



## EDUCATION

### NEW YORK UNIVERSITY

Bachelor of Arts, May 1991

Major: German Language and Literature

Minor: Art History, Film Theory

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## INTERNSHIP AS AN EDITOR

Cine Impuls Plus

1993 – 1995 Berlin

## STUDY ABROAD

LORENZO D'MEDICI, FLORENCE, ITALY Language/Art History, Spring 1990

UNIVERSITY OF AMSTERDAM, NETHERLANDS European Studies, Spring 1989

GOETHE INSTITUTE, WEST BERLIN Advanced Language Courses, Summer 1988

## EXPERIENCE

### FILM AND TELEVISION EDITOR – 1997-Present

Edited documentary films, features, and human interest stories for German public and broadcast television stations ARD, ZDF, RTL and SAT1. In addition to my editing I've conducted and filmed interviews and have done research for several films and subtitled from German to English. In 2003, I audited film courses at the Berlin Film School, Dffb, and organized the postproduction for several seminars. Participated as a jury member for the new Berlin Film Award *Achtung Berlin* 2006. You can view my filmography on my website [www.annacussen.de](http://www.annacussen.de).

### ASSISTANT PRODUCTION MANAGER

„Feuerreiter“, Musik-Television program geared to a young audience for ORB (German public television). Organized location sites for shooting and extras. Responsible for the daily rushes, coordination of crew members and on-set location organization. 1994

### ASSISTANT TO CONTINUITY

„Showmaster“; Television drama for ZDF (German public television). Responsible for logging the Timecode-Scripts. Worked as video controller; responsible for recording and continuity of sequence with four parallel electronic cameras. 1993

### PROGRAM COORDINATOR

Council on International Educational Exchange, Berlin

Advised German students planning to study in the USA, aided them with the administrative procedures for a J-1 visa: Organized information seminars, prepared and documented the applicants finances. 1991 – 1992

### ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Safaris Inc., New York, NY

Corporate Events Planning and Destination Management for incentive companies, Maintained correspondence with clients; secured accommodations, transportation and dining facilities; prepared quarterly spending reports; wrote inter-office memoranda; maintained overhead billing. 1990 – 1991

**Language Skills:** Fluent in both German & English, Basic Italian

**Computer skills:** Microsoft Office, Basic Excel, Adobe Photoshop, Powerpoint, Avid, Final Cut Pro, DVD Studio Pro