

# Charlene Fisk

Director/Writer

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**BIO:** An ex-Army sergeant turned Emmy award-winning filmmaker, Charlene won the Audience Award at the ATLFF and Best Doc at LCFF for her documentary, THE FOUNDERS. She followed that film with four award winning short films LIMERENCE, THE LICK, RIDESHARE and THE MOTH. She directed the Emmy winning web series INTERSECTION and most recently she directed network episodes for Discovery and TLC. Her talents aren't confined to the director's chair, she also co-produced and edited MARGARET MITCHELL American Rebel for PBS, the feature film MAN MADE about trans bodybuilders and the short film HOME FIELD which premiered at Tribeca. As a cinematographer she has lensed shows for Magnolia Network, Discovery, Disney, ESPN as well as several short films and a web series. As a writer, her scripts have been selected for Stowe Story lab, Southern Producers lab, Cinestory lab and garnered recognition from Screen Craft and the Austin Film Festival. Beyond her professional achievements, Charlie is a steadfast advocate for the transformative power of storytelling both in practice and in consumption and sees it as a catalyst for profound change and connection within communities.

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## LINKS:

### TEDTALK:

 [Becoming Alive | Charlie Fisk & Carrie Schrader | TEDxOlympicBlv...](#)

### WEBSITE:

<https://www.amightycompany.com>

### IMDB:

<https://www.imdb.com/name/nm3312671>

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## Experience

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### **The Moth/ Director, Short Film**

June 2023 - PRESENT, Atlanta GA

### **Discovery/ Director, No One Can Hear You Scream**

June 2022 - PRESENT, Atlanta GA

Director for recreation series.

### **TLC/ Director Non-fiction series**

July 2021 - PRESENT, Atlanta GA

Director for award winning reality series 1000lb Sisters.

### **The Lick/ Director**

April 2021 - April 2021, Atlanta GA

Writer/Director for short film premiered at Atlanta Film Festival 2021.

### **Intersection Series / Director**

February 2021 - March 2021, Atlanta GA

Director of Narrative webseries episode #2 and #4 .

### **Rideshare / Director**

February 2020 - March 2020, Atlanta GA

Writer/Director of short film. Premiered ATLFF 2021.

### **Limerence / Director**

March 2019 - April 2019, Atlanta GA

Writer/Director of short film. Won Best Short award at RIFF.

### **The Founders/ Director**

February 2016, Atlanta GA

Director of the award winning feature Documentary.

### **ESPN/Disney Producer/Director of Photography, Home Field**

March 2022 - May 2022, Atlanta GA

Director of Photography/Producer for documentary film

### **Intersection Series/ Director of Photography**

February 2021 - March 2021, Atlanta GA

Director of Photography for a 70 minute web series.

### **Bunim-Murray/ Director of Photography**

June 2021 - July, Atlanta GA

Director of Photography for Facebook/Instagram series. Filming both 16x9 and vertical 9x16. Both field and studio locations/sets.

**NIKE / Director of Photography**

May 2021 - May 2021, Atlanta GA

Director of Photography for their Empowerment campaign with Cycle Creative and Laundry Service. Filming both 16x9 and vertical 9x16.

**Magnolia / Director of Photography**

March 2021 - May 2021, Atlanta GA

Director of Photography for their Mind for Design series.

**I am Samantha/Director of Photography**

January 2020 Atlanta GA

Music Video

**POV/ Director of Photography (additional)**

2019 - 2020, Atlanta GA

Director of Photography - And She Could Be Next - Atlanta segments.

**Lifetime Network/ Director of Photography**

June 2019 - December 2020, Atlanta GA

Director of Photography for two non-fiction series.

**Lamb/ Director of Photography**

February 2019 - March 2019, Atlanta GA

Director of Photography for the award winning short film.

**Man Made/ Co-Producer**

February 2018, Atlanta GA

Editor/Co-Producer for award winning feature documentary.

**ESPN/Disney/ Director of Photography**

March 2018, Atlanta GA

Director of Photography for ESPN/ESPNW content.

**OG Kurt Workout Series / Director**

March 2017 - April 2017, Atlanta GA

WE TV

**Inspire Series / Director**

March 2017 - April 2017, Atlanta GA

Commercials for LPGA/USGA

**The Founders/ Director of Photography**

February 2016, Atlanta GA

Director of Photography for the award winning feature Documentary.

**TLC Network/ Director of Photography**

February 2013 - 2016 , Atlanta GA

Director of Photography/Camera for the original series **Say Yes to the Dress**

**Netflix/ Director of Photography**

February 2016 , Atlanta GA

Director of Photography for The Battle for Batdad promotional segments.

**PBS American Masters/ Co-Producer**

February 2012 , Atlanta GA

Editor/Co-producer for Margaret Mitchell American Rebel on American Masters.

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**Awards**

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**Best Actress Short Form National Emmy Awards “Intersection”**  
*Director*

**Best Short Film Rome International Film Festival “Limerence”**  
*Director/Director of Photography*

**Best Documentary Atlanta Film Festival “The Founders”**  
*Director/Director of Photography*

**Best Documentary Atlanta Film Festival “The Founders”**  
*Director/Director of Photography*

**Best Documentary La Costa Film Festival “The Founders”**  
*Director/Director of Photography*

**Best Short Rome International Film Festival “Limerence”**  
*Director/Director of Photography*

**Emmy (Southeast) “Margaret Mitchell - American Rebel”**  
*Co-Producer*

**Emmy (Southeast) “Margaret Mitchell - American Rebel”**  
*Documentary Program*

**Emmy (Southeast)- “Road Beyond Abuse”**  
*Program Editor*

**Emmy (Southwest)- “Art From the Heart”**  
*Director/Program Editor*

**Emmy (Southeast)- “Jim Henson”**  
*Program Editor*

**Emmy (Southeast) - Craft Editor**

**CLIO Award Advertising:**  
WHEN I PLAY

ESPN 2018

**Telly Awards:**

Bronze- PBS

Segment Producer/Editor

Bronze- PBS - Show Editor

Bronze - PBS - Show Editor

Silver- PBS - Show Editor

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**Labs/Accolades**

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**Austin Film Festival / Finalist Screenwriting Competition**

2022 The Founders Series (Dramedy 60 min series)

**Cinestory Lab/ Attended**

2023 The Founders Series (Dramedy 60 min series)

**Stowe Story Lab - Feature**

2022 Five - Feature film script (Young Adult Sci-Fi)

**Southern Producers Lab / Feature Screenplay "FIVE"**

2022 Five - Feature film script (Young Adult Sci-Fi)

**United States ARMY - Rank of Sergeant**

8 years enlisted

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**Education**

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**Plattsburgh State University / Bachelors in Mass Media  
Communication**

June 2000, Plattsburgh NY

I worked as a Teacher's Assistant throughout my final two years at PSU and was on the Dean's List.

**UNSW Sydney Australia / Study Abroad Film and Media**

June 2000 - 2001