



Sarah Bassiuoni

Writer | Director

Sarah Bassiuoni is a Sydney-based writer and director. Since graduating from the Australian Film Television Radio School in 2016, her short films *Little Secret* and *Dunes* have premiered at academy accredited film festivals. Her work ranges from comedy to drama and is often informed by her previous career as a human rights lawyer.

Sarah was recently a script editor and writer on Season 2 of ABC comedy/drama *The Heights*, produced by Matchbox Pictures. Concurrently, Sarah has been involved in the development of a confidential television project with Fremantle Media. In 2019, Sarah was also selected as part of Screen Australia's Developing the Developer Program which, aims to build diverse voices in the screen industry. In addition, Sarah recently directed a six-part narrative comedy web series, *Carpark Clubbing* for ABC iView.

Sarah works as a freelance writer / director / researcher and continues to develop several projects across short and longform drama and comedy. She is the daughter of an Egyptian Muslim and Irish Catholic and grew up in Saudi Arabia, the USA and Australia. Her career aim is to tell stories that reflect the reality of life with all its diversity, troubles and hilarity.

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