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Director

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EDUCATION

- **BA in Business and Management**
  Northampton University 2019 - 2022

- **Intro to Producing/ Foundation in Filmmaking**
  MetFilm School
  2020 - 2021

- **Movie Magic Scheduling**
  National Film and Television School 2021

- **Cinematography**
  Raindance Film School
  2021

EXPERTISE

- Self shooting with ARRI, RED, Sony FX3/6 , FS7, Blackmagic
- Realizing shot lists, mood board, storyboard, budget breakdowns, pitch decks and scripts
- Video Editing, color and VFX : Da Vinci Resolve, Premiere Pro, Avid Media Composer, After Effects
- Finding locations and hiring crew on a small budget
- Scheduling on a tight deadline

AWARDS

- Best Short Film - London Indipendent Film Festival - 2024

ABOUT ME

Italian Film Director based in London, with versatile experience across feature films spanning genres from action to horror, drama to romantic comedy. Over the past three years, I've directed a range of short films, commercials, documentaries, and music videos. In 2023, I debuted as a feature film director with Island of the Dolls 2, an horror film now streaming on Prime Video, Tubi, and Apple TV. My recent short, The Interpreter, a gritty drama, won Best Short Film at the 2024 London Independent Film Festival and earned four other nominations. Of the six feature films I directed this year, two are set for theatrical release in 2025. I am currently directing my first TV miniseries.

I bring expertise as a self-shooting director and a strong background in post-production, with proficiency in Da Vinci Resolve, Premiere Pro, and After Effects. Known for my effective communication with cast and crew on productions of all scales, I excel at managing fast-paced, demanding schedules.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Director   2024

Lawyer Up, My Heiress! / TV Mini Series/ Light house Nation

RomCom, currently in production

Director   2024

Mouseboat Massacre/ Feature Film / ITN Studios (US)

Horror move, theatrical release January 2025

Director   2024

Hook/ Feature Film / ITN Studios (US)

Horror move, release 2025

Director   2024

Piglet/ Feature Film / Jagged Edge Productions/ ITN Studios (US)

Slasher horror movie, theatrical release December 2024

Director   2024

Bait / Feature Film / EMRJ Entertainment (UK)

Horror creature movie currently in post production

Director   2024

Pups Alone 2 / Feature Film / Jagged Edge Productions (UK)

Action Family movie/ completed/ Release date Christmas 2024

LANGUAGE

English
Italian
Spanish
French

WORK EXPERIENCE

Director   2023

The Dancing Queen / Feature Film / Jagged Edge Productions (UK)

Romance, comedy/ completed/ release date September 2024

Director

Island of the Dolls 2 / Feature Film / ITN Studios (US)

Currently released on Amazon Prime, Apple TV, Tubi in UK, US, Canada, Australia

Director / Co-Producer   2023

The Interpreter / Short Film / Bastet Productions

Short Film filmed in 1 day with 1 month of Production. Budgeted, raised 80 % of the finances, found and managed location, production and post-production crew and equipment. Created mood board, storyboard and shot list according to the tight schedule.

Writer / Director   2022

The Truckman / Short Film / Bastet Productions

Short Film about drought issue and climate change filmed in 2 days. Wrote the script which has won 5 awards as Best Screenplay. Helped with raising finance and finding accommodations for actors and crew. Made Breakdown of the film, shot list and story board.

Director / Producer   2022

Student Guild Documentary / Documentary / Bloomsbury Institute

Made budget proposal, managed contributors, assembled a small crew composed by 2 cam op who managed 3 cameras, Made schedule and filmed in 1 day. Edited and delivered.

Director   2022

Timeline world NFT/ Commercial / Three Good Vibes Films

Directed this commercial for a digital museum in Dubai. Helped the client on writing the story, found actor, edited and VFX using After Effects.