


# Marissa Michel

WRITER - FILMMAKER

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## EDUCATION

### Emerson College

#### Media Arts Production

Dean's List, Fall '22 & Spring '23  
2022-2026

## SKILLS

- Script and Video editing
- Adobe Premiere Pro (proficient)
- Screenwriting
- Final Draft (proficient)
- Camera Operation
- Graphic Design
- Procreate (proficient)
- Bilingual (Spanish)

## ACHIEVEMENTS

**Gold recipient of Media & Entertainment**  
Hispanic Heritage Foundation Youth Awards  
2022

**2x American Voice Nominee**  
Scholastic National Art & Writing Awards  
Feb 2020 & Feb 2022

**2x National Gold Medalist (poetry)**  
Scholastic National Art & Writing Awards  
May 2020

**2020 Prince George's Youth Poet Laureate**  
Dialect of Prince George's  
Jan 2020-Dec 2020

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### CO-DIRECTOR, CO-WRITER, CINEMATOGRAPHER

"Into Arcadia" (2023) April 2023

- Co-wrote and directed a short psychological thriller with William Atticus Parker.
- Created aesthetic vision for the film and ensured visuals reflected the script.

### ASSISTANT SUBMISSIONS & NOMINATIONS COORDINATOR

EVVY42 Awards January-April 2023

- Worked with submissions/nominations coordinator to troubleshoot any technical problems regarding submissions on OpenWater software.
- Reviewed hundreds of multi-media submissions, ensured submissions met the guidelines of their respective categories.

### 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

"Mudslide" (2023) Feb-March 2023

- Provided script breakdowns, worked with director and DP to ensure efficient, timely, safe shoots.
- Created shooting schedules and shot lists, in communication with all department heads.
- Drama short produced by Emerson Independent Video.

### ART DIRECTOR

"Criminal Acts" (2023) March 2023

- Coordinated with production designers and art team. Provided ideas for motion graphics, refined show's art style.
- Created general guidelines and style guides for editors and graphic artists.
- Comedic detective show produced by Emerson Independent Video.

### DIRECTOR, CINEMATOGRAPHER, EDITOR

"My Crown" (2023) Dec 2022-Feb 2023

- Directed, filmed, and edited an interview/creative performance video featuring Prince George's 2022 Youth Poet Laureate.
- Short produced by Dialect of Prince George's.

### CAMERA OPERATOR, COSTUME SUPERVISOR

Atrabilious (2023) May-June 2022

- Coordinated with director and worked in wardrobe department to ensure safe, organized, efficient, cohesive artistic output.
- Thriller feature film produced by River Styx Productions.

### DIRECTOR, SCREENWRITER, EDITOR

"Transience" (2021) August 2021

- Official Selection in 2022 Prince George's Film Festival.
- Official Selection in 2022 All American High School Film Festivals.
- Premiered at AMC Empire 25 Theater in Times Square, Oct. 2022