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CINEMATOGRAPHER

UK-based Cinematographer Member of Illuminatrix-Rising. I love creating imagery that provokes emotion in the viewer I have experience working as a Camera Trainee on larger productions, including The Painted Bird and A Boy Called Christmas. Additionally, I have over 10 years of experience as a Second Assistant Camera on independent films and commericals.

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Camera proficiency

DIGITAL CAMERAS

FILM CAMERAS

35mm 16mm

8mm

Shadowed DOP Simona Susnea

APPLE TV SERIES BUCCANEERS2 (DEBUTANTS 2)

Gained hands-on experience observing during the second block of filming.

Enhanced my understanding of high-end television production processes.

NARRATIVE

Badger

Dir Martha Crow Produced Maypol Productions

OFFICIAL SELECTION

North East International Film 2024

Oxford Short Film Festial Nominations 2025

Best Early Career Filmmaker Best Editing (winner)

Focus Wales FIlm Festival 2025 Manfields Town Film Festival 2025 Brighton Rocks Film Festival 2025

Best Horror/Thriller

Safe Home

Dir Jolly Jack

Produced Smashing Pictures

HONOURABLE MENTION SUNDERLAND SHORT FILM FESTIVAL

OFFICIAL SELECTION

Dinard Film Festival 2023 HB Film Festival 2023 Edinburgh Short Film Festival 2023 Partick Film Festival Poppy Jasper 2023

All Up There

Dir Bon MacRae

Produced Jolly Jack. Funded by Little Pictures

OFFICIAL SELECTION

Silver Prize Young Director Award 2024. (Pasion Project) BFI Future Film Festival 2024 Glasgow Film Festival 2023 Scotish Filmmaker Prize (nominated) 2023

Persephone 35mm

Dir Dora Sustic

BEST STUDENT FILM CINEMATOGRAPHY -NEW YORK CINEMATOGRAPHY AWARDS

BEST STUDENT FILM - MOSCOW SHORTS 2019 BEST STUDENT FILM - CONTINENTAL FILM FESTIVAL 2020

OFFICIAL SELECTION

Moscow Shorts

Early Bird International Short Film Festival 2019

Cinelebu - Festival International de Cine de Lebu 2019

Dumbo Film Festival New York 2019

Porto Femme International Film Festival 2019

Oregon Cinema Arts Film Festival 2019

FAMUFEST Prague 2018

New Years 16mm

Dir Leila Lasma Produced by FAMU

OFFICIAL SELECTION

Switch Short Film Festival (Rotterdam, NL) Original Narratives Short Film Festival (Dubai, UAE)

COMMERCIALS

Taboo Dir. Niya Taylor Dir. Plus Another One OFFICIAL SELECTION Aesthetica Film Festival 2024

MUSIC VIDEOS

Solo ⋅ Myles Smith Dir. Niya Taylor Prod. Plus Another One

Children of Nowhere · Rosanne Erskine Dir. Bon MacRae

DOCUMENTARY

The Boy And The Suit Of Lights Dir. Inma de Reyes (Feature film)

Produced by Aconite/Rusticcanyonpics Co-cinematographers: Theodor Solin Alana Mejia Gonzalez

▶ Honey Bunny Duracell 35mm

Director/Cinematographer

BEST DOCUMENTARY PAPER BIRD AWARD LJMU MA BEST CINEMATOGRAPHY STUDENT AWARD BY THE CZECH SOCIETY OF CINEMATOGRAPHER (AČK)

BEST DOCUMENTARY SHORT FILM BY ISFF 2023 INTERNATIONAL SPORT FILM FESTIVAL SLOVENIA

MENTION D'HONNEUR SPORT MOVIES&TV FICTS

OFFICIAL SELECTION

DokFilm 2022

Zsigmont Vilmos Film Festival 2022 Zlin 62nd International Film Festival 2022

Finále Plzeň Film Festival 2022

Torino Underground CineFest 2022 SportFilm Festival Liberec 2022

Festival Internacional de Cine de Lebu 2023 Watersprite - Best Directing Nomination

RapidLion - Best International Student Film Nomination Fest Cultura Film Festival. Barcelona 2023

Working Differently

Dir Hannah Currie Produced Blazing Griffin

City of Hope

Dir. Hannah Currie Produced by STV/Bullion

Co-cinematographer: Steve Cardo

Killing Myself Laughing

Dir. Maria Viola

Produced and funded by Little Pictures

SCOTTISH MENTAL HEALTH ART FESTIVAL WINNER: VOICES OF EXPERIENCE

OFFICIAL SELECTION

Toronto International Women Film Festival Women over 50 Film Festival

Growing Up Green

Dir. Maria Viola

BBC | Co-cinematographer: Tom Duncan

(i) Isabel's Independence

Co-dir. Inma de Reyes

Produced by SDI and Creative Scotland On BBC Iplayer until 8th August 2022

Travelling light

Dir Conxi Fornieles | Prod. Salmon Films OFFICIAL SELECTION

Leeds International Film Festival 2015 London Short Film Festival 2016 ZagrebDox 2016 Madeira Film Festival 2016 Iberodocs 2016 Sef-Smaragdni Eco Film Festival 2016 Festival de Cine de Zaragoza 2016