

Al Mackay

Writer/ Director

Al Mackay is currently directing new political drama COBRA for New Pictures/Sky One. Before this, he directed DEEP WATER for Kudos/ITV, as well as the latest series of HUMANS for Kudos/Channel 4. He was also Lead Director on the Howard Overman, Netflix/E4 drama, CRAZYHEAD, for which he was nominated for Best Director at the West of England RTS Awards in 2017.



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Credits

Television

Production	Company	Notes
COBRA 2019	New Pictures/Sky	Director, 3 episodes. Starring Robert Carlisle, Victoria Hamilton, David Haig. Writer: Ben Richards. Exec Producer: Cameron Roach.
DEEP WATER 2018	Kudos/ ITV	Director, 2 episodes. Writer: Anna Symon. Producer: Rebecca Hodgson. Executive Producers: Karen Wilson and Diederick Santer.

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HUMANS 3	Kudos/AMC/C4	Director, 2 episodes.
2017		Writers: Debbie O'Malley (episode 3), Namsi Kahn
		(episode 4).
		Producer: Vicki Delow.
		Exec Producer: Emma Kingsman-Lloyd.
CRAZYHEAD	Urban Myth/ E4/ Netflix	New series. Lead Director, 8 x 60'.
2016		Writer: Howard Overman.
		Executive Producer: Julian Murphy.
		* Nominated for Best Director at the Royal
		Television Society Awards, 2017.
BANANA	Red Productions/ E4	Director, 2 episodes, including series finale.
2014		Writer: Russell T Davies.
		Producer: Emily Feller.
		Exec Producers: Nicola Shindler, Russell T Davies.

In Development

Production	Company	Notes
THE SHUT DOWN		Co-creator and Director. Original TV series. Writer: Adam Dewar.
A PLACE TO BURY STRANGERS	Crybaby Film/ The Bureau	Writer and Director. Feature film in development through the SOS. Producers: Rachel Dargavel, Tristan Goligher.
ORBITAL		Co-creator and Director. Original TV series. Writer: Adam Dewar.

Short Films

Production	Company	Notes
HIT AND RUN 2010	Steel Mill Pictures/ Elephant Gun Films, EM Mediampany	Writer and Director.
THE GOOD MEN OF LEICESTER 2010	Steel Mill Pictures/ Quad Shorts/ EM Media	Writer and Director.
BALE 2009	Wellington Films/ Elephant Gun Films/ UK Film Council	Writer and Director.

Online

Production Company Notes

MY JIHAD 2015	BBC	4-part web series spin-off of the iPlayer short. Writer: Shakeel Ahmed. Producer: Madeleine Sinclair. Exec Producer: Hilary Salmon. *Nominated, Best Digital Fiction Series, Rockie Awards, 2016.
MY JIHAD 2013	BBC	Short film for the BBC's iPlayer. Writer: Shakeel Ahmed. Producer: Claire Bennett. Exec Producer: Hilary Salmon.
MISFITS ONLINE 2011	Clerkenwell Films/ C4	Director. Producers: Chloe Moss, Matt Jarvis. * Nominated for New Media Award, TV BAFTAs, 2012. * Nominated for Digital Creativity Award, BAFTA Craft, 2012.

Commercials

Production	Company	Notes
TFL - Project Guardian	Tomboy Films/ M&C Saatchi	Director. Producer: Barney Spurrier.
TEMPO - Merci Mission	B - Reel/ Publicis	Director. Producer: Giles Maunsell.

Other

Production	Company	Notes
THIS IS ENGLAND	Warp Films	Feature Film. EPK Operator.
2005		Director: Shane Meadows.