



## CHRISTOPHER SPENCER PRODUCER

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# HELLO

I have worked in the entertainment and commercial industry for ten years producing and managing promotional and documentary content. I have worked on projects around British Columbia and the Yukon and have travel-coordinated feature films operating in Seattle, New York, Berlin, Shanghai, Johannesburg, London, and Cheng-Du.

After graduating from the University of British Columbia in Film Studies, I pursued the excitement and potential that a career in film could offer. I worked with companies including Universal Studios, 20th Century Fox, Focus Features, Disney, Nickelodeon, as well as others, and in that time I experienced a wide range of roles from junior publicity to producing.

Currently I collaborate with the University of British Columbia's media team as a Producer of Creative Media in charge of research documentaries, and live-action video content in addition to recruitment videos. I manage promotional campaigns for multiple faculties from conception through delivery providing brand-consistent, exceptional quality both on-budget and on-time. I continue to do freelance work as a project manager and producer on photo shoots, commercials and long-format projects.

My career has provided me countless learning opportunities and rewarding experiences. A few key traits acquired over the years include:

- Strong interpersonal and communication skills while managing large teams
- Managing multiple priorities and schedules ensuring deadlines are met
- Strong business and professional ethics and team leadership
- Establishing positive working relationships with clients
- Excellent research skills
- Use of logic and methods to find effective solutions

Industry-related challenges have afforded me the experience of:

- Organizing travel for production in multiple cities and countries
- Working unions and contracts and non-union freelancer hires
- Communicating with Immigration Canada to obtain work permits
- Arranging press conferences, photo shoots, and interviews for high profile actors and directors
- Communicating with multiple publicists, managers, and agents
- Negotiating gear, crew, and location rates
- Hiring private security
- Arranging for private charter jets and helicopters

In the rare moments of free time I am an enthusiastic home-brewer, accomplished painter, avid outdoor adventurer, motorcyclist, and loving husband - with a few too many cats.

Yours sincerely,

**Christopher Spencer**



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### ABOUT ME

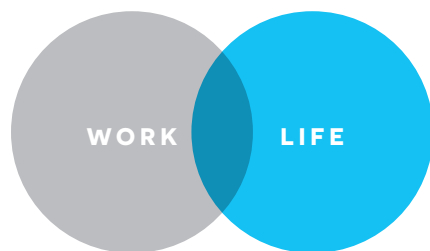
I have more than ten years experience working in the film and TV commercial industry, and I have held a variety of roles with increasing responsibility.

I am known to be highly-motivated, social, professional, and enthusiastic. I thrive in a fast-paced environment where efficiency, hard work, and resourcefulness are key to getting the job done well and on schedule.

### VALUES

**WORK:** I consistently expect and achieve satisfaction from the daily challenges of my work for intellectual and personal growth.

**LIFE:** Along with a rewarding career, I am equally determined to find fulfilment through a life of exciting experiences and adventures.



### TIMELINE

- 2013-CURRENT**  
**Freelance Producer**  
Multiple Companies  
Vancouver, BC
- 2013-2014**  
**Production Coordinator**  
Focus Features and more  
Multiple cities and countries
- 2010-2014**  
**Production Coordinator (tv commercials)**  
Multiple Companies  
British Columbia & the Yukon
- 2010-2014**  
**Producer Assistant & Promotions Coordinator**  
Long-Format Film  
Vancouver, BC
- 2007-2010**  
**Production Assistant**  
Long-Format & TV Commercial  
Vancouver, BC

### PERSONAL

<b>Name</b>	Christopher Spencer
<b>Birthday</b>	13th Feb 1985
<b>Relationship</b>	Married
<b>Nationality</b>	Canadian
<b>Born</b>	Toronto, ON
<b>Languages</b>	English

### CONTACT

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### WORK

<b>Experience</b>	10+ years
<b>Reference</b>	Available on request

### SOFTWARE

Microsoft Excel (v14)	<div></div>
Adobe InDesign (CC)	<div></div>
Adobe Illustrator (CC)	<div></div>
Adobe Premiere (CC)	<div></div>
DaVinci Resolve (v11)	<div></div>

### ONLINE

[raincityimages.ca](http://raincityimages.ca)

[cspencer.ca](http://cspencer.ca)

[vimeo.com/raincityimages](http://vimeo.com/raincityimages)

### SKILLS





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### WORK

#### MARCH 2014-PRESENT

##### PRODUCER - CREATIVE MEDIA

**University of British Columbia**, Vancouver, BC, Canada

I collaborate frequently with the University of British Columbia producing live-action campaigns, overseeing projects from conception through final delivery. Experience is also extended to motion graphic and animation videos for training and educational purposes.

**Skills:** *Budgeting, Management, Leadership, Scheduling, Multitasking, Communication*

#### 2013-PRESENT

##### FREELANCE PRODUCER - STILLS & MOTION

**Betty Knows Best & She Shoots, others**, Vancouver, BC, Canada

I have managed long format Gallery Shoots in addition to countless promotional shoots. I have also produced broadcast content for Telus in addition to the International Olympic Committee and others.

**Skills:** *Organization, Communication, Budgeting, Management*

#### 2013-2014

##### PRODUCTION COORDINATOR (FEATURE FILMS)

**Various**, Canada and Abroad

I coordinated worldwide travel for the feature films "50 Shades of Grey" and "Hector and the Search for Happiness" starring Simon Peg. Locations included: Seattle, New York, Berlin, London, Shanghai, Cheng-Du and Johannesburg.

**Skills:** *Professionalism, Communication, Organization, Anticipation of Needs*

#### 2010-2014

##### PRODUCTION COORDINATOR (TV COMMERCIALS)

**Various**, Canada and Abroad

While coordinating broadcast TV commercials my experience has been diverse, dealing with multiple agencies and clients in Vancouver and abroad, including but not limited to the Yukon, across British Columbia, and in Shanghai.

**Skills:** *Stress Management, Organization, Multitasking, Communication, Attention to Detail*

#### 2007-2010

##### PRODUCTION/PRODUCER ASSISTANT & OTHER

**Various**, Vancouver, BC, Canada

Starting in 2007 my film career began as a Production Assistant on the television show "Intelligence" and from it there snowballed. My roles varied from driver to office assistant and even occasionally 2nd Assistant Directing. I spent approximately four months assisting actor Steve Martin, and have spent a number of months assisting producers for Nickelodeon, Disney, and Pacific Bay Entertainment on various feature films.

**Skills:** *Alertness, Hard Work, Attention to Detail, Communication, Professionalism*

### SKILLS

#### PRACTICAL

Interpersonal	<div><div></div></div>	Organization	<div><div></div></div>
Communication	<div><div></div></div>	Multitasking	<div><div></div></div>
Budgeting	<div><div></div></div>	Coordination	<div><div></div></div>

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### EDUCATION

#### 2015-CURRENT

#### CONFLICT RESOLUTION & NEGOTIATION - CERT.

**Justice Institute of British Columbia**, New Westminster, British Columbia

A certificate focused on the foundations of conflict resolution with a specialization in negotiation techniques. I expect to be completed by late-2017.

#### 2014-CURRENT

#### BUSINESS COMMUNICATIONS - CERTIFICATE

**University of British Columbia**, Vancouver, British Columbia

Currently half-way through a certificate in Business Communication, I expect to be completed by late 2016.

#### 2013

#### FIRST AID & CPR - CERTIFICATE

**Red Cross**, Vancouver, British Columbia

WHMIS, First Aid, and CPR training for practical on-site application when needed.

#### 2013

#### PUBLIC RELATIONS (COURSE)

**Media Bistro**, New York, New York

Refresher course for Public Relations situations including press-release writing.

#### 2011

#### WRITTEN FRENCH - LEVEL 2 (COURSE)

**Athabasca University**, Vancouver, British Columbia

Basic understanding and working knowledge of written French.

#### 2003-2007

#### FILM STUDIES & ART HISTORY - BACHELORS OF ART

**University of British Columbia**, Vancouver, British Columbia

I completed a Bachelors of Art from the University of British Columbia in 2007 with a major in Film Studies minoring in 19th Century European Art History.

### ASSOCIATIONS

I am an active member of:

IATSE 669 - International Cinematographers Guild of Western Canada

CPAWC - Commercial Production Association of Western Canada

I am a member on-leave of:

IATSE 891 - International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees

ACFC 2020 - The Association of Canadian Film Craftspeople

### REFERENCES

**Lauren Levine**  
**Executive Producer**

Imaginarium Studios  
Los Angeles, CA

*upon request*

**Scott McAboy**  
**Producer / Director**

Pacific Bay Entertainment  
Los Angeles, CA

*upon request*

**Tracey Nomura**  
**Producer / PM**

TV Commercial Industry  
Vancouver, BC

*upon request*