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FILM, DOCUMENTARY, CORPORATE VIDEO

In post-production:

GATE TO HEAVEN

Masis Baghdasaryan, Marco Gilles, Kestutis Drazdauskas, producer; France/Germany/Armenia; 2019; Jivan Avetisyan, director.
Starring Richard Sammel, Naira Zakaryan, Benedict Freitag.
Feature film.

THE FOLLOWER

Azteca Produzioni Cinematografiche S.r.l.; Italy; 2019; Vincenzo Petrarolo, director.
Starring Hal Yamanouchi, Jennifer Mischiati.
Feature film.

Completed:

RUNAWAYS

Scarlett Light Media Productions, U.K. 2019;
Louis Brough, director.
Starring Richard Comfort, Ciara A. Lyons, Luke Willis.
Short film (music licensed).

ACROSS THE BRIDGE

Emily Carr University of Art and Design, Alisha Steinberger, producer, Vancouver 2019;
Chao Wu, Alisha Steinberger, director.
Animated short film.

THE CLEANSING

University of North Carolina, Ian Blackburn producer, U.S.A. 2017/18;
Nik Aufderhar, director. Starring Troy Rudeseal, Julia Ormond, Braxton Williams.
Medium - length film.

III SMOKING BARRELS

Malpani Talkies Productions; Mumbai, India; 2016; Sanjib Dey, director.
Starring Indraneil Sengupta, Subrat Dutta
Feature film.

CAMERA PHONE2

Mystere Vision Entertainment, Surround Filmworks Entertainment, MVB Films
U.S.A.; 2016; Eddie Brown jr., Meosha Bean, Andrew Cripps, directors.
Starring Jessica Willis, Liz Lauers, Seamus Reed, Kamara Harper, Jacob Harris.
Feature film.

TWO-ELEVEN

Brick Lions Productions; U.S.A.; 2015; Joseph A. Covas, director.
Starring Devin McGee, Joshua G. Allen, Terrie Batson, Matthew Warzel.
Feature film.

RED SKY

Scarlet Light Media, Clockwork Prism Productions; U.K.; 2014; Jim Moore, director.
Starring Rebecca Hanssen, Michael Siegel, Rob Stanfield.
Short film.

GETTING HOME

Pass Productions; U.S.A.; 2014; Charles Pass, director; Ben Hague, screenplay.
Starring Ben Hague, Doug Key. Medium – length film.

9 HOURS

A FlatCamel Pictures Production; Copenhagen, Denmark; 2014; Aske Lokken, director.
Starring Sarah Laerke, Niv Dayan.
Short film.

ONE-SIDED LOVE

Producer, Hilliard Meeks, University of Hawaii Productions, Academy for Creative Media;
U.S.A.; 2014; Emily Boyd, director.
Starring Brandon Marc Higa, Agnes Ham, Lee Ha Yeon.
Short film.

BINKY

Producer, Stephanie Palgrave-Brown; U.K.; 2014; Alex Thorne, director.
Starring Lucy Morton, Chris Arnall.
Short film.

CENTRALITÀ DI MASSIMINA

Edilizia la Maglianella S.r.l. – Animatika S.r.l.; Italy; 2013;
Nicola Sganga, director.
Corporate video.

THE NUMBER 7

Cosmic Mutt Pictures for Sci – Fi London 48 Film Hour Challenge; U.K.; 2013;
April Choi, director.
Starring Jeff Mash, Rebecca Calienda, Felipe Flores
Short film (music licensed).

EXPO 2015 OFFICIAL PRESENTATION

D2B Productions; Italy; 2012; Riccardo Paoletti, director.
Corporate video.

CIOCIARIA – MEDIEVAL TOUR

Filas productions; Italy; 2012; Nicola Sganga, Sorin Voicu, director.
Documentary.

AVE RATS – LOST DOWNTOWN

Rosalie Miller/Everyone's a Story Productions in cooperation with ZGI (Zaki Gordon Institute);
Sedona, Arizona, U.S.A.; 2012; Chris Schlumpf, director.
Documentary.

FAIRYTALE

One More Pictures/RAI Cinema; Italy; 2012; Ascanio Malgarini, Christian Bisceglia, director.
Starring Harriet MacMasters – Green, Giuliano Montaldo, Jarreth Merz.
Feature film.

CONNECTIVITY

Cosmic Mutt Pictures for Sci – Fi London 48 Film Hour Challenge; U.K.; 2012;
Ross Peacock, April Choi, director.
Starring Gina Abolins, Robert Madaley.
Short film (music licensed)

DECORO ROMA CAPITALE

SpinWeb S.r.l. productions; Italy; 2011; Francesco Papa, director.
Institutional video.

A REASONABLE COMPROMISE

Ethics Media & Network Pvt. Ltd. Production; India; 2011; Sanjib Dey, director.
Starring Kiran Pande, Kristna Saikia, Vipin Naik.
Medium – length film.

MELA PARK – NO AL NUCLEARE NO ALLA DISCARICA

D2B Productions; Italy; 2011; Ascanio Malgarini, director. Nicola Sganga, Sorin Voicu, VFX.
Institutional video.

DR. OTKA

Cosmic Mutt Pictures for Sci – Fi London 48 Film Hour Challenge; U.K.; 2011;
Ross Peacock, April Choi, director.
Short film (music licensed)

SEMPRE E PER SEMPRE. DALLA STESSA PARTE!

D2B production; Italy; 2010; Nicola Sganga, director.
Institutional video.

FILAS CULTURAL HERITAGE TECHNOLOGY DISTRICT SPOT

Vision Digital/Filas production; Italy; 2010; Nicola Sganga, Sorin Voicu director.
Corporate video.

FUTURE FILAS

Filas S.r.l. production; Italy; 2010; Sorin Voicu, Nicola Sganga, director.
Corporate video.

IL NUOVO CINEMA FRANCESE

Rai – Sat Cinema/Mediawork s.r.l.; Italy; 2001; Federico Greco, Altiero Scicchitano, director.
Starring Mathieu Almaric, Jacques Rozier, Jean – Pierre Jeunet, Pitof.
Documentary.

IL DIGITALE NEL CINEMA ITALIANO

Rai – Sat/Flying Padre Productions s.r.l.; Italy; 2001; Federico Greco, Michela Greco, director.
Starring Nanni Moretti, Pier Giorgio Bellocchio, David Bush, Emidio Greco, Luca Bigazzi.
Documentary.

CASCO 2000

Mediawork s.r.l.; Italy; 2000; Federico Greco, director.
Institutional video.

GERARD

Metamovie; Italy; 1999; Federico Greco, director.
Short film.

OCCHIALI PER VEDERCI

Imagomaster; Italy; 1998; Federico Greco, director.
Institutional video.

IL RACCONTO DEL PAZZO

Metamovie; Italy; 1998; Stefano Landini, Federico Greco, director.
Short film.

IL TURBAMENTO DELL'OCCHIO

Presently unreleased; Italy; 1992; E. di Castro, E. del Monaco, director.
Documentary.

FILM FESTIVALS

his works were screened at the following national and international film festivals

2018

PRAG CINE AWARDS FILM FESTIVAL

Guwahati – India.

RIFFK – REGIONAL INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL OF KERALA
Kerala – India.

INDIAN FILM FESTIVAL
Bhubaneswar – India.

2017

INTERNATIONALES FILM FESTIVAL MANNHEIM HEIDELBERG
Official selection, in competition – Mannheim, Germany.

DURBAN INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL
Official Selection – Durban, South Africa.

22° INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL OF KERALA
Official Selection - Kerala, India.

2015

11TH INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL – AOFFEST – ACTION ON FILM
Los Angeles, California, U.S.A.

66° FESTIVAL DE CANNES – SHORT FILM CORNER – COURT METRAGE
Cannes, France.

2014

X EDITION SANTA MARINELLA FILM FESTIVAL
Rome, Italy.

FORT WORTH INDIE FILM SHOWCASE
Texas, U.S.A.

2013

SCI – FI LONDON
48 Hours Film Challenge 2013, London, U.K.

31TH BRUSSELS INTERNATIONAL FANTASTIC FILM FESTIVAL (BIFFF)
Brussels, Belgium.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL
Modesto, California; U.S.A.

19TH SEDONA INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL
Sedona, Arizona, U.S.A.

2012

CALIFORNIA FILM AWARDS

San Diego, California; U.S.A.

COSMOFEST FILM FESTIVAL 2012

Tokyo, Japan.

ROME INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL (RIFF)

Rome, Georgia; U.S.A.

MUMBAI INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL

Mumbai, India.

65° FESTIVAL DE CANNES – MARCHÉ DU FILM – FEATURE FILM

World Market Premiere Market Screening.

Cannes, France.

65° FESTIVAL DE CANNES – SHORT FILM CORNER – COURT METRAGE

Cannes, France.

12TH ANNUAL ZAKI GORDON INSTITUTE SHORTS FILM FESTIVAL

Sedona, Arizona; U.S.A.

SCI – FI LONDON

48 Hours Film Challenge 2012, London, U.K.

27TH SHORT FILM MARKET

Clermont Ferrand, France.

2011

5TH DIGITAL FILMS' FESTIVAL 2011

Hyderabad, India.

SHORT FILM MARKET

42nd International Film Festival of India 2011, Goa, India.

8TH KOLKATA SHORT FILM FESTIVAL

Official Selection, Kolkata, India.

17th KOLKATA FILM FESTIVAL

Official Selection, Kolkata, India.

3RD INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL AHMEDABAD

Official Selection, Ahmedabad, India.

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SCI – FI LONDON

48 Hours Film Challenge 2011, London, U.K.

2007

DOCUMENTART

Cinema e video nell'età digitale.

LUAV University, Design and Art Department. Venice, Italy.

2002

FESTIVAL OF THE TWO WORLDS

Cinema section, Spoleto, Italy.

NEVERLAND

Palazzo delle esposizioni, Rome, Italy.

INTERNATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL

Siena, Italy.

S.M.A.U.

Fiera di Roma, Italy.

DIGITAL CULTURE FILM FESTIVAL

Bellaria, Italy.

FRANCE CINEMA FILM FESTIVAL

Firenze, Italy.

QUINZAIN DEL CINEMA FRANCESE

Genova and Torino, Italy.

R.I.F.F. ROME INDEPENDENT FILM FESTIVAL

Rome, Italy.

FUTURE FILM FESTIVAL

Bologna, Italy.

2000

WEEK OF ITALIAN CINEMA

Berlin, Germany.

1999

“VEDO CORTO” INTERNATIONAL VIDEO AND SHORT FILM FESTIVAL

Third edition, Conversano, Bari, Italy.

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“MENO CINQUE E...DINTORNI” NATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL
Fifth edition, S. Sepolcro, Arezzo, Italy.

VALDARNO CINEMA FEDIC ‘99
Valdarno, Italy.

“VISIONARIA ‘99” INTERNATIONAL VIDEO FILM FESTIVAL
Eight edition, Siena, Italy.

1998

“VEDO CORTO” NATIONAL SHORT FILM FESTIVAL
Second edition, Conversano, Bari, Italy.

“MENO CINQUE” NATIONAL VIDEO AND SHORT FILM FESTIVAL
Fourth edition, S. Sepolcro, Arezzo, Italy.

DISCOGRAPHY

2018

INCANTUM
Città di Roma Choir; Mauro Marchetti, conductor.
Michele Josia, composer.
CNI – ARMEL Music Ardl 31018

2015

DEDICANTUM
Città di Roma Choir; Mauro Marchetti, conductor.
Michele Josia, composer.
CNI CndI 28966

2013

FAIRYTALE
Original soundtrack
Music composed by Michele Josia.
Warner Chappell Music Italiana S.r.l.
(Warner Music Group)

2011

SKUPAJ/INSIEME

Vox Carniolus Chamber Choir.
Michele Josia, conductor/producer.
Sazas, Radio Maribor kdvc CD – 001

2010

VAL

Vokalna Akademija Ljubljana conducted by Stojan Kuret.
Michele Josia, assistant conductor.
Sazas 001, JSKD, Republika Slovenija ministrstvo za kulturo.

2009

DAL VIVO

Città di Roma Choir; Mauro Marchetti, conductor.
Michele Josia, composer.
CNI CndI 22665

2008

PESMI ZDRUZUJEJO

Male Academic Choir “Paz Vinko Vodopivec”;
Primož Malavasic, conductor.
Michele Josia, composer.
RTV Radio Slovenia,
Sazas Pazcd003/Racman.

2006

ZREILO JE

Vox Carniolus Chamber Choir.
Michele Josia, conductor/producer.
Sazas kdsj cd-001/Racman.

TEENC@NTA

Voci Roveretane Choir; Enrico Miaroma, conductor
Michele Josia, composer.
Feniarco
Lc 10469

NOVECENTO

Città di Roma Choir; Mauro Marchetti, conductor.
Michele Josia, composer.
CNI/Rai Trade
Lfdl 19415

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2004

LIBERA ME "REMINISCENCE IN NEW FORM"

Apz Tone Tomsic Choir; Ursa Lah, conductor.

Michele Josia, assistant conductor.

In cooperation with Radio Slovenia.

Sazas 006.

12. DECEMBRSKI KONCERT

Slovenian RTV Symphonic Orchestra; Vjekoslav Sutej, conductor.

Apz Tone Tomsic Choir; Ursa Lah, conductor.

Manuel Lanza, Bariton.

Michele Josia, assistant conductor.

Sazas dkmd 13

ZMIAROM MORAM BONDRATI

Slovenian folksongs

Apz Tone Tomsic Choir; Ursa Lah, Conductor.

Michele Josia, assistant conductor.

Sazas Apz 007

2001

VATEL

Original soundtrack

Music by Ennio Morricone

Musicanova Choir, Fabrizio Barchi, conductor.

Michele Josia, assistant conductor.

Virgin Records

7243-8-50712-2-5

AIDA DEGLI ALBERI

Original soundtrack

Music by Ennio Morricone

Musicanova Choir, Fabrizio Barchi, conductor.

Michele Josia, assistant conductor.

SUGAR

300377

PADRE PIO

Original soundtrack

Music by Ennio Morricone

Musicanova Choir, Fabrizio Barchi, conductor.

Michele Josia, assistant conductor.

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HAEC DIES

Contemporary sacred music for choir
Musicanova Choir, Fabrizio Barchi, conductor.
Michele Josia, assistant conductor.
Various artists
ERREFFE Edition
RF 1035

2000

DALLA TERRA

Mina, singer.
Music by Marco Frisina and other authors
Musicanova Choir, Fabrizio Barchi, conductor.
Michele Josia, assistant conductor.
Sony Music S4
B000051754

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

2019

JURY MEMBER of the Ave Verum International Choral Competition, Baden, Austria.

JURY MEMBER of the 2019 Young Bohemia International Music Festival & Competition.
Prague, Czech Republic.

2018

JURY MEMBER at the CALENDIMAGGIO 2018. Assisi, Italy.

JURY MEMBER of the 2018 Young Bohemia International Music Festival & Competition.
Prague, Czech Republic.

2017

JURY MEMBER of the 2017 Young Bohemia International Music Festival & Competition.
Prague, Czech Republic.

JURY MEMBER of XII International Student Choir Forum “Paparats Kvetka 2017”.
Minsk, Belarus.

2016

JURY MEMBER of the 14th International Competition of Choral Composition Seghizzi.
Gorizia, Italy

JURY MEMBER of the 1th National Choral Competition “L’isola in...canta”.
Cagliari, Italy.

JURY MEMBER of the VI National Music Competition “San Vigilio in,,Canto”.
Rome, Italy.

2015

JURY MEMBER of the 2nd National Competition for Choral Composition “EdizioniCoralit.it”.
Italy.

Since 2015 he is ARTISTIC DIRECTOR and JURY MEMBER of the International Choral Competition and Festival “Musica Eterna Roma”. Rome, Italy.

2013

JURY MEMBER of the 5th National Competition of Choral Composition “Nella città dei Gremi”
Sassari, Italy.

2011

LECTURER at the “ZAKI GORDON FILM INSTITUTE for INDIPENDENT FILMAKING”;
Arizona, U.S.A.

2008

GUEST COMPOSER at the “International Study Tour” Alpe Adria Cantat 2008.
Aosta; Italy. Lecturer: Andrea Crastolla.

2005

GUEST CONDUCTOR of the Highschool Symphonic Orchestra of the city of Kranj, Slovenia.

LECTURER at the “European conference of studies on musical education and choral music”.
C.A. Seghizzi Choral Association, Gorizia; Italy.

2004

JURY MEMBER of the National Choral Competition "Città di Zagarolo"; Rome, Italy.

AFFILIATION

- Member of the ITALIAN FILM ACADEMY and permanent JURY MEMBER of the ITALIAN NATIONAL CINEMATOGRAPHY ACADEMY for the “David di Donatello awards” (Italian equivalent of the Oscar).
- Member of the EUROPEAN FILM ACADEMY and voting member of the EUROPEAN FILM AWARDS.
- Member of the IFMS - INTERNATIONAL FILM MUSIC SOCIETY OF CHINA.
- Founder member of the ITALIAN CHORAL DIRECTORS ASSOCIATION (Chorus Inside).
- Partner of NEMAFX – Visual Effects Animation and Compositing Studio serving the film, music video and television industries.

COMPOSITIONS

His choral and instrumental compositions have been performed by several choral and instrumental groups in Italy and abroad (complete list on demand).

CONCERTS PERFORMED

More than 190 concerts performed as conductor and assistant conductor (complete list on demand).

AWARDS AND ENCOMIUM

Film Industry Awards:

2019

- Silver Medal – Outstanding Achievement – “Soundtrack for Film and Television” at the GLOBAL MUSIC AWARDS. California, U.S.A. for the short film “Getting Home”

2018

- Silver Medal – Outstanding Achievement – “Soundtrack for Film and Television” at the GLOBAL MUSIC AWARDS. California, U.S.A. for the feature film “Two – Eleven”
- Best soundtrack, shared with Anurag Saikia, for the feature film “III Smoking Barrels” at the PRAG CINE AWARDS Film Festival. Guwahati, India.

2017

- Silver Medal – Outstanding Achievement – “Soundtrack for Film and Television” at the GLOBAL MUSIC AWARDS. California, U.S.A. for the film “Fairytale”.
- Third Prize HONORABLE MENTION on film composing at the 1th Edition of the “Film Composer’s Challenge Award” International Competition for the film “Fairytale”.

Music Awards:

2018

- Silver Medal at the 25th National Choral Competition “Nasa Pesem”, Maribor, Slovenia.

2017

- Golden band at the Slovenian Regional Choral Competition. Postojna, Slovenia.

2016

- Slovakia Cantat 2016 International Choral Competition
 - Golden Band Adult Choirs - Mixed.
 - Golden Band Contemporary Music.
 - Special Award for the Best Interpretation.

2015

- Winner of the “TROPHY of COMPOSITION” at the 12th International Competition of Choral Composition Seghizzi, Italy.

2014

- Finalist of the 12th International Competition of Choral Composition Seghizzi, Italy.

2013

- Third prize at the 40th International Composition Contest “Guido d’Arezzo”, Italy.

2010

- Plaque by the mayor of Jesenice Municipality (Plaketa Zupana Obcina Jesenice) for cultural and artistic merit obtained during the years of choral conducting in Slovenia.

2009

- 9th. Internationaler Chorwettbewerb 2009; Bad Ischl, Österreich.
Gold Diploma.

III. International Festival of Advent and Christmas Music (Bratislava, Slovakia)

- Golden Band winner of category.
- Winner of Grand Prix Slovakia Cantat.
- Special award for best conductor.
- Silver Jacobus Gallus's badge and Diploma by the JSKD (National Slovenian Association for cultural activity) for the successes obtained in international competitions.

2008

Grand prix, 4th place and the award of the 9. International Choral Competition Maribor 2008. Maribor (Slovenia).

- Special award to the conductor for the best performance of a contemporary Slovenian composition.

2007

- Gold diploma and absolute winner of the sacred and folk category at the 7th International Competition "In..canto sul Garda", Riva del Garda, Italy.

- Gold medal and third classified at the national choral contest "Nasa Pesem 2007", Maribor, Slovenia.

Special awards:

- best performance of a Slovenian traditional song
- best performance of a Slovenian contemporary composition
- best debutant choir
- awards from the "Glasbena Matica" musical association.
- Bronze Jacobus Gallus's badge and Diploma by the JSKD (National Slovenian Association for cultural activity) for the five years of choral conducting in Slovenia.
- Special Diploma of Encomium and Medal from the Mayor of the City of Jesenice, Slovenia, for the results obtained in at the regional and national competitions.

2006

First price with excellence at the Slovenian Regional Choral Competition "Skofja loka 2006", Skofja loka, Slovenia.

Special awards:

- best selected program
- best performance of a Slovenian traditional song
- best performance of a Slovenian contemporary composition
- best mixed choir.

2004

Finalist of the first International Competition of Choral Composition "C.A. Seghizzi", Gorizia; Italy.