

KYLE SMITH

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Biography

Brooklyn-based filmmaker interested in philosophically and psychologically informed stories which expand the medium.

Projects (Short Films as Writer/Director)

God Is Not Dead (dir. Kyle Smith)

Writer, Director, Editor / In Post Production

UltraCommon (dir. Kyle Smith & Yi Xiwen)

Co-Director, Co-Writer, Actor, Co- Editor / In Post Production

Two Headed Boy (dir. Kyle Smith)

Director, Editor / May 2024

F12 (dir. Tobias Belliard)

Co-writer / May 2024

Aftertaste (dir. Bella Baynard)

Screenwriter / May 2024

Time Control (dir. Kyle Smith)

Writer, Director, Editor / Dec 2023

Experience (Collaborations and Crew)

14 Days With Valerie (dir. Caveh Zahedi)

Assistant Editor / May 2024- present

Assisted with editing Caveh Zahedi's in-progress feature film "14 Days With Valerie."

The Show About The Show – Season 3 (dir. Caveh Zahedi)

Assistant Editor, Actor / Feb 2024- present

Assist with editing and sourcing archival footage for Caveh Zahedi's TV show, *The Show About The Show*. Act in small roles.

The Tubs BK

Videographer / Dec 2022 - Present

Film session videos with various local and touring musical artists to be uploaded on The Tubs social media (YouTube, Instagram, etc.). Assist with lighting, set-up, and other production related needs.

Ulysses and I (dir. Caveh Zahedi)

Script Adaptation / June 2024

Adapted theater script to RadioPlay/Podcast format.

How Not To Teach a Class on Brechtian Cinema (dir. Caveh Zahedi)

Script Adaptation / May 2024

Adapted theater script to RadioPlay/Podcast format.

Val (dir. Bella Baynard)

Cinematographer / Dec 2023

Cinematographer on short film for 2-day shoot in Brooklyn, NY.

The Crack (dir. Tony Hsu)

Producer, Assistant Camera / Dec 2023

Producer and Assistant Camera on short film for 1-day shoot in Brooklyn, NY.

Education

M.F.A. in Cinema Arts / Feirstein Graduate School of Cinema

Housed in Steiner Studios in Brooklyn, NY.

Graduating Spring 2026 with a concentration in Screenwriting and Directing.

B.A. in Philosophy (minor in Psychology) / Cal Poly Humboldt

Arcata, CA

Graduated with honors; *Magna Cum Laude*; Awarded distinction of 'Presidential Scholar'

Produced an academic publication (*The Hemlock*, 2020) and presented at an academic conference (Western Undergraduate Philosophical Conference, 2020).