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HIGHLIGHTED EXPERIENCE

- **2022 2nd AD -** TVC CARNIVALE for Villiage Roadshow TWO LITTLE FILMS 1st AD / Producer James Grveille
- **2022 PRODUCTION RUNNER -** TVC ZARRAFFA'S COFFEE for Zaraffa's SUPER DUPER STUDIOS Producers Marius Esterhuysen / Evette Henderson
- 2022 2nd AD + 1st AD (on set) TVC LEVIATHAN for Villiage Roadshow TWO LITTLE FILMS 1st AD / Producer James Grveille
- **2020 DIRECTOR / WRITER / PRODUCER -** UK SHORT FILM 29min **THE SUIT WEARETH THE MAN** CHAMPDOG FILMS Co Producer Louisa Warren
- 2019 1st AD FEATURE DOCUMENTARY ARE YOU PORUD? LIONS DEN FILMS Producer Dan Cleland
- **2019 PRODUCTION ASSISTANT & STEADICAM CABLE BASHER MUSIC VIDEO SUBMISSION** by the Irrepressibles FOREVER PICTURES Producer Sasha Nixon
- **2017 ART DEPARTMENT DAILY -** TV DRAMA ENDEAVOUR MAMMOTH SCREEN LTD Production Buyer Faye Brothers
- **2016 DIRECTOR / WRITER / PRODUCER -** UK SHORT FILM 12min **G O'CLOCK** UAL Co Producer Yupeng Zou
- 2016 2nd AD TVC VOICES for Childline UK AGILE FILMS Prodcuer Dan Cleland
- **2016 1st AD SHORT FILM ALMOST SAW THE SUN BROWN BOY PRODUCTIONS Director Producer** Leon Lopez
- 2015 TALENT RUNNER / LOGGER / AUDITION CAMERA OPERATOR BRITAINS GOT TALENT ITV

HIGHLIGHTED FESTIVALS & AWARDS

THE SUIT WEARETH THE MAN - AESTHETICA FF 2020 BAFTA Accredited UK / BOLTON INTL FF 2020 BAFTA Accredited UK / CHERIES CHERIS INTL FF 2021 FR / BEST SHORT FILM - Melbourne Overlooked Film Festival 2021 BEST CINEMATOGRAPHY - New York Cinematography Awards 2020 + Terror in the Bay 2021 BEST SCREENPLAY - Terror in the Bay 2021 / BEST LGBT+ SHORT - Venice + Florence Film Awards G O'CLOCK - OUTFEST 2016 ACADEMY AWARD Accredited US / BFI FLARE FF BAFTA Accredited 2016 UK / IRIS PRIZE LGBT INTL FF BAFTA Accredited 2016 UK / CHERIES CHERIS INTL FF 2016 FR / MIAMI GAY AND LESBIAN INTL FF 2016 US / CINEMA QUEER INTL FF 2016 SW

SKILLS

Full AUS & UK Drivers Licence's / High profile talent handling / Large crowd wrangling & scene placement / Casting Assisting / Strong leader and on set presence / Collaborator and team player / Hiring equipment / Location scouting, booking & logistics / Arranging large location moves / Petty cash handling and bookkeeping / Administration / Strong communication skills / Acting / Basic/functional knowledge of Final Draft + Premiere Pro / Competent use of Microsoft Word + Excel + Pages + Google Drive + Drop Box

EDUCATION

2022 / 2023 - DIRECTORS GUILD AUSTRALIA & SCREEN QLD - Local 2 Global Program
2015 - UNIVERSITY OF THE ARTS LONDON - BA Film and Television - FIRST CLASS HONOURS Specialising in Directing and Screenwriting

REFERENCES

Please see attached / Further reference contacts available on request.



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My name is Leon Lopez and I am a TV and film director working in the UK.TV credits include a host of soap operas in the UK including *Coronation Street* and *Emmerdale* for ITV as well as dramas including *Death in Paradise* for the BBC and *Midsomer Murders* for ITV. I also run my own independent production company Brown Boy Productions.

I have had the pleasure of knowing Mitchell Marion for many years. He has crewed for several of my own film projects, working on both documentary and narrative film. I have also seen him in action as a director when I was honoured to be invited as an actor onto the set of his first film *G O'clock* and it was inspiring to see how he approached directing his own work.

Every time I have worked with Mitchell, I have been nothing but impressed by his skill and work ethic. He is both hard working as well as talented. As a crew member he goes above and beyond and as a director his vision and ability to connect with both actors and crew are highly commendable. On set he is a joy to be around, he works excellently in a team and is tirelessly motivated.

I hope to work with him again in the future and I would recommend him to any production.

Yours sincerely.

Leon Lopez

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To whom it may concern,

Re: Mitch Marion

I've known Mitch for several years now, ever since we released his first short film **G O'CLOCK**. While this was a cautionary tale, the film did not shy away from its sexuality, and delivered a subtle but effective message. The film demonstrated Mitch's ability as a filmmaker to beautifully layer short form content to captivate and entertain his audience.

Mitch invited my input on his next project **THE SUIT WEARETH THE MAN**, a much more ambitious project. I gave a little feedback on the script, but in all honesty, it was pretty much there when I read it, and I provided some more feedback as the editing of the short film progressed. Mitch listens to feedback, he weighs it up and utilises what is important for the project. He isn't precious, but he also knows what he's doing and his vision is sound.

Unfortunately, **THE SUIT WEARETH THE MAN** made its debut during the age of covid, which denied the film many of the opportunities that it would have had otherwise. Despite this, TSWTM screened at almost double the number of festivals around the world as G O'OLOCK. We will be releasing the film in the UK later this year and I am confident it will receive a great reception here.

Mitch works extremely well with actors, and he has an excellent aesthetic and cinematic eye. I wouldn't hesitate to work with him on another project. He has skill and talent; I hope you will give him the opportunity to demonstrate it.

Yours Faithfully,

Tom Abell Founder

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