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COMMERCIALS

Amazon, Target, Ford, Toyota, Redbull, TCL, Pinterest, Bumble, Spyder, Ralph Lauren, AT&T, Hartmann, Planet Fitness, Prudential, California Lottery, Roku.

MUSIC VIDEOS:

Halsey, Yoshiki, Five Finger Death Punch, American Authors, Jim Stanard, Cigar Cigarette.

FEATURE FILMS, SCRIPTED:

Block Party (2022) Directed by Dawn Wilkinson. Antoinette Robertson, Margaret Avery, Charlyne Yi, Golden Brooks, Terayle Hill, Luenell, Bill Cobbs, John Amos.

Smiley Faced Killers (2020) Directed by Tim Hunter. Ronen Rubinstein, Mia Serafino, Crispin Glover.

Saving Flora (2019) Directed by Mark Taylor. Jenna Ortega, David Arquette, Tom Arnold, Martin Martinez.

I Dared My Best Friend to Ruin My Life... (2020) Directed by Michael Morgenstern. Keith Miller, Jared Scott.

Only Mine (2019) Directed by Mike Civille. Amber Midthunder, Bret Zimmerman,

The Rachels (2016) Directed by Mike Civille. Caitlin Carver, Madison Iseman, and Daniella Bobadilla.

House of Darkness (2016) Directed by Patrick DeLuca. Sara Fletcher, Gunner Wright, Mykayla Sohn.

Guys Reading Poems (2014) Directed by Hunter Lee Hughes. Patricia Velásquez, Lydia Hearst, Alexander Dreymon, Rex Lee.

Joshua Tree, 1951 : A Portrait of James Dean (2012) Directed by Matthew Mishory. James Preston, Robert Gant and Erin Daniels.

Loveless in Los Angeles (2007) Directed by Archie Gips. Dash Mihok, Brittany Daniel, Navi Rawat, James Lesure & Geoffrey Arend.

Inside (2007) Directed by Jeff Mahler. Nick D'Agosto, Leighton Meester and Cheryl White.

SERIES, SCRIPTED:

Insecure (2017, 2022) HBO / 3 Arts Entertainment. DP, additional photography Season 5. DP for 'Due North', 2nd season 'show within show.' Showrunner: Prentice Penny & Issa Rae.

Directors: Mo Marable, Kevin Bray, Pete Chatmon, Ava Berkofsky.

Evil Things (2017) TLC Painless Productions. Showrunner & Director: Patrick DeLuca.

The Deleted (2016) Fullscreen. Showrunner: Bret Easton Ellis, Ross Levine, Braxton Pope.

Director: Bret Easton Ellis.

My Haunted House (2014, 2015) A&E / LMN Painless Productions. DP, Season 3 and 4. Showrunner: Patrick DeLuca. Directors: Patrick DeLuca, Aaron Pope, Paul Boese.

Machinima Presents: Zoochosis (2013) Machinima Prime. Showrunner & Director: Patrick Scott.

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FEATURE FILMS, DOCUMENTARY:

Caught Stealing (2023) Unrealistic Ideas. Directors: Archie Gips and Derek Boonstra

Marilyn Minter (2023) Director : Jennifer Ash Rudick

Scandalous (2021) Magnolia Pictures. Director: Mark Landsman. Emmy Nominee 2021.

Yoshiki, Under the Sky (2021) Youtube Originals. Director: Melanie Pullen.

American Rapstar (2021) Ventureland. Co-DP. Director: Justin Staple.

The Watchtower (2020) - Herzog / Oxygen. Director: Matthew Testa. Recreation DP.

Artur Schnabel : No Place of Exile (2018) - Arte & RBB. Director: Mathew Mishory.

Absent (2014) - Iconoclastic Features. Director: Matthew Mishory. Selected to be screened at Library of Congress.

Love Addict (2011) Fluid Films / Danish Documentary. Directed by Pernille Rose GrønkJær.

Margaret Atwood - In the Wake of the Flood (2010) Sphinx Productions. Director: Ron Mann. Filmed New York and Concert Sequences. G

Viva La Causa (2009) - Bill Brummel Productions / Southern Poverty Law Center. Director: Alonso Mayo. Shortlisted for 2009 Academy Award.

SERIES, UNSCRIPTED:

Soul of a Nation: Black in Vegas (2023) ABC / Hulu. Showrunner : Catherine McKenzie

The Battle for Justina Pelletier (2022) Peacock / Critical Content. Showrunner: David Metzler

El Dorado (2022) Campfire / Netflix. Showrunner: Benjamin Cantu and Ross Girard.

Fresh, Fried and Crispy (2021) Ugly Brother / Netflix. Showrunner: Tim Duffy. Emmy Nominee 2022.

The Shape of Pasta (2020) Ugly Brother / Quibi / Roku. Showrunner: April Jones and Tim Duffy.

F*ck That, with Vince Staples Uproxx. Showrunner Gabe Roth. DP Studio segments.

Dirty John (2019) Herzog / Oxygen. Showrunner / Director: Sara Mast.

Lost Gold (2019) IPC / History Channel. Showrunner / Director: Patrick Deluca.

Lucky Chow with Jet Tila (2015) PBS / Hot Lemon Prod. Dir & Showrunner: Bruce Seidel.

House of DVF (2015) E! / Hud:Sun Media. Showrunners: Michael Rourke & Lenid Rolov. Director: Matt Elkind. DP'd Los Angeles segments.

Win / Win (2015) AOL Originals/ Mandalay Ent. Showrunners: Diana Nguyen / Maris Berzins. DP'd Bob Iger, Chris Paul episodes.

Hangar 1 (2015) History Channel / Go Go Luckey Prods. Show-runner: Doug Sega. Dir. Mitch Marcus.

Fail Lab (2013) Discovery Channel / Testube. Showrunner/Director: Patrick Scott.