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## Features

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### *"Paradise" - 2004*

Producer: Markus Imthurn  
Director: Roger Steinmann  
Starring: Dee Wallace Stone ("E.T."),  
Barbara Carrera, ("Never Say Never Again"),  
Timothy Bottoms, ("Elephant")

### *"The Auteur Theory" - 1999*

Breckenridge Festival of Film  
Winner: Best of the Fest 2000

Producer: Holly Sorenson  
Director: Evan Oppenheimer  
Starring: Natasha Lyonne, Allen Fox

### *"The Fair" - 1999*

Winner: World Fest Houston Int. Film Festival  
Official Selection LA Women's Int. Film Festival  
Winner: Best Romance Feature NY Int. Film Festival  
Official Selection Oxford Int. Festival of Films  
Official Selection Palm Beach Int. Film Festival

Producer: Sarah McAnally  
Director: Sarah McAnally  
Starring: Brigid Brannagh, Neil Vipond

### *"Catfish in Black Bean Sauce" - 1999*

Winner: First Americans in the Arts Awards 2001  
Winner: Florida Film Festival - Best Narrative Feature 1999  
Winner: Newport Beach Film Festival - Best Screenplay 1999  
Winner: Florida Film Festival Grand Jury Award 1999  
Nominated: Political Film Society 2001  
Winner: WorldFest-Houston International Film Festival

Producer: Chi Moui Lo  
Director: Chi Moui Lo

### *"Kind'a Cute for a White Boy" - 1996*

(film-noir)  
Best Picture 1998 Savannah GA. Filmfestival

Producer: Larry Gitlin  
Director: Joshua Stallings

### *"Yesterday's Target" - 1996*

2<sup>nd</sup> Unit Director of Photography

Producer: Larry Estes  
Director: Barry Samson

### *"Icepaw" - 1992*

Producer: Jane Ballard  
Director: Barry Samson

## Feature - Trailers

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### *"The Grand Canal"*

(Photographed in Shang-Hai, China)  
Period Piece, 1920

Producer: Jane Ballard  
Director: Barry Samson

### *"Tea & Whiskey"*

Western Trailer  
Period Piece 1850

Producer: Paulette Victor  
Director: Paulette Victor

## TV - Specials

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**"No Mothers Crying, no Babies Dying" - 1999**  
HBO

Producer: Rick Munoz  
Director: Rick Munoz  
Starring: Danny Trejo,  
Lupe Ontiveros,  
Mike Moroff

## Short Films

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**"HellHoles" - 2007**  
The Webby Awards 2007 Honorée

Producer: E. Potelle / K. Rankin  
Director: K. Rankin / E. Potelle

**"The Circle" - 2001**

Producer: Anthony Mastromauro  
Director: Carolena Saccone

**"Pennyweight" - 1999**

Eligible for Academy Award 1999  
Winner - Audience Choice Magnolia Film Festival  
Winner - Golden Calf Award UC Davis Int. Festival  
Winner - Best Short Nashville Film Festival  
Winner - Best Short Atlanta Film Festival  
Winner - Best Award Athens Int. Film Festival  
Winner - Audience Choice Award Bar Harbor Festival

Producer: E. Potelle / K. Rankin  
Director: K. Rankin / E. Potelle

**"The Drive" - 1998**

Third place winner Independent Filmmaker Award  
Black American Cinema Society (BACS)

Producer: Judy Sawyer  
Director: Screech Washington

**"The Operation" - 1998**

Producer: Jason Reitman  
Director: Jason Reitman

## Special Skills

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Instructor: UCLA-Extension Cinematography Lighting Classes III 1999  
Hot-Head Operator geared-wheels