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SELECTED CREDITS:

SHORTS:

Held

Director. Toby Wharton / Prod. Joi Productions & BFI

- Bolton Film Festival - Nominated for Best British Short Film - 2022
- 1.4 Awards - Shortlisted - In the Making - 2022
- Northampton Film Festival - Best Short Drama - 2023
- Nottingham Film Festival - Official Selection - 2023

Minutes

Director. Alix Eve & Olivia Dowd / Prod. A+O

- BFI Flare - Official Selection - 2022
- Outfest - Official Selection - 2022
- Leeds International Film Festival - In Competition - 2022
- British Short Film Awards - Winner of Best British Director 2022

Bluetits (Documentary)

Director. Katie Burdon / Prod. Academy Films

- London Rocks Film Festival - Winner of Best Documentary - 2022
- Kinsale Shark Awards - Shortlisted - Best Documentary - 2022
- Sheffield Adventure Film Festival - Best of the Fest - 2023

Unwrapped

Director. Eva Gauley / Prod. Oli Falcon & Will Bradbury

- Underwire Film Festival - Nominated for Best Cinematography - 2022
- Nottingham Film Festival - Official Selection - 2022

what the dog said to the harvest (Visual Art/Exhibition)

Director. Jasmin Kent Rodgman & Gaelle Moura / Prod. Softlound Co /

- Exhibited at Royal Festival Hall 2023

Send Back The Echo

Director. Jasmin Kent Rodgman / Prod. United Strings of Europe

- London Short Film Festival - Official Selection - 2022
- Fastnet Film Festival - Nominated for Best Arthouse - 2022

Bound

Director. Amy Corrigan / Prod. Kira Fitzpatrick

- Cork Film Festival - Official Selection & Special Mention - 2019
- Flickers Rhode Island International Film Festival - Official Selection - 2020

Master of Ceremonies

Director. Toby Wharton / Prod. Arran Shearing

- East End Film Festival - Nominated for Best UK Short Film - 2018
- Kinofilm Festival - Runner Up: Best British Short - 2018
- Fastnet Film Festival - Official Selection - 2022

In Memoriam Dr H.G.K

Director. Ed Hughes / Prod. Jon Tarcy

- Rainsdance Film Festival - Official Selection - 2021
- Beeston Film Festival - Official Selection - 2022

Final Notations

Director. Alicja Rymarowicz / Prod. Blue Tribe Studio

Something Seen

Director. Alix Eve / Prod. Olivia Dowd

- 1.4 Awards - Longlisted - In the Making - 2020

Sports Allies (Documentary)

Director. Cait Lyn Adamson / Prod. Sky Sports

COMMERCIALS / MUSIC VIDEOS

If I Had More Time - Breast Cancer Now

Director Katie Burdon, Producer Cara Mills, Production Company Academy Films

Speedo SS124

Director Sian Spicer, Producer Pentland Studio

Tripadvisor x Shell - Recharge

Director Tom Stevens, Producer Ben Londesborough, Production Company Untold Fable

Elvie - Ease, Squeeze, Repeat

Director Emily Anderson, Producer Geraldine Cabanero, Production Company Untold Fable

Samaritans - Prisoner Listener Scheme

Director Phoebe Brooks, Producer Jenny Garrett, Production Company Nowadays

Pepsi 'Thirsty'

Director Amber Pinkerton, Producer Candy Field, Production Company Cry Havoc

Net A Porter x Loewe Paula

Director Amber Pinkerton, Producer Elle Robertson, Production Company Net A Porter

Begg & Co

Director Martin Zahringer, Production Company Begg & Co

Homebound

Director Amber Pinkerton, Producer Leigh Hurst, Production Company Lalaland Productions

Emie Nathan: Static (Music Video)

Director Jennifer McCord, Producer Alisa Tritenko

Work is Boring

Director Sandeep Gill, Production Company Perkbox

EDF Energy: A Day in the Life

Director Andy Michaels, Producer Jack Wright, Production Company We Are Thirty Three

Emie Nathan: Good Thing (Music Video)

Director Jennifer McCord, Producer Alisa Tritenko

TELEVISION / FEATURE FILMS

A Paedophile in My Family: Surviving Dad (Documentary)

Dir. Sophie Oliver, Producer Val Croft, Production Company Frank Films - Channel 4

Slow Horses (CCTV Camera Operator)

Season 2-4 Dailies

Dir. Jeremy Lovering, Producer Jane Robertson, Production Company Jackson River Films - Apple TV

Scandalous: Phone Hacking on Trial (Camera Operator)

Director James Newton, Producer Sasha Kosminsky, Production BBC

Locked In - (DOP Shadowee)

DOP: Remi Adefarasin BSC, Producer Nicky Betham, Production Company Netflix

My Life as a Rolling Stone (Camera Operator)

Director Clare Tavernor, Producer Nic Preston, Production BBC

EDUCATION/QUALIFICATIONS:

London Film School: 2015-2017 (MA Filmmaking)

Illuminatrix Rising Member

International Collective of Female Cinematographers (ICFC) Member

Women Behind the Camera Member

BFI Step Up Scheme Participant

Screenskills Illuminatrix Mentor

Passports: Irish and American

Full Clean UK Drivers License

Languages: English

PSIA Level One Ski Instructor

PADI Open Water Diving Certificate