

# Despina Rizopoulos

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## EDUCATION

### **Oberlin College** — *Student*

(August 2020- present), (Oberlin, Ohio)

- Cinema and Media Studies major with a concentration in journalism.

### **Prague Film School** — *Student*

(January 2023- May 2023), (Prague, Czech Republic)

- Semester Student under the Documentary Program.
- **Relevant Coursework:** Cinematography, Audio, Editing, Painting with Light, Equipment Protocols.

## EXPERIENCE

### **StoryLens Productions, Oberlin** — *Fellow*

September 2022- December 2022

- Assisted in the development and research of current documentary film projects.
- Assisted film crew with set preparation, including sound equipment, lighting, and camera.
- Organized pre and post production materials.

### **Archer Gray, New York City** — *Development Intern*

June 2022- August 2022

- Reviewed and reported on intellectual property (screenplays, books) submitted to Archer Gray for potential adaptation into feature films and television series.
- Assisted in research related to current Archer Gray projects.

## CREW WORK

### **Director Of Photography/ Camera Operator**

- Short Film: *Actorman pt 2* (Prague Film School, Prague, Czech Republic)
- Short Film: *STIGMATA* (Prague Film School, Prague, Czech Republic)
- Short Film: *Over The Counter* (Oberlin, OH)
- Short Film: *Αστραφτερι Διαφανεια* (Oberlin, OH)
- Short Film: *Subnivean* (Falls Village, CT)

### **First Assistant Camera**

- Short Film: *Mad River* (Petrolia, CA)
- Short Film: *Actorman pt1* (Prague Film School, Prague, Czech Republic)

### **Editor**

- Documentary: *The American Friend* (Oberlin, OH)
- Short Film: *Αστραφτερι Διαφανεια* (Oberlin, OH)
- Short Film: *Vermillion* (Oberlin, OH)
- Documentary: *Science Behind See Memory* (New York City, NY)

## PORTFOLIO LINKS

**Cinematography Reel** — <https://www.despinarizopoulos.com/reel>

## SKILLS

- Organization, Media Management, Videography, Camera Operation, First Assistant Camera, Photography, Audio Mixing, Video Editing, Adobe Creative Suite, Avid Media Composer.