Yasu Tsuji

Director | Editor | Producer

EXPERIENCE

ABC News Studios, Los Angeles — Lead Editor / Co-Producer

August 2024 - PRESENT

Lead Editor of a 5-person post-production team and Co-Producer for a documentary series, "Born to be Viral" (Hulu / Freeform).

Muck Media, Los Angeles / New York — *Editor*

June 2022 - July 2024

Editor for National Geographic's investigative documentary series, "Trafficked with Mariana van Zeller", multiple Emmy winner (2024).

VICE on Showtime, New York — *Editor / Story Producer*

April 2022 - June 2023

Broadcast Editor for VICE News Documentary series on Showtime.

Master Class, New York — *Senior Editor*

November 2021 - April 2022

Senior Video Editor for an online education platform.

CBS News, New York — Senior Editor / Producer

April 2017 - November 2021

Directed, produced, and edited more than 50 half-hour long-form stories.

Pen & Axe / Freelance, New York, Los Angeles, Miami

July 2001 - PRESENT

Freelance editor and producer for over 20 years with experience in documentaries, news, reality, branded content, and scripted content.

EDUCATION

University of California, San Diego, La Jolla — B.A.

September 1999 - June 2001

PROJECTS

Just Kids — Feature Documentary

Editor for a documentary about transgender kids and their families on the precipice of survival. 2025 Tribeca Film Festival Premiere.

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SKILLS

AVID, Adobe Premiere, DaVinci Resolve, Final Cut Pro

Adobe Creative Suite

Mac, PC

Sony FX series, Canon C-Series

Motion GFX, Color Correction, Sound Design

AWARDS

2015 News & Doc Emmy Nominee - Pimp City (Fusion TV)

2016 News @ Doc Emmy Nominee - *Prison Kids (Fusion TV)*

2016 The Robert Kennedy

Journalism Award Winner - Rigged
(Fusion TV)

2017 Dupont Award Winner - *Death* by Fentanyl (Fusion TV)

2024 News & Doc Emmy Nominee - Fight Club (National Geographic TV)

LANGUAGES

English, Japanese