

# GEORGE V.K. (Egor Kotelnikov)

Senior Producer · Director of Photography · Editor

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## PROFILE

Senior Producer, DP, and Editor based in Denver with a habit of saying yes to interesting projects. 15 years across branded films, same-day event recaps, indie features, and one feature thriller starring half the cast of Game of Thrones. Currently running TRUERY for B2B brands that refuse to be boring. Also host a podcast, edit the occasional TV mini-series, and moonlight in Russian or French.

## EXPERIENCE

### TRUERY — Founder, Brand Story Architect

Denver, CO | 2024 to Present

Strategic brand storytelling agency for growth-stage B2B brands. Active monthly retainers and series production with Strategyn (authority podcast), Brotherly Love Real Estate (weekly content series, 140+ episodes), Beehler, and G2M Insights. Lead creative direction, cinematography, and post on every project.

### Unbridled Media — Senior Producer

Denver, CO | 2016 to 2024

Produced, directed, and shot branded content for Chipotle, Lexus, Marriott, WD-40, LPL Financial, Graybar, and Red Robin. Delivered 48+ same-day event recaps with 24-hour turnaround across domestic and international shoots. Earned the internal “Standing Ovation” award.

### Filmmaker Secrets — Host, Producer

2021 to Present

Educational podcast and YouTube channel covering cinematography, color, post workflow, and the craft of filmmaking. 73+ podcast episodes plus playlists on commercials, gear, and color grading.

### Perplexity Pictures — Co-Founder, Director of Photography

Denver, CO | 2010 to 2015

Independent production company. Music videos for Denver bands (One Flew West, Morning Bear). DP on the Kickstarter-funded feature thriller *Camouflage* with talent from Game of Thrones, The Walking Dead, and Star Trek.

## SELECTED CREDITS

### Active — 2025/2026

- Strategyn Authority Podcast Series (Producer / Editor, 2026)
- Brotherly Love Real Estate weekly content series, 140+ episodes (DP / Editor, 2025/26)
- G2M Insights, *The Pulse* brand anthem (DP / Editor, 2026)
- Beehler, *Mic Drop Diva* campaign (Producer, 2026)
- *Private Affair*, TV Mini-Series (Editor, 2025)

### Unbridled Media — Brand & Event Work

- Chipotle (DP / Senior Producer, branded series and events)
- Lexus, Marriott, WD-40 (DP / Senior Producer, branded films and same-day recaps)
- LPL Financial, Graybar, Red Robin (Senior Producer, branded content)
- 48+ same-day event recap edits delivered with 24-hour turnaround

### Narrative & Indie Film

- *Camouflage*, feature thriller (DP, 2014, Kickstarter funded)
- *Hipster! The Musical* (DP, 2012)
- *Sun, Moon, Stars, Rain* (DP / Producer, 2016)
- IMDb totals: 11 Cinematographer, 7 Producer, 5 Editor, 2 Director

## SKILLS & EQUIPMENT

<b>Roles</b>	Director, Director of Photography, Senior Producer, Line Producer, Editor, Colorist, Camera Operator
<b>Software</b>	DaVinci Resolve, Adobe Premiere Pro, After Effects, Frame.io
<b>Cameras</b>	Multi-platform experience across Blackmagic, Sony, Canon, ARRI, and RED. Personal package built around Blackmagic Cinema Camera. Cinema rentals coordinated as needed.
<b>Specialties</b>	Branded content, same-day event recap, multi-cam interview, documentary-style, brand anthems, motion graphics, color grading, podcast video
<b>Industries</b>	Pharma, Financial Services, Food & Beverage, Industrial, Tech, Hospitality, Event Production, Insurance, Music, Nonprofit
<b>Languages</b>	Russian (native), English (fluent), French (conversational)
<b>Union</b>	Non-union, IATSE eligible

## AWARDS & EDUCATION

**Telly Awards 2021.** Bronze for Craft / Branded Content (Director of Photography). Bronze for General / Branded Content (Aerial Cinematography). **Upwork Top Rated** at \$91.50/hr with 100% Job Success Score.

**BFA, Film, Theatre & TV.** University of Colorado Denver (2008 to 2011), media arts emphasis on writing and directing. Production internship at the Open Media Foundation (2012).