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SELECT FILM & TELEVISION CREDITS

Set Decorator	AMAZON (US) **ROADHOUSE 2** (feature film) Director – Ilya Naishuller	2025
Set Decorator	PARAMOUNT (US) **HEART OF THE BEAST** (feature film) Director – David Ayer	2025
Set Decorator	AMAZON (US) **WRECKING CREW** (feature film) Director – Ángel Manuel Soto	2024
Set Decorator	UNIVERSAL (US) **HOW TO TRAIN YOUR DRAGON** (feature film) Director – Dean DeBlois	2024
Set Decorator	APPLE (US) **CHIEF OF WAR** (TV series) Directors – Jason Momoa, Justin Chon, Anders Engström & Brian Mendoza	2023
Set Decorator	NETFLIX (US) **LIFT** (feature film) Director – F. Gary Gray	2022
Set Decorator	NETFLIX (US) **THAI CAVE RESCUE** (limited series) Directors – Baz Poonpiriya & Kevin Tancharoen	2021
Set Decorator	AMAZON (US) **DON'T MAKE ME GO** (feature film) Director – Hannah Marks	2021
Co-Set Decorator	NETFLIX (US) **SLUMBERLAND** (feature film) Director – Francis Lawrence	2021
Set Decorator	NETFLIX (US) **KATE** (feature film) Director – Cedric Nicolas-Troyan	2020

Set Decorator	WORKING TITLE TV (UK)/ BBC2 (UK) **THE LUMINARIES** (miniseries) Director – Claire McCarthy	2018
Key Buyer (China)	WALT DISNEY PICTURES (US) **MULAN** (feature film) Director – Niki Caro	2018
Set Decorator	PARAMOUNT/GERBER PICTURES (US) **ACTION POINT** (feature film) Director – Tim Kirkby	2018
Asst Set Decorator	PARAMOUNT/DREAMWORKS (US) **GHOST IN THE SHELL** (feature film) Director – Rupert Sanders	2017
Set Decorator	GENERAL FILM CORPORATION (US) **6 DAYS** (feature) Director – Toa Fraser	2017
Set Decorator	UNIVERSAL/DARK UNIVERSE (US) **THE MUMMY** (feature film) Director – Alex Kurtzmann	2016
Set Decorator	NETFLIX/WEINSTEIN COMPANY (US) **CROUCHING TIGER, HIDDEN DRAGON: SWORD OF DESTINY** (feature film) Director – Woo-Ping Yuen	2016
Set Decorator	UNIVERSAL/LEGENDERY ENTERTAINMENT (US) **KRAMPUS** (feature film) Director – Michael Dougherty	2015
Set Decorator	SONY/MRC/COLUMBIA PICTURES (US) **CHAPPIE** (feature film) Director – Neill Blomkamp	2014
Set Decorator	FOUR KNIGHTS FILM (NZ) **THE DARK HORSE** (feature film) Director – James Napier Robertson	2014
Set Decorator	KRASNOFF FOSTER PRODUCTIONS (US) **EMPEROR** (feature film) Director – Peter Webber	2012
Set Decorator	TAPERT/DONEN/RAMAI (US) **SPARTACUS: WAR OF THE DAMMED** (TV series) Directors – Jesse Warn, Michael Hurst etc	2011
Set Decorator	WARNER BROTHERS (US) **YOGI BEAR** (feature film) Director – Eric Brevig	2010
Set Dresser	DREAMWORKS/HBO FILMS (US) **THE PACIFIC** (miniseries) Directors – Jeremy Podeswa, Timothy Van Patton etc	2010
Set Dresser	TWENTIETH CENTURY FOX (US) **AVATAR** (feature film) Director – James Cameron	2009

Set Dresser	DREAMWORKS (US) **THE LOVELY BONES** (feature film) Director – Peter Jackson	2009
Set Dresser	WALT DISNEY PICTURES (US) **THE CHRONICALS OF NARNIA:** **THE LION THE WITCH AND THE WARDROBE** **PRINCE CASPIAN** (feature films) Director – Andrew Adamson	2008

EDUCATION

1996-1998	Bachelor of Arts (Film Major) University of Waikato, New Zealand
1999	PFTC Art Department Industry Internship Australian Film Television & Radio School

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

2017	BRITISH FILM DESIGNERS GUILD AWARD FOR BEST PRODUCTION DESIGN - Independent Feature Film - Contemporary (Nominated for 6 Days)
2020	TELEVISION NEW ZEALAND AWARDS WINNER BEST PRODUCTION DESIGN -THE LUMINARIES
2021	BRITISH FILM DESIGNERS GUILD AWARD FOR BEST PRODUCTION DESIGN - International Studio Feature Film - Contemporary (Nominated for Kate)
2022	BRITISH FILM DESIGNERS GUILD AWARD FOR BEST PRODUCTION DESIGN - INDEPENDENT Feature Film - Contemporary (Nominated for Don't make me go)
2024	BRITISH FILM DESIGNERS GUILD AWARD FOR BEST PRODUCTION DESIGN - Independent Feature Film - Contemporary (Nominated for Lift)
2025	SET DECORATORS SOCIETY OF AMERICA – BEST ACHIEVEMENT IN DÉCOR/DESIGN OF A FANTASY OR SCIENCE FICTION Feature Film – (Nominated for How to Train Your Dragon)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

2019	ACADEMY OF MOTION PICTURE ARTS AND SCIENCES (AMPAS) – Professional membership
2019	SET DECORATORS SOCIETY OF AMERICA (SDSA) – Professional membership
2018	BAFTA LOS ANGELES - Professional membership
2018	AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION DESIGN GUILD (APDG) – Professional membership
2016	BRITISH FILM DESIGNERS GUILD – Professional membership

LOCATION EXPERIENCE

NEW ZEALAND North and South Islands, THAILAND Bangkok/Chang Rai, UNITED KINGDOM London/Belfast, SOUTH AFRICA Cape Town/Johannesburg, CHINA Beijing/Chongchig/Shanghai/Hong Kong, MALTA Valletta, MOROCCO Marrakesh/Fes/Tangier/Essaouira/Chefchaouen/Casablanca, CANADA Toronto, HAWAII Honolulu, ITALY Venice /Trieste, FIJI Suva/Nadi/Islands, JAPAN Tokyo, NAMIBIA Swakopmund, AUSTRALIA Queensland/Northern South Wales, HOLLAND Amsterdam, INDIA Delhi/Jaipur.

CITIZENSHIP & USA VISA

Dual - BRITISH and NEW ZEALAND passports, USA 01 VISA and Residency of Canada

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