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FILMMAKER

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PROFILE

I am a Toronto-based filmmaker with experience in **Directing, Writing, Producing, and Cinematography** of visual content. I've created fiction, documentary, music videos, commercial, and web content. Through eight years of film studies and working in the film industry I've familiarized myself with all aspects of the craft.

I have shot films in Canada, US, Germany, Spain, Israel, and Panama. This gave me a sense of different production modes, and an experience in multi- national production environment. I believe in a constructive environment and collaboration.

I put a great emphasis on compelling, visually-driven storytelling, and I attempt to use all cinematic means to achieve it. My goal as a filmmaker is to use visual platforms to engage different audiences and communicate ideas and emotions.

EDUCATION

- **B.A Film Studies** // 2013-2017
  Ryerson University, Toronto, ON, Canada
- **Bagrut Diploma, Film Production** // 2007-2011
  Thelma Yellin School of the Arts, Givatayim, Israel

EXPERIENCE

- **Shehita (Short Film)** // 2017 (Canada)
  Director / Writer
  Ryerson University thesis project. Made in co operation with The Ashkenaz Foundation.
  * RUFF (Ryerson University Film Festival): Best Director, Best Leading Actor, Best Leading Actress, Best Editor, and The People's Choice.
  * Miami Jewish Film Festival - Official Selection
  * Toronto Jewish Film Festival- Official Selection
- **El Nazareno (Short Docuemntary)** // 2017 (Panama)
  Cinematographer
  Ryerson University thesis project.
  * RUFF (Ryerson University Film Festival): Best Documentary
- **The Final Road (Short Docuemntary)** // 2016
  (Canada / US) Director / Producer / Writer/ Editor
  A short doc about the history of Nazi prosecution in North America. Shot in Canada, US, and Germany
  * Warsaw Jewish Film Festival- Official Selection
- **Sexual Being (Short Docuemntary)** // 2016 (Canada/ US)
  Creative Consultant
  BravoFactual Production
  * Miami International Film Festival - Official Selection
- **SuperKick'd** // 2015-2016 (Canada)
  Cinematographer
  Chief Cinematographer of SuperKick'd boxing rock show events
- **Adamon & Associates Inc.** // 2015 (Canada)
  Director / Writer/ Producer / Cinematographer
  Made the company's advertisement videos
- **After Dark (Short Film)** // 2015 (Canada)
  Director / Story Development
  A Ryerson 3rd year narrative project, starred by Hailey Kittle and Jadon Clews

EXPERIENCE

- **Gitanos (Short Documentary)** // 2014 (Spain)
  Director / Producer / Writer/ Cinematographer
  An independent documentary about the roots of Flamenco culture in Seville, Spain.
- **SecuriCore (Commercial)** // 2013 (Canada)
  Cinematographer
- **Anna (Short FIlm)** // 2013 (Canada)
  Director / Producer / Writer
  A Ryerson University short film, shot on 16mm Bolex
- **Shuk- Buk (Commercial)** // 2012 (Israel)
  Director / Producer/ Writer
- **SMART (Commercial)** // 2012 (Israel)
  Director / Producer/ Writer
- **Soldiers of Eternity (Short FIlm)** // 2011 (Israel)
  Director / Writer
  Thelma Yellin School of the Arts' thesis project
  * School's selection for the Lia Van Lir competition at the Jerusalem Film Festival
- **Pretty Things (Music Video)** // 2010 (Israel)
  Cinematographer
  * Tel Aviv Cinemateque's Clip Tzaiyr Competition - Best Creative LIghting Award

RELEVANT SKILLS

CREATIVE
TEAMWORKER
INNOVATIVE
COMMUNICATIVE
COMPETENT
ASSERTIVE
RESPONSIBLE
ORGANIZED
FAST LERNER
MULTI TASKING

CAMERAS
DSLR
RED
ARRI AMIRA
Sonny FS700
Panasonic HMC150
16mm Bolex

POST PRODUCTION
PREMIERE PRO
FINAL CUT PRO
AFTER EFFECTS
PHOTOSHOP

OTHER
ON SET SOUND RECORDING
GRIP AND LIGHTING
ADing
Stills Photography
Graphic Design

ACHIEVEMENTS

- **Best Director Award - Shehita** // 2017
  RUFF (Ryerson University Film Festival)
- **Best Documentary Award - El Nazaerno** // 2017
  RUFF (Ryerson University Film Festival)
- **Ryan Churchill Primising Filmmaker Award** // 2016
  Ryerson University
- **Thelma Yellin's Choice for Jerusalem Film Festival - Soldiers of Eternity** // 2011
  Thelma Yellin School of the Arts
- **Best Creative Lighting - Pretty Things** // 2010
  Tel Aviv Cinemateque
- **Official Selection - Shehita** // 2017
  Miami Jewish Film Festival
  Toronto Jewish Film Festival
- **Official Selection - The Final Road** // 2016
  Warsaw Jewish Film Festival
- **Official Selection - Sexual Beings** // 2016
  Miami International Film Festival

RECOMMENDATIONS

*** Mac Boucher / *GRIMES Creative Director, Route Eleven, Creative Partner***
*** Paul Stavropoulos / *Blue Hour Productions CEO, Creative Partner***
*** Michal Conford / *Ryerson University Production Professor, Creative Partner***

Contact Upon Request

Partners

Blue Hour Productions ● **Crimson Fish** ● **Route Eleven** ● **135 Studios** ● **Ontario Cameras**