

Daniel Hopson

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A hardworking and self-motivated First-Class (Hons) Degree Screenwriting graduate looking to thrive in a team and develop as a researcher or assistant script editor.

Awarded two Honourable Mentions in 2022 from S&CO for two scripts.

EXPERIENCE

September 2022 – Present

Screenskills and Media Trust Mentee

- Meeting with Netflix and Monumental Television Producer Pat Tookey-Dickson.
- Partnered with the Head of Production, Jill Forbes, at Monumental Television to gain insight and knowledge into the industry.

2012 – 2018

Sainsbury's Commercial and Customer Assistant

- Delivered outstanding attention to detail by ensuring the store's compliance with Trading Standards auditors by completing the Safe and Legal and the Price is Right reports on time.
- Organised and inspected commercial folders to ensure the store was legally compliant.

SKILLS

- Knowledgeable in writing for TV dramas, short films and feature films.
- Expert in effective screenwriting formatting.
- Own Final Draft 12 and use it for writing scripts.
- Skilful in developing characters and stories through utilising Foundations of Story and Screenwriting Structure.
- Understand formatting and structure of all forms of screenplays.
- Created TV bible, which included a series outline, episode outlines and character bios, and wrote the pilot episode.
- Concise analysis for feedback reports identifying continuity errors and providing creative solutions.
- Independent and hardworking, but also collaborative to reach all deadlines set.
- Active participant in screenwriting competitions.

EDUCATION

2018-2021

The University of Chichester

BA (Hons) Screenwriting, First Class

2017-2018

Online Film and Screenwriting courses

2015-2016

Bournemouth Collegiate School

A-Levels: English Literature

2010-2012

St Peter's Sixth Form

A-levels: BTEC Business and Law, Geography and AS Geology

2008-2010

St Peter's School

GCSEs: 10-grade A-C including Maths and English