



HANNAH HILLIARD: DIRECTOR/WRITER

Grant Recipient of Screen Australia's Acclaim Fund 2011
Master of Arts - Film and Television Direction AFTRS 2007

FEATURE FILMS IN DEVELOPMENT

GOLDEN PEOPLE (Director)

A family comedy about a 16-year-old swimmer, Paris, and his winning-obsessed mother, Laura, who wants him to become a National champion. But when Paris falls for fellow sports-star, Ariel, and discovers there's more to life than winning, his mother's dreams of gold are threatened, and their perfect family starts to fall apart.

FLORES (Writer & Director)

A drama about a wealthy pearling family of Australian and Indonesian descent. When Singapore falls and the Japanese take control of a remote Indonesian island, a young family has to fight to stay together.

SHORT FILMS

2010

FRANSWA SHARL

Director & Co- Writer
Screen Australia/ 14 mins /35MM

Cast: Callan McAuliffe, John Batchelor, Diana Glenn, Ivy Latimer, Steve Le Marquand

AWARDS

- Berlin International Film Festival 2010 – Winner Crystal Bear – Best Short Film
- Berlin International Film Festival 2010 –Teddy Award Nominee
- Melbourne International Film Festival 2010 – Best Australian Short Film
- Flickerfest International Short Film Festival 2010 – IF Award Most Popular Film
- KUKI International Short Film Festival Berlin _ Audience Award
- 21st Hamburg International Queer Film Festival 2010 – Best Short Film
- Curtas Vila Do Conde 2010 – Honourable Mention
- WOW Film Festival 2011 – Best Short Drama
- WOW Film Festival 2011 – Audience Award
- BE Film New York – Best Short Film

SCREENINGS

- Aspen Shortsfest 2010
- Edinburgh International Short Film Festival 2010
- Palm Springs International Short Film Festival 2010
- Rhode Island International Short Film Festival 2010
- Odense International Short Film Festival 2010
- LA Shortsfest 2010
- Heart of Gold 2010
- The Kinemathek Karlsruhe 2010
- Chicago International Children's Film Festival 2010
- 17th Queer Film Festival Bremen 2010
- Perlen - Hannovers lesbisch-schwules Filmfest 2010
- International Filmfestival in Ramallah, Palestine 2010
- 34th Open Air Filmfest Weiterstadt 2010
- Austin Gay & Lesbian International Film Festival 2010
- The Discovery Film Festival, Scotland 2010

- St Tropez Film Festival 2010
- Rio de Janeiro International Short Film Festival 2010
- Uppsala International Short Film Festival 2010
- Rocky Mountain Women's Film Festival 2010
- St Louis International Short Film Festival 2010
- Aguilar De Campoo Short Film Festival. Spain 2010
- Kulturbunker, Cologne 2010
- Prague International Short Film Festival 2011
- Mardi Gras Film Festival, My Queer Career 2011
- BUFF, Sweden 2011
- Identities Film Festival, Vienna 2011
- Little Big Shots Children's Film Festival 2011
- Cannes Film Festival, Cinephiles 2011
- Frameline – San Francisco 2011
- TransScreen Amsterdam 2011
- St Kilda Film Festival 2011

2007

MOCKINGBIRD

Writer/Director
AFTRS/ 14mins/ 35mm

Cast: Jay Ryan, Gillian Alexy, Loene Carmen, Laurence Breuls

- Atom Awards 2008 – Nominee Best Tertiary Short Fiction
- St Tropez Film Festival 2008 – in competition
- Seattle Film Festival – One Reel 2008
- Flickerfest 2008 – Australian competition
- St Kilda Film Festival 2008 – In competition
- Real Player (Australian and Asian Broadcasting Rights)

2006

EVE

Writer/Director
AFTRS 8mins/ 16mm

Cast: Mia Wasikowska, Oliver Ackland

- AFC Bigscreen National Tour 2007
- Australian Cinematographer's Society –Bronze Award

2002

SEARCH

Writer/Director
Screen NSW/ 20min/ 16mm

Cast: Peter Fenton, Rhiana Griffith, Helen Thomson

- Creteil Women Directors Festival Paris 2003
- St Kilda Film Festival 2003
- Sydney Film Festival 2003 (Young Filmmakers Fund Program)
- Sydney Film Festival 2002 (Main program)
- Odense International Film Festival, Denmark 2002
- Canberra International Film Festival 2002
- Adelaide International Film Festival 2003
- Showtime Australia
- Real Player Asia
- Movieola Canada

2000

BLAME

Writer/Director/Producer
9 mins / video

Cast: Ruth Hessey, Ben Ager, Leah Tansey

- Kaleidoscope Short Film Festival (Winner Best film), 2000
- The Dendy Awards (highly commended), Sydney Film Festival, 2001
- Brisbane International Film Festival, 2001
- Screen Me, The Blue Mountains (finalist), 2001
- Kino Manchester Film Festival, 2001
- Flickerfest 2002 (Most Resourceful Production)
- Screenworks 2002 (Best First Film)
- Melbourne Fringe Festival (Top Ten), 2002
- SBS Television

TVC DIRECTOR

Client: Reckitt Benckiser
Agency: HAVAS New York
Production Company: Freelance

Client: Weight Watchers – Mahalia Barnes
Agency: BMF
Production Company: @radicalmedia (Sydney)

Client: Adidas
Agency: Heimat
Production Company: @radicalmedia (Germany)

Intel Visibly Smart Campaign - Batik Fractal
Client: Intel
Agency: Amsterdam Worldwide
Production Company: @radicalmedia (London)

Intel Visibly Smart Campaign - Jogja Hip Hop Foundation
Client: Intel
Agency: Amsterdam Worldwide
Production Company: @radicalmedia (London)

Client: Lion Nathan
Agency: Publicis Mojo
Production Company: @radical.media (Sydney)

Client: Mediciens Sans Frontieres
Agency: Republic of Everyone
Production Company: @radical.media (Sydney)

Client: Flickerfest International Film Festival
Star Wars Spoof
Festival Trailer

Client: Roads & Traffic Authority
Agency: Saatchi & Saatchi
Production Company: Freelance

TELEVISION DRAMA

- 2009 NEIGHBOURS
Director – 16 episodes
Network 10 / Fremantle Media
- 2005 THE SURGEON
Director -Title Sequence
Production Company: Southern Star – John Edwards
- 2003 THE SECRET LIFE OF US
Director’s Attachment to Roger Hodgman
(funded by the NSW Film & Television Office)

OTHER WORK:

AFTRS

- Directing Lecturer – Character Performance and Script
Guest Panel Speaker – Various industry discussions
2014 Applications Assessor
- 2012 Sydney Film Festival
Dendy Awards Judging Panel
- 2009 - 2012 University Of New South Wales
Producer and director of a number of video projects
Clients: UNSW Foundation, Australian School of Business, UNSW Faculties of Law, Medicine, Built Environment, Engineering, Science, Nura Gili & COFA.
- 2011 Flickerfest International Short Film Festival
International Competition Judging Panel
- 2010 The Hunter
Screen NSW - Director’s attachment
Produced by Porchlight Films
- 2007 Australian Film Commission
Indivision Workshop
Director for Gary’s House
Producer: Amanda Higgs
- 2006 ONE SHOT
Director
Govt Health Department Documentary
Kirketon Road Centre
- 2004 CATHO THE DOCO
Documentary Director
Produced by Luscious International & Karl Marks