

PEARL SWEENEY

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EDUCATION

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY

Bachelors of Fine Art-
Film & Television Production
2021-2025
3.87 GPA

FAMU- PRAGUE, CZECHIA

35mm Cinematography Program
Aug 2023-Dec 2023

SKILLS

- On-set efficiency
- Communication
- Camera operation
- Lighting
- Leadership
- On-set safety
- Adobe creative suite

LANGUAGES

English- Native
Irish- Intermediate (B2)

ACCOLADES

PUBLICATIONS

Vogue Magazine- May 2022
Still photography from New York
Fashion Week published in online article.
Paper Magazine- May 2022
Still photography from fashion collection
published in online article.

AWARDS

Rosco Cinematic Lighting Award -
2025
Presented at Arri Rentals, recognizing
excellence in the craft of lighting.

ABOUT ME

Pearl Sweeney is a cinematographer and versatile crew member in the camera and G&E departments in New York City. Her skill set lies in combining technical proficiency with creative problem solving to bring stories to life across narrative and documentary forms.

SET EXPERIENCE

CAMERA, G&E DEPARTMENT

Freelance, *June 2021-Present*

Dynamic member of the camera and grip & electric departments across film sets. Implementing craftsmanship and creativity in roles such as DOP, 1st AC, 2nd AC, Gaffer, Key Grip, and Grip. 4 years experience on feature films, documentaries, shorts, and commercial projects shot across the US, Canada, Ireland, The UK, and the Czech Republic.

CINEMATOGRAPHY CREDITS

Swallows- Sept 2025, **Co.Cavan, Ireland**

Short period piece in the Irish language. Directed by Luke Flanagan.

Mixerhouse Funk- Sept 2025, **London, England**

Music Video, Directed by Caterina McNeilis.

Cherry Picking- May 2025, NYC

10 minute oner narrative short, Directed by Colby Amos.

Not My Baby- March 2025, NYC

Narrative short, Directed by Riley Greenbaun.

Victrola Spec Advertisement- February 2025, NYC

Commercial, Directed by Pearl Sweeney. Shot on 35mm.

Shanda- February 2025, **New Jersey**

Narrative short, Directed by Lindsay Bizenov.

Techies- January 2025, **New Jersey**

Narrative comedy short, Directed by Monimar Mancillas.

Distortion- November 2024, NYC

Narrative short, Directed by Margeaux McCaughey.

Pacing Slowly- October 2024, NYC

Music video for artist Elbi Lewis, Directed by Monimar Mancillas.

Where The Hummingbird Rests- June 2024, NYC

Experimental short, Directed by Rori Grimes.

My Mother & I- March 2024, NYC

Experimental short, Directed by Hanna Dzaferovic.

Fly Away- October 2023, **Prague, Czech Republic**

Narrative short in Czech, Directed by Tian Hao Pei. Shot on 35mm film.
Ivy Film Festival and *Aster Film Festival* official selections