Isabel Romero

Photography Assistant

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SKILLS

- Studio Lighting
- Grip Equipment
- Capture One
- Tethered Capture
- Adobe Photoshop
- Lightroom
- Equipment Maintenance
- Studio Organization
- Teamwork
- Time Management

EDUCATION

Associate of Applied Science

05/2025

Fashion Institute of Technology

New York, NY

Photography and Related Media

SUMMARY

Photography Assistant with 2 years on commercial, fashion and editorial sets in New York, working under 6 regular photographers and their digital techs. Builds studio lighting setups, runs tethered capture in Capture One, preps files in Adobe Photoshop, and keeps cameras, grip equipment and studios organized so every shoot starts on time.

EXPERIENCE

Photography Assistant

04/2025 - Present

Gowanus Light Studio — Brooklyn, NY

Production studio and rental house hosting 20+ commercial shoots a month.

- Build lighting and grip setups for **12-15** shoots a month, from single-strobe portraits to 8-head fashion sets.
- Run tethered capture in Capture One on most shoots and back up every card to 2 drives before wrap.
- Select and tone frames in Lightroom and Adobe Photoshop for client review, cutting 300 frames to a shortlist in 30 minutes.
- Maintain strobes, stands and modifiers worth $150K, logging repairs so only 2 units failed on set this year.

Equipment Rental Associate

06/2024 - 03/2025

Bushwick Camera Rental — Brooklyn, NY

Part-time role at a camera and lighting rental house during the last year of school.

- Checked out and tested 40+ camera, lens and lighting orders a week for photographers, students and film crews.
- Taught renters how to use strobes, triggers and modifiers, cutting damage claims by 25%.
- Organized the grip cage and barcode inventory of 1,200 items by type and size, so staff found gear in minutes.
- Assembled 8-10 weekend packages for film and photo shoots, with zero late orders over 9 months.