# THEA BROOKS, FILMMAKER

#### STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

To collaborate with companies and individuals who are warm, driven, conscientious, and creative. To pursue growth with integrity and passion; to share what I know already with grace, joy, and humility...

## **EXPERIENCE**

PRODUCER/ WRITER

A Place on the Edge of Breath (2022, funded by Hulu) Dir. Veronica Rutledge, NOLA FF, Montclair FF, Bushwick FF (Audience Favorite Award)

Sun Valley (2019 short )

Dir. Rachel Frank. Brooklyn FF, Portland FF, Buenos Aires FF, San Fran Frozen FF, New Filmmakers NY FF

First They Came for My Mother (2019 short)

Dir. Rafael Alvarado. Offical Latino Film and Arts Fest, New Faces New Voices, L'HIFF, The TIde FF

The III-Made Knight (2018 short, also wrote)

Dir. Matthew Celia. Heartland FF, Albany FF (Audience Favorite Award), Richmond Environmental FF, WRIFF

DIRECTOR/ WRITER

This is He (2021 short)

Indy Shorts Academy Qualifying competition; Sunscreen, RiverrRun and Spokane Film Festivals, Honorable Mention Rhode Island and Miami Short FF, Audience Favorite at SSFF

**Deceieved** (2021, Music Video)

For Jeff Taylor, artist. Starring Michelle Veintimilla.

Coney Island August (2021 short)

Portland FF (w/Comcast Nationwide Screening), RiverRun FF, Montreal Int'l., Sunscreen Film Festivals, finalist at ARFF Paris

The Puzzle (2020, also edited)

Finalist at Austin Indie Fest, Dumbo FF, Miami Short FF, New Filmmakers NY, Big Apple FF

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Motiya (2023, dir. Saif Magbool) **Jejune** (2023, dir. Cassidy Batiz)

And an Angel Kiss in Spring (2022, dir. Andre Shen) Something I Need You To Know (2022, dir. Belu Poncio)

Holey (2022, dir. Bavly Soliman)

Works on Paper (2021, dir. Michael Barringer)

Thinking Abt U (2020, dir. Kat Mukai)

**ASSISTANT DIRECTOR** 

**Birds of Paradise** (2023, dir. Veronica Rutledge)

SOS (2023, dir. Astrid Andujar) The Decision (2022, dir. Jess Coles)

**Seeking Asylum** (2021, dir. Busra Coduroglu, Brooklyn FF)

**EDITOR** 

**Taste of the Yard** (2021-22)

Commercial series promoting the BK Navy Yard

Propel E-Bikes (2022)

Promotional videos for Youtube Channel



## **EDUCATION**

CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY BFA in Musical Theater/Acting 2007

FEIRSTEIN GRADUATE SCHOOL OF CINEMA MFA Candidate, Directing 2021

## **SKILLS**

Adobe Premiere Microsoft Suite Movie Magic software creative problem-solving communication/mediation

## **LANGUAGES**

French (conversational) Spanish (el mismo)

#### **INTERESTS**

Dance / Yoga / Pilates Horseback riding Piano + guitar Music composition Beat-boxing Travel / Languages Short Fiction / Poetry

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