# **Chad Edward Wellinger**

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#### EDUCATION

## **Loyola Marymount University**

Los Angeles, CA

Master of Fine Arts in Screenwriting

May 2015

• <u>Relevant Coursework:</u> Elements of Screenwriting; Motion Picture Script Analysis; Adaptation; American Films 80s/90s; Writing the Feature; Writing for TV: Drama; Feature Film Thesis

Miami University Oxford, OH

Bachelor of Arts in Journalism & Creative Writing

Dec 2009

<u>Relevant Coursework:</u> Strategic Communications; Media Law & Ethics; Feature Journalism;
Nonfiction Journalism; Contemporary Literature, The English Novel; Advanced Fiction Workshop

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### **Loyola Marymount University**

Los Angeles, CA

Communications Specialist, Enrollment Management

2015 - 2023

- Craft multi-platform marketing content supporting EM strategic goals, recruitment and enrollment
- Development of new web properties, including creation of +250 feature stories, press releases, blogs, etc.
- Manage and curate content for the Undergraduate Admission blog and social media platforms
- Collaborate with various university offices and partners on cross-promotional projects, messaging

#### **Loyola Marymount University**

Los Angeles, CA

Graduate Assistant, Enrollment Management

2014 - 2015

- Supported EM Communications Manager with content development, project research and photography
- Facilitated launch of new web property by producing weekly feature stories highlighting student achievement
- Coordinated with all EM offices and external vendors on print, web and design orders

### **Mythology Entertainment**

Burbank, CA

Development Intern

2015

- Provided script coverage on five scripts per week for feature film and television consideration
- Assisted executive assistants with project research, phone coverage, scheduling, and other administrative tasks
- Compiled lists of potential writers, directors and actors for projects in active development

#### **Suburban News Publications**

Columbus, OH

Free-lance Reporter

2006 - 2011

- Wrote 12+ news and feature stories per week, covering the city, education and community life beats
- Assisted senior editors with research, fact-checking, photo requests and repurposing of press releases.

#### HONORS & AWARDS

Published fiction writer, Ellery Queen Mystery Magazine ("Dead Ringer")

Finalist for Best Screenplay, Creative Screenwriting Unique Voices Screenplay Competition (2021)

Finalist for Best Comedy Screenplay, Screencraft Comedy Screenwriting Competition (2020)

Miami University's Edward J. Montaine Junior Prize in English

Academy of American Poets Inductee

Dean's List

## SKILLS & LANGUAGES

Social Media Platforms (Instagram, Twitter, Facebook, Snapchat)

Versed in AP Style

Microsoft Office: Word, Excel, Photoshop

Conversational in Spanish

References available upon request.