DARRYL AKENS-VOICEOVER ACTOR

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Career Synopsis

Versatile and creative voice-over artist recognized for exceptional voice range and unique ability to imitate a vast array of voices. Possess a track record of overseeing voice projects ranging from narrating the Monster Jam Promo for the 2021 Series Championship to excelling in other voice-over projects. Proven ability to collaborate effectively with clients, directors, and producers to bring their creative visions to life. Committed to delivering high-quality, broadcast-ready recordings on time and within budget.

Areas of Expertise

Voiceovers | Narration | Commercial Voiceover | Voice Control | Articulation | Character Voices | Script Interpretation | Diction | Acting | Acting Improvisation | Audio Editing | Breath Control | Adaptability | Time Management | MS Office (Excel) | Data Entry

Voice-Over Credits

FELD ENTERTAINMENT: MONSTER JAM 2021 SERIES PROMO

Narrator/Voice-Over

Film Credits		
Loading (Post-Production)	Supporting	New York Film Academy/Arnav Shah,dir.
Mid City Dreamers (Post-Production)	Supporting	Justin Charles/Writer/Director/Producer

Professional Experience

DR. SQUATCH | Warehouse Associate | June 2022 - Present

- Certified Forklift Driver, tasked with overseeing sorting, loading, and unloading materials with precision and safety.
- Handle material processing, packing, and accurate shipping of orders, maintaining high standards of quality.
- Inspect items for defects and efficiently report issues, ensuring product quality and compliance.

FELD ENTERTAINMENT STUDIOS | Stockman | 2021 - 2022

- Delivered a professional, pro bono voiceover promo for Feld Entertainment in August 2021, recognized for exceptional vocal talent and promotional skills.
- Managed the receipt of merchandise, including unloading, unpacking, and organizing inventory using machinery;
 distributed products and materials effectively, while maintaining precise records of contracts.

Security Officer | 2020 - 2021

- Guaranteed the security, safety, and well-being of all personnel and visitors, alongside the protection of premises.
- Conducted comprehensive property patrols, monitored surveillance equipment, inspected buildings and equipment, and managed access points to ensure secure entry.

PUBLIX | Customer Service | 2020 - 2021

- Made public announcements; assisted patrons effectively; initiated returns and resolved customer issues to ensure high satisfaction levels.
- Managed cashier and checkout processes efficiently; collaborated proactively with management and floor workers to address and fulfill customer needs and requests.

Additional Experience

Lowes | Warehouse Associate | 2018 - 2020

FEDEX | Supply Chain | 2016 - 2018

MENZIES/CAS AVIATION | Customer Service | 2016-2016

PORT AIR CARGO | Export Agent | 2014 - 2015

CONCORDIA INTERNATIONAL | Freight Forwarding Export Agent | 2006 - 2014

SWISS PORT | Cargo Services Supervisor | 2004 - 2005

MERCURY AIR | Cargo Export Agent | 2000 - 2004

CARGO SERVICE CENTER | Import/Export Agent | 1992 - 2000

Education

- ACTING: BASICS OF IMPROV | THE GROUNDLINGS THEATRE AND SCHOOL | 2024
- VOICE ACTING COACHING | Marc Graue | 2024
- VOICE ACTING COACHING | Trish Basabyi | 2023
- VOICE ACTING: FOUNDATIONS; LEVEL 2; ANIMATION; DEMO PREP | Kalmenson & Kalmenson | 2023
- Certificate Import/Export Workshop | El Camino College
- HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA | Gardena High School