

# BRAD WATSON

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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

"Brad Watson (is) one of the most exciting upcoming directors to watch." - VARIETY June 2024.

After a successful career in the cutting rooms of Pinewood Studios and London's Soho, Brad wrote and directed the horror comedy ASYLUM NIGHT, winning the Tromafling award for 'Best UK Feature' at the Edinburgh Festival, prompting Kim Newman of Empire Magazine to liken him to 'early Peter Jackson'. Thus followed a career spanning Music Videos, Short films, Web series and 10 feature films so far, including MISS WILLOUGHBY AND THE HAUNTED BOOKSHOP starring KELSEY GRAMMER which reached no 3 in the USA iTunes family chart and the UK Amazon charts, and the upcoming \$4M survival thriller, THE BAYOU, scheduled for USA theatrical end of Feb 2025. Brad also continues to be a sought after editor of other film maker's projects.

## FEATURE FILMS DIRECTED

### VIDEO KILLED THE RADIO STAR

Dreamtown - Director - London  
England - 2024

**Genre** - Horror

**Starring** - Harriet Cains, Luke Brandon Field and Harvey Dean

### TILL THEFT DO US PART

Vega Starlight Productions -  
Director - Montenegro - 2024

**Genre** - Comedy

**Starring** - Leslie Ash, Michael Landes, Stefan Boehm

### THE BAYOU

Vertical/Tea Shop - Director -  
Manila - Philippines - 2024

**Genre** - Action Thriller

**Starring** - Elisha Applebaum, Madalena Aragão, Athena Strates

### HUSH NOW

Dreamtown - Director - Highfield  
Grange Studios - 2023

**Genre** - Thriller

**Starring** - Roxanne McKee, Nick Moran, Victor Hugo

### I'LL PLAY MOTHER

Dreamtown - Director - Highfield  
Grange Studios - 2023

**Genre** - Supernatural Thriller

**Starring** - Jo Martin, Susanne Wuest, Shubham Saraf

### THE SIEGE

HGS/SABAN - Director - Highfield  
Grange Studios - 2022

**Genre** - Action

**Starring** - Daniel Stisen, Lauren Okadigbo, Yennis Cheung

### MISS WILLOUGHBY AND THE HAUNTED BOOKSHOP

MSR Media/Lionsgate - Director -

**Genre** - Family Mystery

**Starring** - Kelsey Grammer, Tara Fitzgerald, Caroline Quentin

York - 2021

### **FOR WE ARE MANY**

HEX MEDIA - Director - London - 2017

**Genre** - Horror

**Starring** - Jamie Scott Gordon, Iain Mitchell Leslie, Keith Robson

### **HALLOWS EVE**

October31 Films - Director - London - 2016

**Genre** - Horror

**Starring** - Sarah Akokhia, Ethan Taylor, Lenox Kambaba

### **BEACON77**

Revolt Films - Director - London - 2011

**Genre** - Supernatural Thriller

**Starring** - Kelly Adams, Jonathan Rhodes, Lucy Evans

### **ASYLUM NIGHT**

Revolt Films - Director - London - 2008

**Genre** - Horror Comedy

**Starring** - Adrienne Carlyle, Michelle Esclapez, David Horton

## **SKILLS**

**\*\*Composer\*\***: Creates original scores across various genres, enhancing emotional depth.

**\*\*Editor\*\***: Experienced editor with attention to detail, improving flow and pacing while preserving core messages.

**\*\*Special Effects\*\***: Vast knowledge and experience of digital effects as a director with hands-on experience in Post Production.

**\*\*Fast Shooting Ability\*\***: Efficient in executing tight shooting schedules while maintaining high-quality visuals.

**\*\*Script Analysis\*\***: Analyzes scripts to identify themes and character arcs with a particular passion for structure and pacing.

**\*\*Exceptional Industry Knowledge\*\***:

Understands industry trends and technologies, facilitating strategic project planning.

**\*\*Ability to Work Under Pressure\*\***: Maintains focus in high-stress situations, managing time effectively to meet deadlines.

**\*\*Ability to Stay Within Budget\*\***: Proficient in budget planning and tracking, committed to delivering projects on time and within budget.