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DIRECTOR'S FILMOGRAPHY

2014 MAY – JUNE

Assistant Director

HD Documentary Title: Varicella / Director: Victor Kossakovsky

Prod Co: Sant & Usant Dokumentarfilm

2014 JAN – CURRENT – PRE-PRODUCTION

HD Documentary Title: Sévignac / Prod Co: Blindfold Productions

2013 SEPT – CURRENT – IN DEVELOPMENT

HD Documentary Title: Guide / Prod. Co: Canada Council for the Arts

2012 MAR – CURRENT - IN DEVELOPMENT

Feature Film Title: Balkan Venus

Prod Co: Blindfold Productions

2012 FEB – CURRENT – PRE-PRODUCTION

16mm Documentary Title: Dénouement / Prod Co: Perfect Shot Films

2012 APR **HD Documentary** Title: Day Ragr / Prod Co: Blindfold Productions

2012 NOV **HD Music Video** Title: Hush Hush – Supernatural

Prod Co: Blindfold Productions

Nominated Berlin Music Video Awards 2013

2012 JULY **Stereoscopic Music Video** Title: Hush Hush – Chicas En La Ducha

Prod Co: Blindfold Productions

Official Selection: Atlanta Film Festival 2013

2012 MAR **Assistant Director, HD Short Documentary** Title: Lullaby

Director: Victor Kossakovsky / Prod Co: 2012 Steps International and

Victor Kossakovsky Films

2010 FEB – 2011 JAN

HD Documentary Title: Doctor Korbes / Prod Co: Blindfold Productions

1st Prize Winner : IDFAcademy Pitching Competition 2010

Awarded : Canada Council for the Arts – Post-Production Grant

Hotdocs: DocSoup market screening 2011

2009 MAY – 2011 AUG

1st Assistant Director, Assistant Editor

HD Documentary Title: Vivan Las Antipodas!

Director: Victor Kossakovsky / Prod Co: ma.ja.de filmproduktions

Opening Night Film: Venice Film Festival 2011

International Competition: DOK Leipzig 2011

International Competition: Mar del Plata Film Festival 2011

Contemporary World Cinema: DOHA Tribeca Film Festival 2011

Nominated : European Film Academy Award for Best Documentary

Winner : Deutscher Kamerapreis 2011

2009 MAR **Super8 Fiction Short** Title: Sharp / Prod. Co: Blindfold Productions

2009 JUN **HD Experimental Short** Title: Breathing Room

2007 MAR Prod. Co: Blindfold Productions
Super16mm Fiction Short Title: Wake / Prod Co: Blindfold Prod.
Official Selection World Film Festival Montreal 2007
 2006 AUG **16mm Fiction Short** Title: The Statue Path / Prod. Co: Blindfold Prod
Official Selection World Film Festival Montreal 2007
 2007 APR **HD Fiction Short** Title: Twin / Prod. Co: Blindfold Productions
 2006 JUN **16mm Fiction Short** Title: Ascension / Prod Co: SFU Film Workshop
 2005 JAN **16mm Fiction Short** Title: Glass Orbit / Prod Co: SFU Film Workshop

CAMERA EXPERIENCE

2014 MAY **D.O.P. – HD Imagefilm**
 Title: Miseroer / Prod Co: Perfect Shot Films
 2014 APR **D.O.P. – HD Documentary**
 Title: Michael Shannon Michael Shannon John
 Director: Chelsea McMullan
 Prod Co: Mercury Films & Super Channel
 2014 MAR **D.O.P. - HD Documentary** Title: David Millar Project
 Director: Finley Pretsell
 Prod Co: Scottish Documentary Film Institute
 2013 JUL **D.O.P. – HD Music Video** Title: Dagobert: Raumpilot
 Director: Antoine Desvigne / Prod Co: BUBACK
 2013 JUN **D.O.P. – HD Artist Video** Title: 2084: a sciene-fiction show part 2
 Director: Anton Vidokle & Pelin Tan / Prod Co: E-Flux
 2013 MAR **D.O.P. – HD Artist Documentation**
 Title: The Energy of the Cosmos is Indestructible
 Director: Anton Vidokle / Prod Co: E-Flux / HKW
 2013 MAR **D.O.P. – 5K Music Video** Title: GoChic - Killin the Breeze
 Director: Stephanie Comilang / Prod Co: China Woman Films
 2012 SEPT – 2012 NOV **D.O.P. – HD Documentary** Title: My Prairie Home
 Director : Chelsea McMullan
 Prod Co: The National Film Board of Canada
 2012 OCT **D.O.P. – HD Artist Video** Title: 2084: a sciene-fiction show part 1
 Director: Anton Vidokle & Pelin Tan / Prod Co: E-Flux
 2012 AUG **D.O.P. – Super16mm Experimental Documentary**
 Title: Gareth Moore, documenta13 / Director: Gareth Moore
 Prod Co: documenta13 & The Canada Council for the Arts
 2012 JUN **D.O.P. – HD Artist Video** Title: The Kirlian Bar : Art Basel 2012
 Director: Jeremy Shaw / Prod Co: Art Basel & Absolut Vodka
 2012 MAR **D.O.P. – 16mm Artist Film** Title: Costello de la Plana
 Director: Gareth Moore / Prod Co: documenta13
 2011 NOV – 2012 DEC **D.O.P. – 5K Music Video**
 Title: Rae Spoon “Ocean’s Blue” / Director: Chelsea McMullan
 Prod Co: Fabrica / What Matters Most
 2011 MAY **D.O.P. & Creative Consultant – 16mm Short Documentary**
 Title: Derailments / Director: Chelsea McMullan
 Prod Co: Fabrica / What Matters Most
Official Selection Toronto International Film Festival 2011
Official Selection Vancouver International Film Festival
 2011 JUNE **Camera Operator – HD Documentary**
 Title: Helene Grimaud / Director: Zeno von Trapp
 Prod Co: Colorstorm / Deutsch Gramophone

2010 NOV **D.O.P. - HD Artist Video** Title: Krump Dancing / Dir: Jeremy Shaw
2010 OCT **D.O.P. – HD Promotional Imagefilm** Title: Jaguar Ku'damm Store
 Launch / Director: Zeno von Trapp
2010 OCT **1st AC - HD Music Video** Title: Marteria – Material Girl / Director:
 Daniel Franke
2010 SEP **D.O.P. – HD Promotional Imagefilm** Title: Jaguar CEO Deutschland
 Interview / Director: Zeno von Trapp
2010 SEP **D.O.P. – HD Artist Documentation** Title: Hypnotic Trans
 Director: Jeremy Shaw
2009 MAR **D.O.P. – Super8 Short** Title: Sharp / Director: Derek Howard
2009 MAR **D.O.P. – 16mm Short** Title: 46AM / Director: Benn Berbank-Green
2009 FEB **2nd AC – Super16mm TV-Movie** Title: Im Schatten der Gerechtigkeit
 Director: Hans-Gunther Bucking
2008 SEP **D.O.P. & Motion Control Technician – HD Short** Title: Breathing
 Room / Director: Derek Howard
2008 JUL **D.O.P. – 16mm Short** Title: It's Not As If... / Dir: Kathleen Hepburn
winner: Best Short Drama DIY Film Festival Hollywood
2008 MAR **1st Camera Operator – HD Feature** Title: Exley / Dir: Larry Kent
2008 MAR **D.O.P. – HD Documentary** Title: Deadman / Dir: Chelsea McMullan
Official Selection: Toronto International Film Festival
2008 FEB **D.O.P. – Super16mm Short** Title: Hwy 99 / Dir: Adrian Buitenhuis
2007 MAR **D.O.P. – Super16mm Short** Title: Wake / Director: Derek Howard
2006 FEB **D.O.P. – HD Short** Title: Starlight Tour / Director: Evan Crowe
Official Selection: Toronto International Film Festival

EDITING EXPERIENCE

2010 SEPT - DEC

HD Documentary Title: Bakhmaro / Director: Salome Jashi
 Prod. Co: ma.ja.de. filmproduktion
*DOK Leipzig 2011: Honorary mention for an extraordinary
 documentary film talent
 Winner: Best Central and Eastern European Documentary Film*

2009 APR – CURRENT

HD Documentary Title: Day Ragr / Prod. Co: Blindfold Productions
2009 DEC **Editor – Super8 Short** Title: Sharp / Prod. Co: Blindfold Productions
2008 DEC **Editor & Sound Designer – HD Short** Title: Breathing Room
 Prod. Co: Blindfold Productions

TRAINING

2010 NOV

IDFAcademy Participant – Pitching Workshop 1st place winner

2010 AUG

IDFA Summer School Editing Masterclass – “Bakhmaro” / Director: Salome Jashi

2007 AUG – 2008 OCT

I.A.T.S.E. Local 891 - Sound & Camera Department Member

2008 SEP

Cineworks Independent Filmmakers Society – Cinematography Instructor

2003 SEP – 2007 MAY

Simon Fraser University – Bachelors of Fine Arts with a major in Film

2006 SEP

Walter Murch Masters Class Editing Workshop

2006 JULY

Schädel Schule Frankfurt am Main – Guest creative consultant for film production

BIOGRAPHY

DEREK HOWARD is a director and cinematographer who graduated from Simon Fraser University in Vancouver, Canada, earning a Bachelor's of Fine Arts degree with a major in film.

Upon moving to Germany, he shot and directed a short film in collaboration with the notable Schädel Schule (The Statue Path, Festival des Films du Monde 2007) and soon after began a three year long journey as assistant director and assistant editor to documentary filmmaker Victor Kossakovsky, on his latest film (Vivan Las Antipodas!, Opening night film Venice Film Festival 2011)

In the summer of 2010 he was a participant in the International Documentary Film Festival of Amsterdam's (IDFA) summer school workshop as editor of Salome Jashi's new documentary Bakhmaro (DOK Leipzig 2011: special mention). As a participant of the IDFAcademy program in 2010, he won first place in a pitching competition with his experimental mid-length documentary "Doctor Korbes," which received funding from the Canada Council for the Arts for completion.

His collaborations as a cinematographer have led to screenings at the Toronto International Film Festival, Festival International du Court Métrage à Clermont-Ferrand, Vancouver International Film Festival, and Festival des Films du Monde (Montréal) among many others. Most recently he shot a feature length National Film Board of Canada documentary "My Prairie Home," directed by Chelsea McMullan, whose previous collaboration as D.O.P. on the short film "Detraillments" (TIFF 2011) garnered a 2012 Genie Award nomination for best short documentary. He is shooting her next full length documentary project in Thailand this spring.

Derek recently directed two music videos for Berlin based artist "Hush Hush," and is currently developing a full-length documentary about mass tourism, as well as a narrative feature script. He is also in pre-production on the next two Kossakovsky feature films as assistant director.