Nat LeDonne

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Collegiate Athletics Photography Experience

Duke University Athletics, Athletics Staff Photographer, Durham, North Carolina July 2018-Present

- Collaborate with Director of Athletics Photography (Reagan Lunn) to create and achieve the elite Duke Athletics look
- Photograph all 27 NCAA Division 1 varsity teams at Duke
- Conduct shoots in the studio, NCAA Tournaments, ACC Tournaments, and College Football Bowls, and at regular season games, athletic events and ceremonies, games (home and away), athletic events and ceremonies, studio shoots (athletics and recruits), tournaments, portraits, headshots, athletic appeal and shoes.
- Edit, keyword/tag, and label photos to keep an organized database

Freelance Collegiate Athletics Photographer, multiple locations

- Freelancing for the Premier Lacrosse League. Summer 2021
- Created and edited pictures specifically for Duke University, Virginia Tech, and Liberty University's Athletic Department to use for promotional, marketing, and social media use
- Student photographer for the University of Lynchburg's Athletic Department and College Communications and Marketing Office. Published in the University's magazine, website, brochures, and social media. January 2015- May 2018.

Skills

- Software: Adobe Lightroom, Photo Mechanic, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Premiere Pro, Adobe Creative Cloud, Final Cut Pro X
- Camera Gear: Profoto Studio Lights, Nikon, Strobes

Art and Photography Awards

- USA Lacrosse Magazine featured me in the article "Nat LeDonne Providing Unique Vantage Point of No. 1 Duke" (https://usalaxmagazine.com/college/men/nat-ledonne-providing-unique-vantage-point-of-no-1-duke)
- Photographer's Forum Magazine for the Emerging Professional Best of College and High School Photography for both (2016, 2017, & 2018)- Finalist
- Kappa Pi International Art Honor Society Scholarship- Honorable Mention (2017) and First Place (2016)
- Susan Crank Award For Outstanding Art Student for (2015-2016, 2017-2018) ٠
- Photography Award for Lynchburg College's Art Department for (2015-2016) •
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Education

University of Lynchburg, Bachelor of Arts

- Major (1): Communication Studies with an emphasis in convergent Journalism
- Major (2): Art with an emphasis in Studio Art
- GPA: 3.40
 - Awards: Lynchburg College Outstanding Senior Award (2018), Lynchburg College Student Employee of the Year Nominee (2017-2018), Lambda Pi Eta: National Communication Association's Official Honor Society, Omicron Delta Kappa (ODK): National Leadership Honor Society, Kappa Pi: Chapter Eta Omega- International Art Honor Society, Phi Eta Sigma - The National Freshman Honor Society



May 2018

December 2017—May 2021