



SEAN BYRNE

Writer/Director

FEATURE FILMS

2023	Catch Feature Film	Advanced Development Writer/Dir: Sean Byrne Prod: XYZ & Rumble Films
2022/3	The Mannequin Feature Film	Development Writer/Dir: Sean Byrne Prod: Triptych Pictures & Steve Schneider
2022/3	Dangerous Animals Feature Film	Development Writer/Dir: Sean Byrne Prod: Automatik Entertainment & Brouhaha Entertainment
2022/3	A Girl Named Maria Feature Film	Option Available Writer/Dir: Sean Byrne
2015	THE DEVIL'S CANDY (US) Feature Film	Writer/Dir: Sean Byrne Prod: Chris Harding, Jessica Wu, Keith Calder Snoot Entertainment

Premiered, 2015 TIFF, Midnight Madness Category
Nominated, Best Motion Picture, 2015 Sitges International Film Festival
Winner, Prix du Public - Audience Award, Gérardmer Film Festival
Best Independent Horror - The Rondo Hatton Classic Horror Awards

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SPORT
Short Film

AFTRS
Prod: Jodea Bloomfield

Official Selection, Festival De Sevilla
Semi Finalist Nescafe Awards

WORK?
Short Documentary

AFTRS
Prod: Jodea Bloomfield

Official Selection IDFA (Intl Documentary Festival Amsterdam),
St Kilda Film Festival, Turin Gay and Lesbian Film Festival,
My Queer Career - Mardi Gras Film Festival Sydney, Edinburgh Film
Festival
Winner, Gold Award, Dramatised Documentary Category, National ASC
Awards

FESTIVAL SCREENINGS

2015-16 **THE DEVIL'S CANDY**
Premiered, 2015 TIFF, Midnight Madness Category
2015 Sitges International Film Festival
2015 Fantastik Film Festival
2015 Stockholm Film Festival
2015 Torino Film Festival
2015 Scary Movies 9, Film Society of Lincoln Centre Annual Horro Fest
2016 Gérardmer Film Festival
2016 Frightfest

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2009-11 THE LOVED ONES

Official Selection: Toronto International Film Festival, Fantastik Film Festival Sweden, Melbourne Intl Film Festival, Sydney Film Festival, Sitges Film Festival, Torino Film Festival, SXSW Film Festival, San Francisco Intl Film Festival, Dallas Intl Film Festival, Fantastic Fest Austin, AFI Festival, Hong Kong Intl Film Festival, New Zealand Intl Film Festival, Gérardmer Film Festival, Busan Intl Film Festival, Frightfest London.

2008-09 ADVANTAGE

Official Selection: G'Day LA, Flickerfest Film Festival Australia, Sci-Fi Festival Madrid, Edinburgh Film Festival, Seattle Film Festival, Dungog Film Festival Australia, Falls Creek Film Festival Australia, Cinema Jove Film Festival Spain, St Kilda 'Top 100' Film Festival Australia, LA ShortsFest Los Angeles, Palm Springs Int Festival of Short Films, Rhode Island Int Film Festival, London Film Festival, San Sebastian Horror & Fantasy Festival, Sundance Film Festival, Melbourne Int Film Festival

AWARDS

2007 Selected for Accelerator Programme, MIFF
Nom ADG Award - Best direction in a TVC
Performance Winner, 'The 3 Minute Opportunity',
Stacey Testro International

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2001 *Winner of ADG and Screen Sound Australia Awards for Excellence in Drama Directing- AFTRS Graduation and Awards Ceremony*

EDUCATION

2006 Accelerator Programme, MIFF
2000 Masters Directing Course, AFTRS
1998 Graduate Diploma Directing Course, AFTRS
1997-1998 Media Production - Rosny College, Tasmania
1997 Award School, Tasmania
1991-2006 Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Law Degree, University of Tasmania

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