



**MEMBER SPOTLIGHT**  
**Adrienne Kleinman**

I am from Uptown, Minneapolis, MN.

I got my start in the biz after watching the DVD extras on Amy Heckerling's "Clueless". There is so much thought put into the creation of a film, down to the pattern of a character's shirt to the way the camera catches a quick glance from a stranger. It is incredible.

I am currently working as a full time student at the U of M-Twin Cities. I am majoring in Studies in Cinema and Media

Cultures with a minor in Theatre Arts.

The project I am most excited about is the current screenplay that I am working on.

In ten years I see myself either in New York City, somewhere in California, or in Minneapolis.

The best part about being a member of MN WIFT is all the wonderful people that I will get the opportunity to meet/collaborate with, etc. Also, it could provide me with some helpful networking connections as well.

I think we can strengthen the community of women in production letting them know that if they just believe in their dream with the entirety of their being that it will happen. And with a support group to back you up, there are no limits to what kinds of creations can be born.

Most people don't know that I am constantly sizing up the world around me and contemplating how I can put it into words. To me, life is one big movie script waiting to happen.

If I could be anywhere in the world right now it would be in New York City.

Three people I would love to meet are Diablo Cody, F. Scott Fitzgerald, and Sophia Coppola. Although Fitzgerald has been dead for almost 70 years, his passion and intensity still inspire thousands. I would like to meet Diablo Cody because her screenplay for "Juno" inspired me and made me realize that the simplest of stories can be written with such wit and sensitivity and touch so many people. And lastly, Sophia Coppola. I really love watching her films because her music and set designs are always so vivid and really complement the time of the film and the overall feel of the movie.

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