

Adam Butcher is an award-winning writer and director and recent graduate of the Berlinale Talents campus.

He has written and directed many successful short films, with four Vimeo Staff Picks to his name. His viral thriller *Internet Story* attracted over a million views in the first week of release, while *Bradley Manning Had Secrets* continues to play at festivals worldwide and won 'Best Short Film' at Mix Copenhagen 2013. His most recent short film *The Prevailing Winds* was funded by Film London and premiered at the BFI London Film Festival.

Adam previously worked for BBC Creative, directing promos for big brands such as *The Last Kingdom* and *Doctor Who* – but he left in order to pursue a full-time career in Feature Film and TV. Among a slate of projects, Adam is developing a science-fiction TV Series *Ouija Simulations* and recently finished writing a feature adaptation of *Internet Story* for Western Edge Pictures (*Third Star*, *Prevenge*).

Filmography

Ouija Simulations TV Series (*In Development*): Writer, Director

- Originally commissioned by Super Deluxe

Internet Story (working title) Feature Film (*In Development*): Writer

- Commissioned by Western Edge Pictures

Robots (working title) Feature Film (*In Development*): Writer, Director

Not The End Of The World Feature Film (*In Development*): Writer, Director

The Prevailing Winds ([link](#)) Drama Short (2016, 12min): Director

- "Vimeo Staff Pick"
- Premiered at **BFI London Film Festival**

A Date With An Enfield ([link](#)) Experimental Short (2016, 2min): Writer, Director

- Premiered at **Cork International Film Festival**

Simulated Dead People ([link](#)) Drama Web Series (2016, 4 x 5min): Writer, Director

- Official Selection at **Geneva International Film Festival, Marseilles Web Fest, Raindance Web Fest**
- "Web Series of the Week" – IndieSeriesNet

The Game That Time Forgot ([link](#)) Animated Short (2014, 7min): Writer, Director

- "Vimeo Best Of 2014" and over a million views across web

Sons of Atom ([link](#)) Drama Short (2012, 13min): Writer, Director

- Official Selection at **Brooklyn Film Festival, London Short Film Festival, Québec City Film Festival, Fantasia International Film Festival** and many more

Bradley Manning Had Secrets ([link](#)) Docu-Drama Short (2011, 5min): Writer, Director

- Winner of "Best Short Film" at **Mix Copenhagen 2012**
- "Vimeo Staff Pick" and "Vimeo Best of 2013"
- In Competition at **Oberhausen Festival, Rotterdam Film Festival, CFC Toronto Worldwide Shorts, BFI Lesbian and Gay Film Festival** and many more

Internet Story ([link](#)) Drama/Thriller Short (2010, 9min): Writer, Director

- "Vimeo Staff Pick" – over 1 million views within first week of online release
- Official Selection at **BFI onedotzero Festival, London Short Film Festival, East End Film Festival, interFilm Berlin, Brussels Short Film Festival**

Staff Employment

Creative / Director Red Bee Media & BBC Creative

June 2011 – May 2018

- Director on a range of high-profile promos, including Doctor Who, The Last Kingdom, Magic FM, BBC News, Blue Peter and BBC Two Brand.
- Winner of 4 Promax Gold and 2 EBU Gold Awards, including “Best Overall Promo”

Creative Trainee Red Bee Media

October 2010 – June 2011

Production Assistant Red Bee Media

January 2010 – October 2010

Production Assistant Pure Grass Films

March 2009 – April 2009

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