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## Director, Producer, Editor, Assistant Director

### SUMMARY

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With experience working in Film and HETV productions at every stage – from initial pitching to project completion. Making the most out of limited budgets and tight production schedules.

I've directed Live Action and Animation (in both film and HETV), Infomercials, Testimonials, "Talking Heads", Promos, Commercials and Action sequences.

My work has been included in more than 30 international film festivals, including the BAFTA and BIFA qualifying Bolton Film Festival, Brighton Rocks International Film Festival (BIFA), Melbourne International Queer Film Festival, Crystal Palace International Film Festival (BIFA), Morelia International Film Festival, etc.

My Work: <https://vimeo.com/alejandroalberola>

### CAREER EXPERIENCE & FILMOGRAPHY HIGHLIGHTS

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#### **Chicken Feed! (Writer, Director, Producer, Editor) 2025**

Horror-Comedy short film, created for the 666 Horror Short Film Challenge organized by the Independent Horror Society.

#### **Black Hole Barry (Writer, Director, Producer, Editor) 2024**

Horror-Comedy short film, official selection in 22 International Film Festivals, winner Best Horror Comedy – London Horror Film Awards, winner Best SFX – Dead Northern Film festival.

<https://vimeo.com/1021288958> password: blackhole24

#### **For Queen and Country, the story of Denis Rake MC (Director, Producer, Editor) 2023-2024**

Docudrama based on the life of Denis Rake, an openly gay actor, drag queen and spy in WW2.

Official Selection Melbourne Queer Film Festival 2023. Winner Best LGBTQ+ and Best Actor – SOHO London Independent Film Festival. <https://vimeo.com/1019790674/ab8b7ae66>

#### **The Serial Killer's Wife (2nd Unit Director) June – July 2023**

Limited series for Paramount+.

Directed by Laura Way and produced by Jonathan Phillips for Clapperboard Studios.

#### **Assistant Director June 2019 – Present**

3rd AD and Crowd 3rd AD for Films and HETV Dramas such as Silo (Apple TV), I Came BY (Netflix), House of the Dragon (HBO), Chemistry of Death (Paramount+), Enola Holmes (Legendary/Netflix), In the Long Run (SKY), Alex Rider (SONY), The Flash (WB), Lift (Netflix), etc.

#### **The Pharaoh's Eye (Writer, Producer, Director, Editor) 2017**

Action-adventure short film. Winner "Best Narrative Short Film" Independent Shorts Awards and "Best Action Adventure Short" Another Hole in the Head Film Fest. <https://vimeo.com/manage/videos/187691573>

#### **Corazones (Director, Producer) 2016**

Music video for Matilde Band

#### **The Forbesbank Secret, (Writer, Producer, Director, Editor) 2014-2017**

Independent, micro budget feature film. Now on Amazon Prime.

**Los Blasfemos (Director, Editor)****May – August 2017**

TV Pilot teaser for a high concept action-drama series about a group of Mexican wrestlers who are also vigilantes and justice warriors.

- Brought to life a condensed "teaser" version of what would be the first episode of the series. Focused on setting the tone, style and production value of the IP. <https://vimeo.com/manage/videos/339351178>

**Theatre - El Cuello de Cristina" (Writer, Director, Producer)****Jan – May 2017**

With 25 shows in total, 14 sold out, it was the most successful production of that season at one of Mexico City's top independent venues.

**TV Azteca - Filmmaker & Consultant****May 2013 – June 2015**

- Worked as Director, Director of Photography and Editor of TV Advertisements, special programmes and corporate videos. Projects included:
  - Splenda 'Dile Sí a Splenda'
  - Quaker State 'Gana con Quaker State (Spot 2)'
  - Quaker State 'Gana con Quaker State (Spot 1)' <https://vimeo.com/manage/videos/391003648>
  - Jugueton 'Jugueton 2015'
  - Banco Azteca 'En Banco Azteca'
  - Elektra 'Sólo en Elektra'
  - Azteca Operaciones 'Servicios Integrales Azteca'
  - Knorr 'En mi cocina'
  - Nescafé 'Gana con Nescafé'
  - Italika 'Primero Italika'
  - Banco Azteca 'Gente Azteca'

**AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS**

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- 2025 **Best LGBTQ+** and **Best Actor**, SOHO London Independent Film Festival, UK
- 2024 **Best SFX**, Dead Northern Film Festival, UK
- 2024 **Best Horror Comedy**, London Horror Film Awards, UK
- 2020 **Best Dark Comedy**, Hollywood Blood Horror Film Festival, Los Angeles, CA
- 2020 **John Thaw Initiative Official Selection**, of my Screenplay "The Impractical Murder of Christian Morales"
- 2018 **Best Narrative Short Film**, Independent Shorts Awards, Los Angeles, CA
- 2017 **Best Action Adventure Short**, Another Hole In the Head Film Fest, San Francisco, CA

**QUALIFICATIONS & EDUCATION**

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- Colegio México Bachillerato  
**Bachelor's Degree in Arts.**
- Centro de Capacitacion Cinematografica  
**Diploma in Art & Production Design for Film & Television**
- New York Film Academy  
**Filmmaking Diploma**

**References available upon request**