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• SKILLS

Professional:

- Performance Directing
- Children's
- Drama
- Comedy

Technical:

- Cinematography
- Editing
- Photography
- Design / Branding

• NOTABLE

- **Academy Award®**
One



- **Cannes Lions**
Seven



- **Festival Awards**
Thirty Two



- **Official Selections**
Eighty Three



• WORK EXPERIENCE

in too deep 2023

Drama / Thriller

Shot in Stoke-On-Trent and Derbyshire

Mourning the death of his young daughter, Ben goes to extreme measures using AI technology to relive their fondest memories.

- Raindance Film Festival - Official Selection
- Rhode Island Film Festival - Official Selection
- Hollyshorts Film Festival - Official Selection

Gladstone Girls 2023

Comedy / Drama

Recorded in Stoke-On-Trent

Based on a true story, 5 lithographers fight for their 'Curl Friday' tradition when a new manager threatens to ban it for good.

- 6 Episodes Recorded
- Appeared in Variety Magazine
- Released in 2024

Leader 2021

Drama / Environmental

Shot in Cornwall

Shot entirely on a mobile phone, Donnie, lives on his own in a very remote area by the sea. He creates sculptures from ocean waste, until one day the tide changes and he inspires a new normal.

- Short Shorts Film Festival - Official Selection
- Filmmaker Pro Award - 46th Elche International Film Festival
- Sydney SF3 - Best Director

Huawei - Story Sign 2019

Commercial / Drama

Shot in London, Richmond

Helping 32 million deaf children, the innovative literacy platform Story Sign fosters imagination and facilitates learning to read through technology.

- Won 7 Cannes Lions
- BAFTA Children's Nominee
- Eurobest Grand Prix

The Silent Child 2018

Drama

Shot in Stoke-On-Trent

A profoundly deaf girl born to hearing parents is given the gift of communication by a social worker

- Academy Award® Winner
- Screened to 3.5 Million on BBC One
- Catalyst for Government legislation change



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