

ANYANGZI (YOKO) CHEN

An international student from China who is capable of thinking creatively and logically, majoring in editing but has passion in producing and directing, and believes that the power of storytelling can change the world.

EDUCATION

- **School of Visual Arts**
September 2018 – June 2022
 - BFA Film, Editing
 - SVA in LA: The Film and Animation Behind-the-Scenes Series Program (March 2020)

WORK EXPERIENCE

- **Assistant Producer Intern**
ScriptRead | New York
August 2020 – Present
Working with the founder and producer of ScriptRead, a non-profit script reading program, to communicate with involved writers, cast ideal actors, maintain the function of database, and assist the operation of both internal and external events.
- **Teaching Assistant**
School of Visual Arts | New York
September 2020 – Present
Assisting the Film department chair Mary Lee's first-year Narrative class and third-year Film & Literature class.
- **School Editing Lab Assistant**
School of Visual Arts | New York
September 2019 – Present
Working with the editing lab supervisor to ensure the functionality of the lab, maintaining the conditions of hardwares, softwares and equipments, and helping students to solve technical problems.
- **Visitor Service Volunteer**
911 Memorial Museum | New York
October 2019 – March 2020

COMMERCIAL PROJECTS

- **Commercial for Central Conservatory of Music**
May, 2021 | Kunming, China | 5 mins short film
Producer, Director, Writer, Editor
- **Commercial for Chang Shui International Academy**
May, 2019 | Kunming, China | 5 mins commercial
Producer, Director, Editor, Videographer

PERSONAL PROJECT

- **Home**
Jan, 2020 | New York, NY | 8 mins short film
Producer, Director, Writer, Editor

SCHOOL PROJECTS

- **The Last Piece of Falling Leave (Thesis work)**
July, 2021 | 30 min short film
Producer, Director, Writer, Editor
A short film addressing the impact of body-shaming and bullying for a high school girl, and how it leads to a devastating tragedy.
- **Eclipse**
March, 2020 | 8 min short film
Producer, Director, Writer, Editor
A short film about a man struggling with the stress of reality and is on the verge of committing suicide, but he accidentally runs into a homeless boy who unknowingly gives him a lesson about how to self-reflect and cherish the moment.
 - » *Chain NYC Film Festival*
 - » *(Nominated for Best Producer, Best Director)*
 - » *jellyFEST - Season 6 (Finalist)*
 - » *New York Movie Awards (Finalist)*
 - » *London Indie Short Festival (Selection)*
 - » *Giffoni Macedonia Youth Film Festival (Selection)*
- **Once We Were (Thesis Work)**
February, 2021 | 30 min short film
Producer, 1st Assistant Director
 - » *New York International Film Award (Finalist)*
 - » *New York Independent Cinema Award (Selection)*
 - » *Script Awards Los Angeles (Finalist)*
- **Escargot**
December, 2020 | 15 min short film
Producer, 1st Assistant Director
- **Luna Park**
March, 2021 | 10 min short film
Producer, 1st Assistant Director
- **Diluted Night**
February, 2020 | 10 min short film
Producer, 1st Assistant Director
- **Lock The Coldness**
October, 2019 | 10 min short film
Producer, Director, Writer, Editor
- **Meet**
March, 2019 | 10 min short film
Producer, Director, Writer, Editor