Luis Pedro Dantas

Citizenship

Brazilian/American

Computer Skills

Word, Photoshop, Illustrator, After Effects, Premiere, Final Cut, Cinema 4D, Davinci

Educational Experience

(2000-2005.1) Pontificia Universidade Católica do Rio de Janeiro PUC-RIO, Brazil B.A. in Industrial Design

Professional Courses

Direction of Photography - Academia Internacional de Cinema - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil - 2018
The Craft of the Cinematographer - Extension, UCLA - Los Angeles, USA - 2017
Graphic Design Studio II - Extension, UC Berkeley - San Francisco, USA - 2014
Communication and Design - Extension, California College of Arts - San Francisco, USA - 2014
Cinematography - Extension, New York University - New York, USA - 2012
Digital Composition - Extension, School of Visual Arts - New York, USA - 2011
Cinema 4D - Extension, New York University - New York, USA - 2011
After Effects Course, Escola Xyzero - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil - 2009
Video Editing and Post-production Course/Final Cut and After Effects, Escola ESPAI - Barcelona , Spain - 2009

Work Experience

Santa Rita Filmes – Post Production – São Paulo, Brazil – 2022/2023

Post Production Assistant for the feature films: A Menina que Matou os Pais: A Confissão
(Santa Rita Filmes/Galeria Distribuidora/Grupo TeleFilms), No Ritmo da Fé (Santa Rita Filmes/Sofa Digital), for the series:

Deu Bola (Santa Rita Filmes/Sesc TV) and Primavera nos Dentes (Santa Rita Filmes).

Short documentaries, "NC5", "A8" and "Travelling Adiante" by awarded director Lucio Branco - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil – 2019/2020 "NC5" – Responsible for lighting, operation of the camera in some scenes using a gimbal, supervision of post-production and subtitles. "A8" – Responsible for lighting, operation of the camera in some scenes, using a gimbal, and editing. "Travelling Adiante" – Editing and subtitles.

Novas Frequências Festival - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil - 2019
Worked operating the camera together with a crew for the official video of the event. Filmed music presentations using Sony A6500.

Short film, "Be a Hollywood Star", by Jefferson Vasconcelos (project for UCLA class) - Los Angeles, USA - 2018
Directed the photography in a couple of scenes and filmed a character inside a moving car using a DJI Osmo attached to it.

Short film, "Cover-Up", by Brooks Yang (for the conclusion of UCLA Bachelor's degree) - Los Angeles, USA – 2017 Helped the gaffer position flags, lights and carry equipment; the short movie used all of the latest set equipment.

Freelance - Motion Graphics, New York/San Francisco/Los Angeles, USA - 2012 to present
Motion Graphics Designer for a variety of clients, including:
Men's Wearhouse, Al Jazeera, Heineken and the California Academy of Sciences, among others.

Back Roads Entertainment - Motion Graphics, New York, USA - 2012 Created intro videos and other graphics for several Reality TV shows.

Crux NYC (intern) - Motion Graphics, New York, USA - 2011
Created and assisted in Motion Graphics projects for several different clients.

Coqueirão Filmes - Motion Graphics, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil - 2010
Assisted the Senior Video Editor, producing graphics and editing for fashion videos used by renowned apparel brands.

Freelance - Designer, Barcelona, Spain, 2007/2009
Freelance graphic design work for a variety of clients in Barcelona, Spain.

NGO Mundo Verde - Furniture Design with Bamboo, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil - 2005 Worked with three product designers to design and produce furniture and other bamboo products for low-income people.

> Grupo Estação de Cinema (intern) - Graphic Design, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil - 2001/2003 Designed movie posters, pamphlets and graphic pieces with a Senior Designer.

Languages

Portuguese - native language/English - native language/Spanish - fluent