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Since 2008 I've worked on hundreds of productions in 10 countries and almost every state in Australia as a Production Sound Mixer, Sound Recordist, & Boom Operator on TVC's, documentaries, feature films, lifestyle & reality TV series, web series, corporate videos, short films, and Virtual Reality films. I enjoy the fluid nature of the industry working in new places, meeting new people, and tackling new challenges.

A selection of my experience...

TVC / Branded Content (highlights) - 2019

Audi "Can't Live Without", Virat Kohli - TVC - Sound Recordist - Prod. Co: Films & Casting Temple

Uncle Toby's Plus - TVC - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Rabbit Content Australia

McCain's "Little Monsters" - TVC - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Cummins & Partners

Sportsbet "Local Cricket Siege" - Social Campaign - Production Sound Mixer - Prod.Co: Sportsbet (watch here)

TAC "Good Sports" - Social Campaign - Sound Recordist - Prod. Co: Uncommon Company

NAB "Good Money" - Social Campaign- Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Clemenger

The Greens "2018 State Election" - TVC - Sound Recordist - Prod. Co: Australian Greens Victoria

Vital "Elyse Knowles" - TVC - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: DS2

"Mamma Mia The Musical" - Social Campaign - Sound Recordist - Prod. Co: Meanwhile Media

"Priscilla QOTD" Theatre Production - Social Campaign - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Meanwhile Media

Chemist Warehouse "Don't Miss Another Moment" - TVC - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Gen C

Bonds "Killer Undies", Dustin Martin - TVC - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Good Cop Bad Cop

Swisse / F1, Nicole Kidman - Social Campaign - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Gen C

TAC "The Safe Series" - TVC - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Gen C

Melbourne Arts Centre "Tix At Six" - Social Campaign - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Truce Films

William Hill "In-Play" Series - Social Campaign - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Gen C

SPC "My Family Can" - TVC - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Studio Pancho

Origin Energy "\$150 off" - TVC - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Truce Films

Telstra "Second Chance - Illy" - TVC - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Snapper Screen Productions

Medibank "Tennis" - TVC - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Guilty Content

Realestate.com.au "A Christmas Story" - Social Campaign - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Truce Films

Momentum Energy "Try The Switch" - TVC - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: The Director's Group

Jim Beam "V8 Racing" - TVC - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Truce Films

Feature Films & TV Drama

2018

"The Whistleblower" - Feature Film - Sound Recordist (Action Unit - replacement 3 days) - Prod.Co: Perfect Village

"Under The Cover of Cloud" - Feature Film - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Independent - Ted Wilson *Selected for MIFF 2018

2015

"Open Slather" - TV Series - Sound Recordist (2nd Unit replacement 1 Ep) - Prod.Co: Open Slather Productions

"Pretty Little Things" - Feature Film - Production Sound Mixer - Prod.Co: Independent - Smellin Bros

2014

"Sweatshop" - TV Pilot - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Marks Bros Production

2012

"The Mystery of Love" - Feature Film - Production Sound Mixer - Prod. Co: Independent - Katy Dai

2010

"Six Lovers" - Feature Film - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Intermedia Arts

Lifestyle & Reality TV Series

2018

"World Class List" EPs 6-8, São Paulo, Berlin, London - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Wildebeest, Something Media

2017

"Food Safari - Earth / Water" - Sound Recordist (Melbourne Unit) 6 Eps - Prod.Co: Kismet Productions

"Grand Designs Australia" - Sound Recordist (replacement 1 Ep) - Prod.Co: Fremantle Media

Lateline "The Al Race" - Sound Recordist (replacement 1 Ep) - Prod.Co: ABC

"Good Chef Bad Chef" - Sound Recordist (replacement 4 Eps) - Prod.Co: H Squared

2016

"World Class List" EPs 1-5, Sydney, Taipei, Barcelona, San Francisco, Mexico City - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Wildebeest, Something Media

"Good Chef Bad Chef" - Sound Recordist (replacement 3 Eps) - Prod.Co: H Squared

"The Goddamn Election" with John Safran - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Princess Pictures *AWARD - ASSG Best sound for Lifestyle, Reality, or Live Television 2016 - NOMINATION

"Everyday Gourmet" S6 - Sound Recordist (replacement 3 Eps) - Prod.Co: H Squared

2014

"Semaarn's Salon" Pilot - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Contact Productions

"Ali McGregor's Jazzamatazz" - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Truce Films

2012

"Australia's Got Talent" - Genesis Opening - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Fremantle Media

"The List" - Pilot - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Click For Kids

"Team Nanny" - Pilot - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Independent - Caroline Kelly

"Tradies" - Pilot - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Independent - Julian Lucas

Documentary (Series & Feature)

2017

"Undercurrent" - Additional Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: CJZ Productions

2015

"On Track" Richmond Football Club - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Nice Bike Content

2014

"People Like Us" - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Trade Creative

2013

"Black Sabbath Live - Gathered in Their Masses" - Sound Recordist (Melbourne Unit) - Prod.Co: Whatever Group

2012

"Jen Cloher - Blood Memory" - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Independent - Bec Kingma

"The Last Paddle" (Canada) - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Image Media Farm

Short Films

2018

"For Your Sins" - Production Sound Mixer - Prod.Co: Gen C (see trailer) *Opening Film - St Kilda Film Festival 2018

"30 Minutes of Danger" (Virtual Reality) - Production Sound Mixer - Prod.Co: Happening Films *Selected for MIFF 2018

2016

"Deep Storage" - Production Sound Mixer - Prod.Co: Happening Films

2014

"Granny Smith" - Production Sound Mixer - Prod.Co: Independent - Nicholas Cox *Winner Best Film, Tropfest 2014 (watch here)

"The Best Way to Kill Your Mother" - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Independent - Jess Langley / VCA *MIFF Accelerator 2015

2013

"Charades" - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Independent - Jack White, Julian Lucas *Tropfest Finalist 2013

"Scission" - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Guilty Content

"The King is Dead" - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Independent - Biffy James / VCA

"The Wilderness" - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Independent - Frank Bruzzesse

"The Grass is Greener" - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Independent - Jay Adshead

"We've All Been There" - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Truce Films *Winner Best Film, Tropfest 2013

2012

"Starshine Wilderness" - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Independent - Martin Nixon / VCA

"What Remains" - Sound Recordist - Prod.Co: Independent - Fran Wang-Ward / VCA

- "Beat & Breath" Sound Recordist Prod. Co: Independent Michael Cicone, Fran Wang-Ward / VCA
- "Ricochet" Sound Recordist Prod.Co: Independent Frank Bruzzesse / VCA
- "No Good Deed" Sound Recordist Prod.Co: Independent Lucy Hayes / VCA
- "Mathilda" Sound Recordist Prod.Co: Scene On *Fantasia International Film Festival 2012 Audience Award Best short Film

2011

- "Kin" Sound Recordist Prod.Co: Independent Josh Smith / VCA *MIFF 2012 & Court Métrage Short Film Corner, Cannes 2012
- "Silent Night" Sound Recordist Prod.Co: Independent Lucy Hayes / VCA *Winner Gold Kahuna, Honolulu International Film Awards 2012, Winner Silver Palm Award, Mexico International Film Awards 2012, Winner Best Short Film, Cockatoo Island FF 2012
- "Aria" Sound Recordist Prod.Co: Independent John Tummino / VCA *Winner Bronze Palm, Mexico International FF Awards 2012

2010

- "With Bad Blood" Sound Recordist Prod.Co: Independent John Tummino / VCA
- "In The Forest Deep" Sound Recordist Prod.Co: Independent John Tummino / VCA
- "Zombie Apocalypse" Sound Recordist Prod.Co: Independent Peter Bennett

2008

- "Oxygen" Sound Recordist Prod.Co: Independent Deborah Kol / VCA
- "Bare" Sound Recordist Prod.Co: Independent Mathew Harrigan / VCA
- "Jimmy The Kid" Sound Recordist Prod.Co: Independent Bec Kingma VCA

Boom Operator Experience (highlights)

- "The Dr Blake Mysteries" Telemovie Boom Operator (replacement 1 Ep) for John Wilkinson Prod.Co: January Productions
- "Hunters" USA TV Series 2nd Boom Operator for Andrew Ramage Prod.Co: Matchbox Productions
- "Spin Out" Feature Film Boom Operator for Greg Burgman Prod.Co: Stella Rose Productions
- "Please Like Me" S3 TV Series 2nd Boom Operator (replacement 3 Eps) for John Wilkinson Prod.Co: Please Like Me S3
- "The Subjects" Feature Film Boom Operator for John Wilkinson Prod.Co: Independant

KEY EQUIPMENT

I have a production sound cart, large bag, and small bag setup to cover any kind of production.

Recorders / Mixers

- Zaxcom Nomad 12 channel audio recorder/mixer
- Zaxcom Mix12 Control Surface
- Zoom F8 (Backup 10-track recorder)

Radio Mics

• 8 on-talent radio mics (Zaxcom & Lectrosonics)

Microphones

- Schoeps CMIT5U shotgun mic (and full windshield)
- Sanken cs-3e Shotgun mic (and full windshield)
- Sennheiser MKH-8050 Hypercardioid Condenser Mic
- 10 x DPA Lavalier mics
- 2 x Countryman B6 Lavalier mics
- 2 x Dynamic mics (Sennheiser & AKG)

Comms / IFB

- 5 Comms/IFB receivers & headphones/earpieces
- Inner-Ear Monitors can be supplied with notice.

Camera Links

- Wireless Production Audio 2 channel Mix (Lectrosonics)
- Wireless Guidetrack Mono mix
- Hardwired Production Audio 2 channel Mix

Timecode

- 3 x Ambient Lockit Boxes (Tiny & Nano)
- 1 x Zaxcom ERX Timecode & IFB receiver
- Timecode Slate can be supplied with notice.

Other Bits

- On-Location Voice Over Booth Van with 5 seats for Directors & Clients
- Sound-Deadening Carpet Squares (8m sq)
- Computer Audio Interface Sound Devices USB PRE-2