

Sep 2015 — Feb 2015

Associate Producer

Worked as a creative for two short format food shows- 'Just Like That' and 'Superfoodz'

Worked in the creative team, as the Research Head and Assistant Producer in 'Ganga: The Soul of India'

Twister Films

Mar 2016 — Aug 2016

Associate Director

Worked for a documentary on Jat's demand for reservations and the subsequent riots

Manuj Sharma- Director

Sep 2016 — Sep 2016

Director's Assistant

This was an independent Ad Film project by the director, produced by Thriam LED lights

Medium Rare

Jan 2017 — April 2017

Creative/Reality Producer

I worked on India's first Food Truck reality show, for Living Foodz, as a Creative/ Reality Producer where apart from managing the floor I got videos to shoot independently.

India Times

June 2017 — August 2017

Writer & Chief Assistant Director

'The Rabbit Hole' is India Times' first web-series. I co-wrote the screenplay for it and worked as the Chief Assistant Director when it went on floor.

Only Much Louder

September 2017 — March 2018

Assistant Director, Post Producer

Two seasons of 'Son of Abish', which is a late night format talk show, with varied elements like- sketches, comedic short formats, interview with guests, performances, etc.

My major responsibilities included- Art and Creatives on set and assisting the Editor in post-production.

Studio 1 Productions

Nov 2018 — Nov 2018

Assistant Cinematographer

Assisted Alphonse Roy on this short awareness film on child sexual abuse- 'Meow'

Supernova

Aug 2020 — Aug 2020

Production & Art Assistant

Worked as an assistant between the two departments on an independent project- narrative music video, in Prague.

Future Generali

March 2021 — March 2021

Gaffer

Worked as a gaffer on a hero story for Future Generali

Zee Cafe

March 2021 — March 2021

2nd Assistant Cinematographer

AC on a promotional shoot for a Zee show- Chef vs Fridge

Rumi Talent House

April 2021 — April 2021

2nd Assistant Cinematographer

AC on various ad films for Yodda App

Moksh Agarbatti

June 2021 — June 2021

3rd Assistant Cinematographer

Ac under Kiran Deohans for various ad films for Moksh Agarbatti

Emmay Entertainment

June 2021 — July 2021

2nd Assistant Cinematographer

AC on a web-series called 'Kaun Banega Shikharvati'

Pocket Aces

July 2021 — August 2021

Still Photographer

Worked as a photographer on the sets of 'Clutch', for their marketing integrations and promotional content

Green Grass Films

August 2021 — August 2021

1st Assistant Cinematographer

AC on two ad films for Google

INDEPENDENT WORK

- Big Rock Candy Mountain (Fiction Short) as Director
- I Want To Take A Breath That Is True (Fiction Short) as Director and DP
- Like A Gentle Breeze (Fiction Short) as DP
- Untitled (Fiction Short) as Director and DP

QUALIFICATIONS

Bachelors in Media Studies, Diploma in Advanced Cinematography

EDUCATION

Bachelors in Media Studies

June 2012 — April 2015

Symbiosis Institute of Media & Communication

Specialised in Audio-Visual

Advanced Cinematography

Jan 2019 — August 2020

Prague Film School

INTERESTS

Cinema

Food

Music