

# NATHAN THOMPSON

PHOTOGRAPHER / MULTI-MEDIA CONTENT CREATOR

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## PROFILE

I'm driven by curiosity, creativity, and a deep appreciation for human experiences. Whether working behind a camera or collaborating on a team, I value storytelling, connection, and thoughtful execution. I bring an eye for detail and a passion for finding meaning in both everyday moments and big-picture ideas.



## EDUCATION

**BBA IN JOURNALISM AND  
MINOR IN MEDIA PRODUCTION**

University of Colorado / Boulder  
2020 - 2024 / GPA 3.89

### FOUNDER AND CHIEF PHOTOGRAPHER

Nathan Thompson Photography / Sept. 2019 - Present

- Curate a diverse portfolio of marketing materials to communicate my skills as a photographer and videographer.
- Responsible for establishing and maintaining client relationships through various avenues of engagement before, during, and after photo shoots.
- Implement set design, lighting practices, model coaching, and basic photography and videography practices.

### PHOTOGRAPHER AND VIDEOGRAPHER

Leeds School of Business / Apr. 2021 - May 2024

- Captured all marketing materials for the Leeds School of Business from April 2022 to December 2022
- Developed, shot, and produced the Leeds 2022 Undergraduate Brochure.
- Collaborated with staff writers and graphic design teams to establish and execute shared creative visions.
- Photographed high-quality images for various print and online media.
- Specially trained in digital asset management systems.

### VISUAL CONTENT EDITOR & CHIEF PHOTOGRAPHER

The Bold / Aug. 2023 - May 2024

- Ethical Photography and Videography Practices
- Orchestrated a small team of photographers and videographers in order to develop content for bi-weekly publications.
- Developed strict content schedules aligned with production deadlines.
- Responsible for a 250% increase in engagement on video content.

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## VOLUNTEER POSITIONS

**Chief Staff Photographer**

The Bold

**Concert Photographer**

Program Council

**Staff Photographer**

ROAM Fashion Magazine

## ACHIEVEMENTS

**HEARST JOURNALISM AWARD  
NOMINEE**

**SOCIETY OF PROFESSIONAL  
JOURNALISM MARK OF EXCELLENCE  
AWARD NOMINEE**

**STUDENT EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR  
NOMINEE - CU BOULDER**

**GRADUATED COLLEGE WITH  
DISTINCTION AND HONORS**

## SKILLS

Communication

Problem Solving

Time Management

Organization

Adobe Creative Suite

Brand Development

Copywriting and Storytelling

Visual Content Creation

Social Media Management

Microsoft Office & Google Workspace

## CO-FOUNDER AND CO-PRESIDENT

**CREO / Nov. 2022 - May 2024**

- Provided visionary leadership to steer the organization towards its objectives and ensure alignment with core values and principles.
- Oversaw the organization's financial operations, including budget development, expense management, and financial reporting. Identified opportunities for funding and grants, developed grant proposals, and cultivated relationships with institutional donors and sponsors to secure financial support.
- Cultivated relationships with local artists, arts organizations, community stakeholders, and cultural institutions to build partnerships and collaborative opportunities.
- Lead the planning and execution of the organization's signature products, including film festivals, magazine publications, and a bi-annual music festival/art gallery.
- Coordinated logistics, secured venues, managed vendors, and oversaw event marketing and promotion efforts to ensure successful and memorable events that attract diverse audiences.

## REFERENCES

**Erik Jeffries**

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