

# Allan Houston

video editor

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**Profile** Experienced editor of promos, educational, training videos and motion graphic advertisements.

- Excellent knowledge of Premiere, After Effects, FCP, Photoshop
- Confident with encoding, digitising, DVD authoring
- Confident XDCAM/DSLR shooter (studio and location)
- Skilled at lighting and recording location audio

**Experience** Freelance Video Editor/Motion Graphic Designer Jan 2014 –  
Main Client – [www.econfilms.tv](http://www.econfilms.tv). Video editing and motion graphics.

Video Editor, Motion Graphics Designer – Learners Cloud Apr 2012 – Jan 2014

Online Educational Resource. Presenter-led revision videos for web/mobile. Shot on green screen. Testimonials shot on location in schools.

- Shot/directed Presenters in green screen studio
- Graphics and animation demonstrating scientific principles
- Location audio & camera operating for interviews

Video Editor, Motion Graphics Designer - Lenard's Apr 2010 – Nov 2011

Retail franchise. Video content displayed on screen in store. In-house production of training & info videos distributed online & via DVD.

- Planned, shot & edited promo & training videos
- Location audio & camera operating for interviews
- Motion graphic and video content for in-store advertising
- Directed voiceover recording sessions

Video Editor – Freelance Role - RTV August 2008 – Jan 2010

Ongoing role editing short entertainment style web series

Video Editor - Super A-Mart June 2006 – Dec 2008

In-house production of TVCs for Retail company.

- Edited hard-sell graphical TVCs on Avid/After Effects
- Encoded and dubbed TVCs to networks via tape and upload
- Maintained Master Tape Library
- Camera Assisted on TVC shoots

Videographer/Photographer – Image Feb 2005 – Oct 2005

Cruise ship concessionaire, providing photo/video staff to cruise lines.

- Shot, edited weekly cruise DVD
- Produced, shot & edited a promo for Lifestyle Photography portrait studio
- Photographed passengers during events

**Other Experience** Editor – Amazon Souls – documentary taster reel – 2011

Editor – The Verge – Web Series – 2010-2011

Camera Operator – Head Over Heels – Short Film – 2008

Producer/Editor – The Letter – Short Film – 2007

Writer/Director – Storytime – 2003

**Education** Bachelor of Digital Media Production, Griffith University 2000-2003

**SKILLS** Practical knowledge of editing and motion graphics/compositing software:

Final Cut Pro Studio, Adobe Premiere Pro, After Effects and Photoshop.

Camera operating, in SD and HD formats in several of my positions. I know how to shoot for the edit. Experience in capturing on-location audio for interview and narrative form.

I have also produced, edited and directed a number of independent short films and edited 5 episodes of a half hour web-series sitcom.

Encoding for a variety of formats (flash, web, DVD) has been consistently required in my position at Lenard's.