#### Robert Hicks

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## **Education**

September 2018 - October 2020

College of the North Atlantic - Stephenville - Digital Filmmaking Graduate

September 2015-June 2018

Carbonear Collegiate, Carbonear - Grade 12

## **Skills**

During my college training I have acquired skills in screenwriting, camera operating, lighting/grip, directing and film editing. I have produced and directed a number of short films and acted in others. I have experience with word processing programs (MSWord and Apple Pages), Adobe Photoshop and film editing using Avid. I often use Social media and have my own YouTube channel where I post my films.

I am an enthusiastic, respectful, honest, friendly and positive thinking individual who is always looking for a new challenge. I am hard-working, physically fit and I am looking for a chance to work with others and be part of a team.

# **Volunteering/ Employment and Extracurricular Activities**

February 2021 – present

### Merchandise associate, Walmart Carbonear

- Stocking
- Organizing merchandise

November – December 2020

#### Retail Clerk, Dollarama Carbonear

- Cashier
- Stocking shelves with products
- General cleaning

October 2020

#### Blue Ice Pictures, St John's

• Background actor of "The Surrealtor"

September 2020

#### Location manager, College of the North Atlantic, Digital Filmmaking Program

• Planned, purchased, and set out a craft service table for a film shoot.

- Purchased special equipment such as tapes, flashlights, first-aid kits, mops, brooms, paper towels, etc.
- Ensured a safe work environment for cast and crew.

#### July – August 2020

## **Summer Camp Counsellor, Carbonear Recreation Complex**

- Planned and supervised recreational activities for youth.
- Created promotional videos.

### June - August 2019

### Residential lawn maintenance, Carbonear

• Mowed grass using ride-on and hand mowers and used a grass trimmer.

## July 2019

### Pope Productions, St. John's

• Background actor for "Hudson and Rex"

#### March 2019

#### Bay St. George sick children's foundation telethon, Stephenville

• Camera operator

## July 2018

### G&M Family Farm, Freshwater, Placentia Bay.

• Construction labourer.

## September 2014 - June 2018

### **Student Council, Carbonear Collegiate** - Spirit Team Member

- Represented my fellow students as a leader at my school.
- Helped organize and conduct fundraisers (Terry Fox, Christmas Craft Fair etc.) and rallies.
- Improved overall school spirit.

### Acting Lessons, St. John's Actor Studio, St. John's, NL-Student

- Attended lessons every week and performed in end of term performances.
- Gained acting skills in creating and performing skits and improv.

#### Guitar Lessons, Music Plus, Carbonear-Student

- Practiced daily and attended lessons once per week and performed in biannual recitals.
- Gained musical skills in both guitar, voice, and music theory.

#### Other volunteering and extracurricular include but are not limited to:

• Carbonear Collegiate basketball, baseball, soccer, and table tennis teams

- Canteen service at tournaments
- Avalon Badminton Team 2018 NL Winter Games
- Carbonear Collegiate Relay for Life 2018

## **Awards & Certificates**

- First Aid Certificate
- Traffic Control Certificate
- Firearms Certificate
- Bob French Memorial Scholarship, CNA, October 2020
- Michael Scott Memorial Scholarship, ASNL, August 2018
- John and Mabel Rourke Memorial Award, Carbonear Collegiate, December 2016, 2017 and 2018
- Best Actor Nomination NLESD Junior Drama Festival Carbonear Academy March 2014
- Best Play and Best Dance/ Fight Choreography, Regional NLESD Senior Drama Festival, March 2018

## **References**

Ms. Danielle Doyle Special Education Teacher, Carbonear Collegiate 709 746-8798 (cell) danielledoyle@nlesd.ca

Ms. Anne Whelan Music and Drama Teacher, Carbonear Collegiate 709 589-6224 (cell) annewhelan@nlesd.ca

Mr. Michael Fenwick Producer/Director/Editor, Fenwick studio (709) 649-6941 fenwickstudio@yahoo.com

Darryl Roy Manager, Dollarama Carbonear (709) 596-8625