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## Cinematography Is Our Passion And Our Craft

I have been working in the Film Industry for over 2 decade's and have experienced first hand both the glory and physicality of Film, and the rise of technology with the birth of the Digital age. Having the Knowledge of the Old and the Skills of the New, I am able to blend the two disciplines for success in any intense or challenging shooting environment's . My experience ranges from Sound Stages to Mountain tops. Having worked in both the New Zealand and Australian film industries on Feature Films and TV Drama's . High Altitude shoots in the Everest Region of the Himalay's and Filming on the Sacred Rivers of Northern India to Vertical Ice Faces on the side of Mt Cook in New Zealand's Southern Alps.

## References

### DOP's

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# **WORK HISTORY**

## **2024**

Sony pictures Feature Film Tears In Rain

**A Camera Focus Puller**

## **2023**

Apple TV+ Chief Of War

**B Camera Focus Puller Main Unit**

## **2022**

Netflix Sweet Tooth S3

**A Camera Focus Puller Main Unit**

Netflix One of us is Lying S2

**A Camera Focus Puller Second Unit**

Netflix Sweet Tooth S2

**A Camera Focus Puller Second Unit**

## **2020**

Amazon The Rings of Power DOP Aaron Morton, Alex Disenhof A.S.C

**B Camera Focus Puller Second Unit Alexa LF**

## **2019**

Amazon THE WILDS S1 DOP Ed Wild B.S.C

**A Camera Focus Puller Main Unit Sony Venice**

Netflix THE NEW LEGENDS OF MONKEY S2 DOP Dave Garbett

**A Camera Main Unit Focus Puller**

## **2018**

BBC THE LUMANARIES Mini series / Sundance feature DOP Denson Baker N.Z.C.S, A.S.C

**B Camera Focus Puller Alexa Mini Cooke Anamorphic**

Disney MULAN Feature Film DOP Mandy Walker A.C.S , A.S.C

**Focus Puller Main Unit casual days Arri Alexa 65**

Amazon THE WILDS Pilot ep DOP Ed Wild B.S.C

**A Camera Focus Puller Sony Venice 6k Ronan2 Movi XL 50'Techno Splash house underwater house**

'STRAIGHT FORWARD' International Drama ABC Australia ex Copenhagen

DOP Dave Cameron N.Z.C.S, A.S.C

**A Camera Focus Puller Alexa Mini Movi Pro**

## **2017**

'MURDER IS FOREVER' DISCOVERY DI Stephen David Entertainment DOP DJ Stipsen

**A Camera Focus Puller Alexa Mini Movi Pro**

'ROMAN EMPIRE S2' NETFLIX Stephen David Entertainment DOP David Paul N.Z.C.S

**A Camera Focus Puller Alexa Mini**

**'THE NEW LEGENDS OF MONKEY'** *NETFLIX* DOP DJ Stipsen  
A Camera Main Unit Focuspuller Alexa Mini Movi Pro

**'KIWI'** Feature Film *Great Southern* DOP David Paul N.Z.C.S  
A Camera Focus Puller

## **2016**

**'THE MEG'** U.S Feature film *Warner Bros* DOP Andrew McGeorge  
2ND Unit C Camera Focus Puller

**'WANTED'** Australian TV series *Match Box Productions* DOP Simon Raby  
2ND Unit Focus Puller. Queenstown

**'AMERICAN PLAYBOY'** *AMAZON PRIME*. DOP Milton Kam (USA)  
A Camera Main Unit Focus Puller. Arri Amira. 50' Super Techno. Steadicam

**'ASH V.S THE EVIL DEAD' S2** *STARZ PRODUCTION*. DOP Andrew McGeorge  
2ND Unit A Camera Focus Puller EP's 8,9,10. Arri Alexa MINI

**'WHY DOES LOVE'** Film *GREAT SOUTHERN* DOP David Paul N.Z.C.S  
A Camera Focus Puller. Panasonic VariCam-35

**'DIRTY LAUNDRY'** TV DRAMA DOP DJ Stipsen  
A Camera Focus Puller Arri Alexa MINI, Arri 2X Anamorphic Master Primes

## **2015**

**'ROMAN EMPIRE'** *NETFLIX* DOP Milton Kam (USA)  
A Camera Focus Puller. Arri Amira. 50' Super Techno

**'KRAMPUS'** Feature Film *Universal Pictures* DOP Jules O'Loughlin A.C.S  
Main Unit - C camera Focus Puller. Arri Alexa XT. 2X Anamorphic Panalens's

**'HILLARY'** Mini Series *Great Southern* DOP David Paul N.Z.C.S  
A Camera Focus Puller. Sony F55 . Shot On Location In India , Nepal, Southern Alps NZ .

**'FILTHY RICH'** Tv Drama *Filthy Productions* DOP Dave Cameron ASC NZSC  
A Camera Focus Puller. Arri Amira . Arri Master Primes

## **2014**

**'POWER RANGERS S22'** *DISNEY* DOP Illan Rosenberg USA  
Main Unit A Cam Focus Puller. Arri Amira. Steadicam

**'NOWHERE BOYS S2'** Australian Tv Drama *A.B.C / B.B.C / N.B.C Co Production* DOP Dave Cameron A.C.S  
B Camera Focus Puller. Arri Alexa. Steadicam

**'NOTHING TRIVIAL'** Tele Feature Film *SPP*. DOP David Pau N.Z.C.S  
B Camera Focus Puller. Arri Alexa

**'AGENT ANNA S2'** Tv Drama *Great Southern* DOP Dave Cameron NZSC, ACS  
A Camera Focus Puller. Arri Alexa

## **2013**

**'POWER RANGERS S21'** U.S. Tv Drama *WALT DISNEY PRODUCTIONS* DOP Illan Rosenberg USA

**Main Unit A Focus Puller.** Arri Alexa, Steadicam

**'Hope and Wire'** Feature Film **Pick up Unit B Camera Focus Puller** Red Epic

**'COVER BAND'** TV Drama **A Camera Focus Puller** Arri Alexa, Steadicam DOP Drue Sturge

**'Nothing Trivial'** TV Drama **Second Unit A Camera Focus Puller** Red Epic DOP Kevin Riley

**'The Almighty Johnsons S3'** TV Drama **Second Unit Focus Puller** Red Epic DOP Marty Smith

**'Go Girls S5'** TV Drama **Second Unit A Focus Puller** Arri Alexa DOP Dave Cameron

Commercials 10+ **Focus Puller**

## **2012**

**' THE EVIL DEAD '** U.S. Feature Film *SONY PICTURES* DOP Aaron Morton

**DIT.** Sony F65

**'WHITE LIES'** Feature Film *SPP* DOP Alun Bollinger

**2ND Unit Focus Puller** Arri Alexa

**'ERBUS: INTO THE UNKNOWN '** Feature Film *Great Southern Films* DOP DJ Stipsen

**A Camera Focus Puller.** Arri Alexa

**'SAFE HOUSE'** Tele Feature

**B Focus Puller Second Camera** Arri Alexa

**'POWER RANGERS S20'** *WALT DISNEY PRODUCTIONS* DOP Sean McLin

**2ND Unit Focus Puller.** Arri Alexa

**'The Almighty Johnsons '** **B cam Focus Puller** Sony F3

**'Agent Anna'** **A Camera Focus Puller** Sony F3

**COMMERCIALS** x10. Mars Bars ( Australia ), Volx Wagon, Zrytec ( USA ), Kiren Beer ( Japan)

## **2011**

**'Siege'** Feature Film **B cam Focus Puller** RED epic

**'Sione's 2'** Feature Film **DIT** RED epic

**'Cold Snap'** Feature Film DOP Ginny Loane **B Camera Focus Puller** Arri BL3 35MM, Arri 235

**'Go girls S4'** TV Drama **A camera Focus Puller**

**'Spartacus S2'** TV Drama **Main Unit Casual Days 2ND AC** Sony Genesis

**'Hounds'** TV Drama **A Focus Puller** Sony F3

**'Power Rangers S18'** **2ND AC casual days** RED One

## **2010**

**'Cirq Du Sole 3D'** Feature Film **3D Camera Assistant** Arri Alexa , Phantom Phlex GOLD

**'My Wedding and Other Secrets '** **DIT** Red Camera

**'Go Girls Season 3'** **B cam Focus Puller** Panasonic HPX3000

If you require A full and Detailed CV dating Back to 2003 please let me know