

Daniel James

INDEPENDENT FILMMAKER

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HISTORY

2021 Location Producer

Amazon Australia - Social Media Video

Client: The Precinct

Cinematography: BH Photo

I helped organise, produce and direct a series of videos on behalf of The Precinct for Amazon Australia. This is one of them:

<https://youtu.be/INYo2qNDPdg>

2020 Director/Co-Writer/Co-Editor

Mia Culpa - 6x10 minute Webseries

Funded through Arts Tasmania

<https://www.miaculpa.com.au/>

2020 Director/Copywriter/Co-Producer/Editor

BOFA 2020 - 30 second TVC

Client: Breath of Fresh Air Film Festival

<https://vimeo.com/397883748>

2019 Videographer

Seedlab Tasmania - Social Media Video

Client: McMahon Media

<https://vimeo.com/420940941>

2019 Videographer/Editor

Beast Camp - Social Media Video

Client: JCP Youth

<https://vimeo.com/366941439>

2019 Cinematographer

Paralyzed in Paradise - Short Film

Producer/Director: Joyce Vasta

Made with the Assistance of the Australian Film Television and Radio School, Sydney

<https://vimeo.com/421022425>

ABOUT

I am a filmmaker with fourteen years experience creating short films, webseries and TVCs. I have gained valuable experience in the Film and Television industry working various roles. My goals are to expand the depth of my skills as a media professional by gaining further employment in professional film, television and commercial agencies.

My extensive portfolio of work can be viewed at:

www.danieljamesfilm.com

SKILLS

- Excellent communication skills
- Team player and creative problem solver
- Proficient Editor with Adobe Suite CC and AVID software.
- Ability to work under pressure and meet strict deadlines
- Highly motivated, able to take initiative, can apply training quickly.
- Extensive experience in camera operation and lighting.

2019 Editor

Recreational Sites - Social Media Video
Client: Hydro Tasmania
<https://vimeo.com/422327442>

2019 Videographer/Editor

Issacs Gift - Social Media Video
Client: Make Runs Maxi
<https://vimeo.com/343176023>

2018 Cinematographer/Editor/Producer

Collaboration - Social Media Video
Client: Devils Brewery Tasmania
<https://vimeo.com/343176663>

2017 Director/Writer

The Red Chair - Short Film
Producer: Brionny Fagan
Made with the assistance of the Australian,
Film Television and Radio School, Sydney

2016 Art Department Attachment

Rosehaven – Television Series
Producer: Andrew Walker
A Guesswork Television production for ABC

2016 Director

Bloodgurgler – Short Film
Writer: Adam Ransley
Producer: Rogan Brown

• **Official Selection – BOFA Film Festival**

2015 First Assistant Director

Milkbar – Short Film
Director/Producer: Dan Cahill
Independent

2015 First Assistant Director

Coffeehead – Short Film
Director/Producer: Hannah Day
Independent

EDUCATION

**Australian Film, Television and
Radio School, Graduate Certificate
– Directing**

February 2017 - November 2017

**Swinburne University of
Technology, Melbourne Diploma
of Screen and Media**

February 2015 - November 2015

**Rosny College, Hobart, Tasmania
Certificate IV in Screen and Media**

February 2012 - November 2012

**Hobart College, Hobart, Tasmania
Media Production 3c**

February 2008 - November 2008

2015 First Assistant Director

Snare – Short Film
Director/Producer: Alessandro Frosali
JMC Student Film

2015 Editor/First Assistant Director

Bound – Short Film
Writer/Director: Madeline Mckenna
Produced in association with Swinburne University of Technology.

2014 Directors Attachment

The Kettering Incident – Television Series
Director: Rowan Woods
A Porchlight Films & Sweet Potato Films production for FOXTEL.

2014 Director, Writer

Whispers in the Wind – Short Film
Producer: Rogan Brown

- **Official Selection - St. Kilda Film Festival, 2014**
- **Official Selection - Student Cuts Film Festival, Maribor, Slovenia.**

2013 Director

Wing and a Prayer – Short Film
Writer: Adam Ransley
Producer: Matthew Weeding

- **Top 60 Shortlist - Tropfest Australia, 2013**

2011 Director, Writer, Producer, Editor

The Silence of Whitewater – Short Film

- **Best Film (Student) - Canberra Short Film Festival, 2012**
- **Best Director (Student) - Canberra Short Film Festival, 2012**
- **Best Screenplay (Student) - Canberra Short Film Festival, 2012**
- **Best Film - MyState Student Film Festival, 2011**

HONOURS & AWARDS

Shortlisted (Top 60)

Wing and a Prayer
Tropfest Australia 2013

SilverScreen Scholarship Fund

Screen Tasmania 2012

Rosny College V.E.T Media

Production Award 2012

Best Film, Best Director, Best

Screenplay *The Silence of Whitewater*

- Canberra Short Film Festival 2012

(Student Category)

- Mystate Student Film Festival 2011

Best Director

Mirror Me, Son

Rosny College Media Awards 2009

Hobart College Media Production

Award 2008

2011 Second Assistant Director

Dibs – Short Film

Director: Adam Ransley

Producer: Adam Ransley

2011 Third Assistant Director

Macbeth – Independent Feature Film

Director: Brian Dimmick

Dark Oak Films

2010 Director, Co-Writer

The Ballad Of Paul McIntyre – Student Short Film

2010 Clapperloader, Runner

Slashed – Short Film

Director: Rebecca Thompson

Producer: Rogan Brown

**Made under the Raw Nerve initiative
funded by Screen Australia**

2010 Producer

MyState Financial Student Film Festival 2010 –
TVC (30 Seconds)

2009 Director

Mirror Me, Son – Student Short Film

• **Best Director - Rosny College Media
Production Awards, 2009**

REFEREES

(Available Upon Request)