

# Ben Mitchell

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## **Profile**

A recent graduate from a Film & Screenwriting course, I have worked a series of jobs both on and off film sets and have written six short films that made it to production alongside a litany of short stories, teleplays, and feature length scripts. I am diligent, always up for a challenge, and love the collaborative aspects of any job I do.

## **Industry Experience**

Conducted behind the scenes interviews with cast and crew on the feature film *Lotus*.  
Co-wrote and worked as script supervisor on the drama short film *Forget Me Not*.  
Wrote the dark comedy short film *Finches*.  
Wrote the absurdist comedy short film *SPARKLE*.  
Independently animated the short film *Static*.  
Co-wrote the horror short film *The Crossroads*.  
Wrote and starred in the thriller short film *His Dollhouse*.

## **Education**

### **Birmingham City University (2022-2025)**

BA Film & Screenwriting 1

'Writing for TV' module provided experience writing as a showrunner and on others projects.

'Adaptation for the Screen' and 'Horror Narratives' modules improved my writing for genre both on original products and interpretations of others.

### **Sir Henry Floyd Grammar School (2019-2021)**

A Levels: English Literature, Drama, Psychology.

### **Aylesbury Grammar School (2014-2019)**

9 GCSEs including maths, English literature, English language, and triple science.

## **Key Skills**

Effective communication from working with so many different people.

Close attention to detail and very organised, improved by experience as script editor/supervisor on several projects.

Active listener able to apply feedback efficiently as well as politely deliver it to others.

Creative across a variety of tones, genres, and formats.

Proficient with screenwriting software and the Microsoft Office Suite.

Familiar with Adobe Photoshop, InDesign, and Illustrator.

## **Work Experience**

### **Cleaner, Catering Services International (Summer of 2023)**

As an agency worker I had to quickly adapt to different tasks each day.

### **Server, Black Goo Coffee Tring (Summer of 2022)**

Waiter that also managed bookings, cleaned, organised displays, and worked on pot wash.

### **Bartender, Pennyblacks Birmingham (2021-2022)**

Worked hard to deliver good customer service and learnt how to make several drinks.