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Biography:

My career began in Los Angeles in 2011 as a loader and 2nd AC and have been a Focus Puller since 2013. I joined IATSE Local 600 in 2015. I have worked on numerous features, TVCs, and series for Disney, ABC, Amazon, Netflix, Hulu, and others. I relocated to New Zealand in November 2017. I am a U.S. Citizen and New Zealand Permanent Resident. I also currently serve as Chair for Professional Development for the New Zealand Cinematography Society.

2024

“Air New Zealand: ‘Seats to Suit’” (TVC: Eyes and Ears, FCB)	D.P. Will Prosor	ARRI Alexa MiniLF	1st A.C.
“Klara and the Sun” (Feature Film; Sony Pictures)	D.P. Mike Berlucchi	ARRI Alexa65, Alexa35	1st A.C. C Cam

2023

“Madam” (TV3, Warner Bros. Discovery Series)	D.P.s: Dave Cameron, NZCS, ACS; Simon Tutty; Andrew McGeorge, NZCS Cam Op: Dana Little	ARRI Alexa MiniLF Anamorphic	1st A.C. A Cam M.U.
“Shark Week: Featuring Jason Momoa” (Bach; TVC)	D.P. Kevin Sarnoff Cam Op: Ayrton Winitana	ARRI Alexa Mini	1st A.C. B Cam
“After the Party” (TVNZ Series)	D.P. Dave Cameron, NZCS, ACS	ARRI Alexa35	1st A.C. A Cam
“Kia ‘EV6’” (TVC; Reel Factory)	D.P. Renaud Maire, NZCS	Sony Venice	1st A.C.
“Tower Insurance: Remote” (TVC; Eight)	D.P. Andrew Stroud, NZCS	ARRI Alexa Mini LF	1st A.C.

2022

“Spark: Summer of Cricket” (TVC; Flying Fish)	D.P. Andrew Stroud, NZCS	ARRI Alexa35	1st A.C.
“Power Rangers: Once and Always” (Netflix; Feature)	D.P. Ollie Jones Cam Op: Ayrton Winitana	RED Raptor	1st A.C. B Cam
“TVNZ: Cinematic Universe” (TVC; The Sweet Shop)	D.P. Nigel Bluck NZCS, ACS Cam Op: Crighton Bone	ARRI Alexa Mini LF	1st A.C. B Cam
“McDonald’s: Here and Now” (TVC; Larchmont TV)	D.P. John Toon NZCS, ACS	ARRI Alexa Mini LF	1st A.C.

2020-21

“Hey Toyota” (TVC; Flying Fish)	D.P. Andrew Stroud, NZCS	ARRI Alexa Mini LF	1st A.C.
“The Lord of the Rings: The Rings of Power” (Amazon Prime Series)	D.P.s Aaron Morton, NZCS; Alex Disenhof, ASC; Peter Field Cam Ops: Todd Bilton, Sigi Spath, George Hennah	ARRI AlexaLF, MiniLF	1st A.C. C Cam 2U; 1st AC A. Cam, Splinter Unit
“The Pact” (TVNZ Series)	D.P. Dave Cameron, NZCS, ACS	ARRI Alexa Mini Anamorphic	1st A.C.
“Cowboy Bebop” (Netflix Series)	D.P. Peter McCaffrey Cam Op: Tim Butters	Panavision DXL2	1st A.C. A Cam 2U
“McDonald’s Summer” (TVC; Flying Fish)	D.P. Andrew Stroud, NZCS	ARRI Alexa Mini Anamorphic	1st A. C.
“Warehouse Xmas” (TVC; Finch)	D.P. Andrew Stroud, NZCS	ARRI Alexa Mini Anamorphic	1st A. C.
“Mystic” (BBC/TVNZ Series)	D.P. Dave Cameron NZCS, ACS. Cam Op: Drew Sturge	ARRI Alexa Mini	1st A.C. B Cam 1st A.C. Steadicam
 2019			
“Mainland” (TVC; Colenso)	D.P. Fernando Hart	ARRI Alexa Mini	1st A.C.
“Skysport: Naked Baby” (TVC; Finch)	D.P. John Toon NZCS, ASC Cam Op: Ulric Raymond	Arri Alexa Mini LF	1st A.C.
“Toke” (TV3, Telefeature)	D.P. Dave Cameron NZCS	ARRI Alexa Mini Anamorphic	1st A.C.
“Flybuys: “Coalition” & “Christmas” (TVC; Eight)	D.P. Simon Raby NZCS	ARRI Alexa Mini	1st A.C.
“Lotto: Star Jam” (TVC; Sweetshop)	D.P. Andrew Stroud, NZCS Cam Op: Dana Little	ARRI Alexa Mini	1st A.C. Steadicam
“Steinlager: Colour Yourself Loyal” (TVC; GoodOil)	D.P. Andrew Stroud, NZCS Cam Op: Kirk Pflaum	ARRI Alexa Mini, Canon C300	1st A.C. B Cam
“Stirling Sports: Prove Them Wrong” (TVC; Motion Sickness)	D.P. Clayton Carpinter	ARRI Alexa Mini Anamorphic	1st A.C.
“Newshub: Because It Matters” (TVC; Mediaworks)	D.P. Clayton Carpinter	Sony Venice	1st A.C.
“Genesis: Reimagine” (TVC; Good Oil)	D.P. Andrew Stroud, NZCS	ARRI Alexa Mini Anamorphic	1st A.C. B Cam
“TV Three: It’s All Good” (TVC; Mediaworks)	D.P. Clayton Carpinter	ARRI Alexa Mini	1st A.C.

“Uber Eats Feat. Rachel Hunter, Dai Henwood, Stan Walker, Jono & Ben” (TVC; Sweetshop)	D.P. Crighton Bone	ARRI Alexa LF	1st A.C.
“Adidas: All Blacks” (TVC; Augusto)	D.P. Clayton Carpinter	ARRI Alexa Mini	1st A.C.
2018			
“Torpedo 7” (TVC; Eight)	D.P. Clayton Carpinter	ARRI Alexa Mini Anamorphic	1st A. C.
“Mulan: Character Shoot” (Feature Film Promo; Sprout)	D.P. Aaron Meister Cam Op: Dana Little	Red Helium	1st A.C. A Cam
“New World: ‘Enjoy Better’” (TVC; Flying Fish)	D.P. Marty Williams	ARRI Alexa Mini	1st A.C.
“Air New Zealand: ‘A Better Way to Fly’” (TVC; Flying Fish)	D.P. Clayton Carpinter	ARRI Alexa Mini	1st A.C.
“Sons of Zion: ‘Drift Away’” (Music Video; Eyes and Ears)	D.P. Will Prosor	ARRI AlexaXT Anamorphic	1st A.C.

Selected Works in Los Angeles

2017

“My Little One” (Feature Film)	D.P. Pietro Zuercher, S.C.S.	ARRI Alexa Mini, Alexa EV	1st A.C.
“Love, Antousha” (Documentary Feature)	D.P. Radan Popovic	Canon C300 Mark II	1st A.C. A Cam
“Raw Craft With Anthony Bourdain” (Webseries)	D.P. Daniel Vicchone	Sony FS7	1st A.C.

2016

“Ingrid Goes West” (Feature Film)	D.P. Bryce Fortner Cam Op: Colin MacDonnell	ARRI Alexa Mini Anamorphic	1st A.C. Steadicam
“Lelo Hex featuring Charlie Sheen” (TVC)	D.P. Jason Lehel Cam Op: Grant Culwell	ARRI Alexa Classic	1st A.C. Steadicam

2015

“Disney’s Stuck in the Middle” (Disney Channel Series)	D.P. Suki Medencevic, A.S.C. Cam Op: Radan Popovic	ARRI Alexa Classic	1st A.C. B Cam
“Last Week Tonight w John Oliver: Mother’s Day” (TV Sketch)	D.P. Frank Barrera	ARRI Alexa Classic	1st A.C.

2014

“Vine Vera feat. Gal Gadot” (TVC)	D.P. John Honore	Red Epic	1st A.C.
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Equipment for Hire:

- ARRI Hi-5 3 Channel Remote Focus
- Arri SXU-1 Single Channel Remote Focus
- SmallHD 1303 HDR 13" Monitor
- SmallHD 702 Bright 7" Monitor
- Focusbug CineRT
- Backstage Senior Camera Trolley
- Magliner Junior Camera Trolley

Additional Cameras Used:

- **Arri:** SR2a; **Red:** Weapon, Helium; **Sony:** FS7, F5, F55, F65; **Canon:** C300, C500; **Panasonic:** Varicam 35; **Panavision:** Gold, Gold II; **Phantom:** Flex, Flex 4k

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