

Ben Howell

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Professional Summary

Highly motivated and versatile Location Manager with extensive experience across film and television productions, from local shoots to international feature films, of varying budgets. Proven ability to manage logistics, negotiate with stakeholders (internal and external), and creative problem-solving while ensuring meticulous attention to detail. These set of skills enables handling of a wide range of scenarios with ease and for quick adaptation to changes, when working autonomously or as part of a team. Adept at building strong relationships with colleagues and clients and thrives in fast-paced environments. Flexible and willing to travel.

Productions

Imposter Jul 2025 – Aug 2025	Fremantle Executive Producer: Jason Herbison Producer: Andrew Thompson Line Producer: Lisa Embleton Locations Manager: Belinda O'Neil	Assistant Locations Manager
Leviticus July 2025	Causeway Producer: Sam Jennings, Kristina Ceyton, Hannah Ngo Line Producer: Antje Kulpe Locations Manager: Rhavin Banda	Additional On Set Location Manager
Play Dead – US Feature Jun 2025	Nantstudios Producer: Nicolas Onetti Line Producer: David Redman Unit Manager: Ben Rollinson	Unit Assistant
Granite - Series Mar 2025	60Forty Films / Werner Films Producers: Jaime Laurenson, Hakan Kousetta Unit Manager: Andy Papas	Swing Driver
Mr. Irrelevant – US Feature Mar 2025 – May 2025	Skydance Producers: Stan Wlodkowski, David Ellison, Gillian Bohrer Dana Granger Line Producer: Angelique Badenoch Unit Manager: Richie Young	Unit Assistant
Whale Shark Jack - Perth Jan 2025 – Feb 2025	Cottesloe Films, Southern Lights Films, Stan Producers: Kelvin Munro, Bernadette O'Mahony, Donna Chang Tim White, Miranda Edmonds Line Producers: Ange Lavey-Mache' Unit Supervisor: Mike Montague	Unit Assistant
Saccharine – Feature Nov 2024 – Dec 2024	Carver Films Producers: Anna Mcleish, Sarah Shaw Natalie Erika James Line Producer: Antje Kulpe Unit Manager: Mark Barlow	Unit Assistant
War Machine – US Feature Oct 2024 – Nov 2024	Lionsgate, Netflix, Huge Films, Hidden Pictures Media Partners Producers: Patrick Hughes, Greg McLean, Todd Lieberman, Alex Young, Rich Cook Line Producer: Naomi Cleaver Unit Manager: Richie Young	Unit Assistant

All Her Fault – TV Series Aug 2024 – Dec 2024	Paramount +, NBC Universal Producers: Megan Gallagher, Terry Gold, Sarah Snook Swing Captain: Zac Hutterer	Swing Driver Casual
The Rising – US Feature Film Jul 2024 – Aug 2024	Sony Pictures Producers: Adam McKay, Kevin Messick Swing Captain: Zac Hutterer	Swing Driver Casual
AFL – Grand Final TVC May 2024	AFL House – Melbourne	Location Manager
Pasa Faho – Low Budget Feature Mar 2024 – May 2024	Arena Media, Ten Days Producers: Robert Connolly: Liz Kearney, Kate Lauri Line Producer: Antje Kulpe	Location Manager
Neighbours – Series S38 and S39 Feb 2024 – Dec 2024	Fremantle Media Australia Producers: Jason Herbison, Andrew Thompson, Breeze Callahan, Sher Li Tan Line Producer: Lisa Embleton	Location Manager Casual
My Melbourne – Bollywood Short Jan 2024	Mind Blowing Films Producers: Mitu Bhowmick Lange, Leanne Tonkes Location Manager: Matt Rooke	Assistant Location Manager
The Newsreader – ABC Season 3 Jan 2024	Werner Productions Producers: Joanna Werner, Brett Sleigh Line Producer: Sue Edwards Location Manager: James Romeril	Additional On Set Location Manager
Australian National Academy – Music Art Video Nov 2023	ANAM	Grip Electrics Other Duties
Swift Street – Series Aug 2024	Magpie Pictures Producers: Ivy Mak, Lois Randall Line Producer: Anna McDonnell Location Manager: James Romeril	Additional On Set Location Manager
Scrublands – Stan Original Series Feb 2023 – Mar 2023	Stan Series Producers: Martha Coleman, Ian Collie, Amanda Duthie, Rob Gibson, Michael Healy, David Redman Line Producer: Nelson Khoury Locations Supervisor: Stephen Brett	On Set Location Manager
Five Bedrooms – Season 4 Sep 2022 – Dec 2022	Hoodlum Productions Producers: Christine Barlett, Michael Lucas, Rick Maier, Nathan Mayfield, Tracey Robertson Line Producer: Juanita Stroh Location Manager: James Romeril	On Set Location Manager
The Newsreader – ABC Season 2 Aug 2022 – Sep 2022	Werner Productions, ABC Australia Producers: Joanna Werner, Brett Sleigh Line Producer: Ben Grogen Location Manager: James Romeril	Additional On Set Location Manager
Safe Home – SBS Originals TV Series Jul 2022 – Aug 2022	SBS, Kindling Pictures Producers: Imogen Banks, Emelyne Palmer Line Producer: Annie Flynn Location Manager: James Romeril	On Set Location Manager

Better Man – US Feature Apr 2022 – Jun 2022	Sina Studios, Facing East Entertainment, Rocket Science, Lost bandits, Footloose Productions Producers: Coco Ma, Jules Daly, Craig McMahon, Paul Currie, Dean Hood, Li-Wei Chu Line Producer: Georgina Marquis Location Supervisor: Stephen Brett	On Set Location Manager
Savage River – ABC Series Jan 2022 – Apr 2022	Aquarius Films, ABC Australia Producers: Rebecca Anderson, Alex Baldwin, Miranda Culley, Daniel March, Jocelyn Moorhouse Line Producer: Anna Molyneux Location Manager: James Romeril	On Set Location Manager
Shantaram – US Series Sep 2021 – Dec 2021	Apple TV, Paramount + Producers: Ed Cathell, Marion Dayre, Ben Dubash, Ken Kristensen, Steve Lightfoot, Bharat Nalluri Line Producer: Charles Salmon Location Supervisor: Stephen Brett	On Set Location Manager
La Brea – NBC Season 1 Apr 2021 – Sep 2021	Matchbox, NBC Universal Producers: Adam Appelbaum, Rachel Kaplan Line Producer: Naomi Cleaver Location Supervise: Jason Stouts (JC)	On Set Location Manager
Moja Vesna - Low Budget Feature Feb 2021 – Mar 2021	Sweet Shop & Green Productions Producers: Rok Bicek, Sharlene George, Gal Greenspan Line Producer: Rachel Forbes	Location Manager
Jack Irish – ABC Season 3 Nov 2020 – Jan 2021	Easy Tiger Productions, ABC Australia Producers: Ian Collie, Matt Cameron, Andrew Knight Line Producer: Jo Rooney Location Manager: Jason Stouts (JC)	On Set Location Manager
Five Bedrooms – Season 2 Jun 2019 – Jul 2019	Hoodlum Productions Line Producer: Ben Grogan Location Manager: James Romeril	Additional On Set Location Manager
Clickbait – Netflix Series Feb 2019 – Mar 2021	Matchbox Pictures, NBC Universal, Netflix Productions Producers: Tom HOFFIE, Joanna Werner, Tony Ayres, David Heyman Location Manager: Nicci Dillon	On Set Location Manager
Miss Fisher and the Crypt of Tears – Feature Film Oct 2018 – Nov 2018	Every Cloud Productions Line Producer: Khadija Alami, Deb Cox, Essie Davis, Drew Grove, Fiona Eagger Line Producer: Sue Edwards Location Supervisor: Stephen Brett	On Set Location Manager
Miss Fisher Modern Murder Mystery – ABC Series Oct 2018 – Nov 2018	Every Cloud Productions, ABC Australia Producers: Drew Grove, Don Klees, Peter Mattessi, Deb Cox, Fiona Eagger, Beth Frey, Julie McGauran Line Producer: Yvonne Collins Location Supervisor: Stephen Brett	On Set Location Manager
The Very Excellent Mr. Dundee – Feature Film Aug 2018 – Sep 2018	Clock Sound Productions Producers: Christopher Figg, Robert Mond, Dean Murphy, Nigel Odell Line Producer: Michelle Russell Location Manager: James Romeril	On Set Location Manager

References (contact details upon request)

Stephen Brett
Location Supervisor

Andy Pante
1st Assistant Director

James Romeril
Locations Manager

Scooter Welbourn
1st Assistant Director

Lisa Emberton
Line Producer

Liz Sarsfield
Location Manager

John Greene
Location Manager

Toni Rain
1st Assistant Director