

# ARBEN KORKMAZ

## Photographer & Videographer

As a passionate film and photography enthusiast, I have explored various facets of filmmaking, from editing and photography to hands-on production work.

### EXPERIENCE

#### **Calinos Entertainment Istanbul, Turkey — 2023-24**

Showcased and pitched Turkish TV series (*Farah, Forbidden Fruit*) to international buyers (Mexican, Russian, and British) at a designated MIPCOM booth in Cannes/ France, advancing exposure and potential collaborations between film producers and distributors. I also assisted the senior sales team in the Istanbul office and organized and promoted TV series to global distributors, broadcasters, and streaming platforms.

#### **MF Yapım “Evliliğe Dair Her Şey” Istanbul, Turkey — 2023**

A popular adaptation of the BBC series *The Split*. My responsibilities included script supervision, managing timecode coordination, and monitoring sound quality, ensuring smooth communication between the director, and technical crew.

#### **Freelance Photographer**

##### **Antalya, Turkey — 2019-Present**

I handled the entire photography process, from concept design to delivering organized final files, for restaurants, cafes, and vet clinics. I also photographed individuals for their social media profiles (Sample: <https://adobe.ly/3Xqd4CC>) and optimized their online visibility through SEO, ensuring each image was strategically placed for discoverability.

### EDUCATION

#### **International Baccalaureate Diploma, Antalya Toplum Koleji**

##### **Antalya, Turkey — 2019-23**

#### **Filmmaking Academy, EICAR**

##### **Paris, France — 2022**

Attended EICAR's Summer filmmaking program, and provided cinematography, Avid-based video, and sound editing work for four narrative short films.

Presented them to an audience of 120, which comprised teachers, and film students from over 20 countries.

#### **Cinema/Writing Academy, UK Film School**

##### **London, UK — 2022**

Attended a residential film camp in London, took lessons on screenwriting, editing, and directing from Gary Halliday; and directed and co-wrote a comedy short film with a 12-person crew.

#### **Digital Photography Course**

##### **London University of the Arts; Online — 2024**

Improved my knowledge of photography technique and aesthetics via lectures and workshops during this 4-week intensive online course.

Photography Portfolio:  
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Fluent in English and  
Turkish.

### SKILLS

- Adobe Photoshop/ Lightroom
- Final Cut Pro X
- Adobe Premiere Pro
- Davinci Resolve

### EQUIPMENT

- Sony A7III
- Sigma 35mm Lens
- Sony 28-70mm, and 135mm Lenses
- Wireless BOYA Lav Mic
- BOYA Shotgun Mic
- Zoom H5 Recorder

### REFERENCE

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