

# JOANNE DONAHOE-BECKWITH ACS

## DIRECTOR OF PHOTOGRAPHY

## 2ND UNIT/CAMERA OPERATOR



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Award winning cinematographer Joanne Donahoe-Beckwith ACS is invested in collaborating and creating the vision of a production. From crafting the unique visuals of the breakaway award winning TV series of FRONTLINE, A RIVER SOMEWHERE, & UTOPIA with industry powerhouse Working Dog. She continues to impress with internationally acclaimed series FISK and numerous other productions across TVCs, Features, Feature documentary and Series. Joanne continues to pioneer and innovate style and form while adapting to the ever changing industry.

Her 2nd Unit and Camera Operating work continues to sit behind her individual success, with her broad skill set and nimble thinking proving an asset to complimenting Main unit Photography. She enjoys the opportunity to collaborate and learn from her peers to prove her skill set. This started with the Aussie classic THE CASTLE, other titles include BOY TOWN, UNDERBELLY -CHOPPER more recently KNEE HIGH SPIES and for the 2026 season DOG PARK.

### 2025

#### DOG PARK - 2ND CAMERA MAIN UNIT - series 1(CURRENTLY IN POST)

Series	6 x TV half hour DP Aaron Farrugia
Production Company:	<b>Matchbox Pictures -Dog Park Films</b>
Executive Producer	Amanda Higgs. Leon Ford, Debbie Lee
Associate Producer	Sarah Pratt
Directors	Matt Saville, Nina Buxton

#### KNEE HIGH SPIES - 2ND UNIT DOP - B CAM MAIN UNIT - series 1(CURRENTLY IN POST)

Series	20 x 10min DP Darrel Martin ACS
Production Company:	<b>Werner Film Productions</b>
Executive Producer	Joanna Werner, Stuart Menzies
Producer	Nicole Minchin
Co -Producer	Tim Bain
Directors	Jack Jameson, Olivia Peniston-Bird

#### NEIGHBOURS - ADDITIONAL CAMERA - MULTIPLE UNITS

Series	TV half hour DP Darrel Martin ACS
Production Company:	<b>Fremantle Media</b>
Executive Producer	Jason Herbison
Series Producer	Andrew Thompson
Producer	Breeze Callahan
Directors	Various inc. Chris Adshead, Tony Osicka, Kate Kendall, Ash Hamilton, Eugenie Muggleton, Scott Major, Harry Lloyd

#### FIRST GENERATION - DOP MAIN UNIT - online Documentary series

Series	10 episodes
Production Company:	<b>ABC International</b>
Executive Producer	Nesryn Bouziane
Supervising Producer	Anthony Stewart
Producers	Grace Feng Fang Juan, Angela How

### 2024

#### FISK - DOP MAIN UNIT - series 3

Series 3	10 x TV half hour
Production Company:	<b>Entitled Productions</b>
Producers	Vincent Sheehan, Kitty Flanagan, Nicole Minchin
Directors	Tom Peterson, Kitty Flanagan

### 2023

#### UTOPIA - DOP MAIN UNIT - series 5

Series 5	8 x TV half Hour Comedy
Production Company:	<b>Working Dog</b>
Director:	Rob Sitch

#### WE INTERRUPT THIS BROADCAST- DOP MAIN UNIT - BLUE UNIT

Series 1	10 x TV Hour Comedy
Production Company:	<b>Helium</b>
Directors:	Connor Van Vuuren, Kristina Moschella, Craig Anderson, Hattie Archibald, Andrew Garrick

**FEATURE FILMS - Cinema (SELECTED)**  
**2023**

**EGO: THE MICHAEL GUDINSKI STORY**

Production company: Mushroom studios  
 Producer: Bethany Jones  
 Director: Paul Goldman

**2021**

**SPLICE HERE: A PROJECTED ODYSSEY – North American Cinema Release 2024**

Production company: Spectre Films  
 Exc. Producer: Rob Murphy, Michael Smith, Glen Rigberg  
 Director/Editor: Robert Murphy

**2017**

**VOYAGE OF THE SOUTHERN SUN – MELBOURNE INTERVIEW DOP**

Production company: Spectre Films  
 Producer: James Busby  
 Director/Editor: Robert Murphy

**SHORT FILMS (SELECTED)**  
**Hopscotch**

**Festival/Cinema Release late 2019**

Production company: Thanks Dad Productions  
 Producer/Directors: Bradley Hall, Michael Tyrikos

**Up Here**

**Festival/Cinema Release I**

Production company: Auspicious Arts Project  
 Producer: Clea Frost  
 Director/Editor: Justin Olstein

**The Visitor**

**Festival/Cinema Release**

Production company: Auspicious Arts Project  
 Producer: Clea Frost  
 Director/Editor: Justin Olstein

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS & DOCUMENTS**

AUSTRALIAN CINEMATOGRAPHERS SOCIETY  
 AUSTRALIAN PASSPORT  
 VICTORIAN DRIVERS LICENCE  
 WORKING WITH CHILDREN PERMIT VICTORIA

Accredited Member 2025

**AWARDS**

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**CINEMATOGRAPHY**

2025 Australian Cinematographers Society (NATIONAL) – AWARD OF DISTINCTION 'UTOPIA'

2024 Australian Cinematographers Society (Victoria) – GOLD Award for 'UTOPIA'

2023 Australian Cinematographers Society (Victoria) – BRONZE Award for 'Barrumbi Kids'

2022 Australian Cinematographers Society (Victoria) – SILVER Award for 'Fisk'

Australian Cinematographers Society (Victoria) – SILVER Award for 'Utopia'

Australian Cinematographers Society (Victoria) – BRONZE Award for 'Inspektor Herring'

Australian Cinematographers Society (Victoria) – BRONZE Award for 'The Librarians Ep#1'

Australian Cinematographers Society (Victoria) – SILVER Award for 'Myer Fashion'

Best International Short Film for 'Manoel' Showcase Short Film Festival Florida USA 2003

ENTECH 1997 AWARD For Technical Brilliance Lighting Designer Of The Year Film/TV for 'Frontline'

Australian Cinematographers Society (Victoria) – Highly Commended for 'A River Somewhere'

(SELECTED) TV Series 2022 & prior

**FSK - DOP MAIN UNIT - Series 1 & 2**

Entitled Productions

**UTOPIA - DOP MAIN UNIT Series 1,2,3 &4**

Working Dog

**BARRUMBI KIDS - DOP MAIN UNIT - Series 1 BLOCK 1**

Ambience Entertainment

**MAGDAS' BIG NATIONAL HEALTH CHECK - DOP Series BLOCK 1**

South by South Productions

**KICK LIKE TAYLA - replacement setup DOP**

Screentime Australia and Amazon USA

**ARE YOU TOUGHER THAN YOUR ANCESTORS - DOP MAIN UNIT - Series**

Sticky Pictures, Flying Kite Pictures in Association with ABC Kids

**THE DROP OFF- DOP MAIN UNIT Series 2**

Kiss & Go Productions Pty. Ltd.

**HOW TO STAY MARRIED - DOP MAIN UNIT Series 1**

Princess Pictures in association with Network Ten

**AFL UNER ARMOUR - DRAFTED - DOP**

Tandem Media

**THE UNDERBELLY FILES CHOPPER - OPENING TITLES DP & C CAMERA MAIN UNIT**

Series TV Channel 9 - DOP Joseph Pickering ACS

**EVERYONE'S A CRITIC (WORKING TITLE) - DOP across 4 camera units**

Matchbox Pictures

**THE WRONG KIND OF BLACK - DOP 2nd UNIT**

Princess Pictures DOP Eric Murray Lui ACS

**OTHER PEOPLES PROBLEMS - DOP MAIN UNIT**

Seymore Films in association with ABC

**THE BIG DISEASE - DOP MAIN UNIT with BRUCE PERMEZEL**

CJZ Cordel Jigsaw in association with SBS and Screen Australia

**FILTHY RICH & HOMELESS - DOP MAIN UNIT Series**

Blackfella Films in association with SBS and Screen Australia

**LITTLE ACORNS - DOP MAIN UNIT Series**

Pocket TV Pty Ltd in association with Guilty and Screen Australia

**FIRST CONTACT - DOP MAIN UNIT with Justin Brickle & Simeon Bryan Series 2**

Blackfella Films in association with SBS and Screen Australia

**MOLLY COUNTING DOWN THE HITS - DOP MAIN UNIT**

Mushroom Pictures M4 Entertainment in association with Channel 7

**MOLLY 'THE REAL THING' - DOP MAIN UNIT**

MUSHROOM PICTURES M4 ENTERTAINMENT IN ASSOCIATION WITH CHANNEL 7

**LUKE WARM SEX - DOP MAIN UNIT**

Northern Pictures in association with ABCTV

**RONNY CHEUNG INTERNATIONAL STUDENT - B CAMERA OPERATOR/ 2nd UNIT DOP**

Stickey Pictures in association with ABCTV DOP Dave Cameron ACS

**SAMMY J & RANDY IN RICKETTS LANE - B CAMERA OPERATOR /2ND UNIT DOP**

Stickey Pictures in association with ABCTV DOP Dave Cameron ACS

**OPEN SLATHER - ADD DOP MAIN UNIT/ CAMERA OPERATOR/ADDITIONAL 2nd UNIT DOP**

Princess Pictures in association with ABCTV DOP Laszlo Baranyai

**IT'S A DATE - DOP MAIN UNIT Series 1 &2**

Princess Pictures in association with ABCTV

**UNSUNG HOLLYWOOD - DIRECTOR/ DOP AUSTRALIAN UNIT**

US TV Series - Documentary Season 3 Episode 3 Carwash

Unsung Productions