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CINEMATOGRAPHER / DP · EDITOR · PART 107 DRONE PILOT

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REEL *hmsteadman.com/reel*

Kansas-based cinematographer and editor with over a decade behind the camera. I shoot narrative film, documentary-style brand work and live events, and I'm equally at home leading a small camera team or stepping into a larger crew. Calm on set, story first, and easy to work with.

## SELECTED WORK

### FILM CREDITS

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| **Natural Shocks** · Feature film, ACC Theater & Film | Cinematographer & Editor | 2027 · pre-pro |
| **Just Talk** · Short film, dir. Cole Moyer | EP, DP & Editor | 2026 |
| **The Ocean Inside** · ACC Theater & Film, Kennedy Center awards | Cinematographer | 2024 |
| **First Stop: Humboldt** · Short film | Producer, DP & Editor | 2026 |

### ALSO BEHIND THE CAMERA

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| **The Places We Will Go** · 8-film nonprofit series | Producer, DP & Editor | 2026 |
| **ACC Theater & Film** · Production trailers | Cinematographer | 2025 – 2026 |
| **University of St. Francis XCTF** · Live broadcast, M&V Media | Camera Operator | 2026 |
| **Music videos** · Synyster Saint | Director, DP & Editor | 2018 – 2021 |
| **Faded** · Forever Faded, music video | DP & Editor | 2021 |

## ON SET

**Story first.** Every shot planned for the edit.

**Lean and fast.** Cinematic on small crews.

**Aerials.** FAA Part 107 drone pilot.

**Finishing.** Edit and color in Resolve.

**Range.** Roots in stop-motion and animation.

## AVAILABILITY

Based in Southeast Kansas. Available for Kansas City, Wichita, Tulsa and Joplin, and open to travel.

Hire me directly, or book through my production company, **Ethereal Lens Media, LLC**, with liability coverage, gear and post support.

Day rates and references on request.