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Hair and Make-up Designer



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Credits

Film

Production	Company	Notes
& SONS 2025	Infinity Hill	Dir: Pablo Trapero Prod: Phin Glynn Cast: Bill Nighy, George MacKay, Matt Smith & Noah Jupe *World Premiere at Toronto International Film Festival 2025 *Premiering at BFI London Film Festival 2025
JOY 2024	Pathe UK / Netflix	Director: Ben Taylor Producers: Finola Dwyer and Amanda Posey Netflix/ Wild Gaze Cast: Bill Nighy, Thomasin McKenzie and James Norton *Gala Presentation, BFI London Film Festival 2024

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WHAT'S LOVE GOT TO DO WITH IT 2022	StudioCanal / Working Title Films / Instinct Productions	Dir: Shekhar Kapur Prods: Nicky Kentish Barnes, Tim Bevan, Eric Fellner & Jemima Khan Cast: Lily James, Shazad Latif & Emma Thompson
THE PHANTOM OF THE OPEN 2021	BBC Films / Baby Cow Productions / BFI	Dir: Craig Roberts Prods: Kate Glover, Nichola Martin & Tom Miller Cast: Mark Rylance, Rhys Ifans and Sally Hawkins
BLITHE SPIRIT 2019	British Lion Films / Fred Films	Dir: Edward Hall Prods: Hilary Bevan Jones, Meg Leonard, Nick Moorcroft, Peter Snell & James Spring Cast: Judi Dench, Dan Stevens and Isla Fisher
GREED 2018	Revolution Films	Dir: Michael Winterbottom Prod: Damian Jones and Melissa Parmenter Revolution Films Cast: Steve Coogan, Isla Fisher, Shirley Henderson, Stephen Fry, David Mitchell and Sophie Cookson
THE KING OF THIEVES 2017	Working Title Films	Dir: James Marsh Exec Prods: Tim Bevan, Eric Fellner Cast: Michael Caine, Tom Courtenay, Ray Winstone, Charlie Cox, Jim Broadbent <i>As Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
DAD'S ARMY 2016	DA Productions / Universal	Dir: Oliver Parker Prod: Damien Jones, Phil Robertson Cast: Bill Nighy, Toby Jones, Tom Courtenay, Daniel Mays, Michael Gambon, Alison Steadman and Catherine Zeta Jones <i>Period: 1944</i> <i>As Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
LAST DAYS ON MARS 2016	Qwerty Films / Universal	Dir: Ruairi Robinson Prod: Michael Khun, Andrea Cornwell Cast: Liev Schreiber, Romola Garai, Tom Cullen, Olivia Williams and Elias Koteas <i>Period: 2030</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
GINGER & ROSA 2012	Adventure Pictures / BBC Films	Dir: Sally Potter Prod: Christopher Sheppard Cast: Elle Fanning, Annette Bening, Alessandro Nivola, Christina Hendricks, Oliver Platt and Timothy Spall <i>Period: 1945-1962</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>

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SUBMARINE 2010	Warp Films / Red Hour Films / Film4	Dir: Richard Ayoade Prod: Mark Herbert, Andy Stebbing, Ben Stiller Cast: Paddy Considine, Sally Hawkins, Craig Roberts, Noah Taylor and Yasmin Paige <i>Period: 1980</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
THE HEAVY 2010	Heavy Productions	Dir: Marcus Warren Prod: John Cairns Cast: Vinnie Jones, Christopher Lee, Stephen Rea and Shannyn Sossamon <i>Period: Contemporary</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
ITS A FREE WORLD 2007	Sixteen Films / Film 4	Dir: Ken Loach Prod: Rebecca O'Brien Cast: Kierston Wareing <i>Period: Contemporary</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
STARDUST 2007	Marv Films / Parmount Pictures	Dir: Matthew Vaughn Prod: Lorenzo Di Bonaventura Cast: Charlie Cox, Sienna Miller and Robert De Niro <i>Hair and Make-up Artist 2nd Unit</i>
GOAL! THE DREAM BEGINS 2005	Buena Vista Pictures / Milkshake Productions	Dir: Danny Cannon Prod: Matt Barrella and Mike Jeffries Cast: Kuno Becker, Anna Friel and Stephen Dilane <i>Hair and Make-up Artist</i>
MY SUMMER OF LOVE 2004	Apocalypso Films / BBC Films	Dir: Pawel Pawlikowski Prod: Tanya Seghatchian and Chris Collins Cast: Emily Blunt, Natalie Press and Paddy Considine <i>Period: Contemporary</i> <i>BAFTA Winner: Best British Film</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
VIPERE AU POING 2004	Angoa Aicoa (France) / France 3 Cinema	Dir: Philippe De Broca Prod: Philippe Liegeois and Juanita Doyle Cast: Catherine Fort and Jacque Villeret <i>Period: 1940's Film Noir</i> <i>Hair Stylist UK</i>
H3 (STORY OF BOBBY SANDS) 2001	Metropolitan Films (Ireland)	Dir: Les Blair Prod: James Flynn and Juanita Doyle Cast: Dean Lennox Kelly and Brendan Mackey <i>Period: Set during 1981 Hunger Strike</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Assistant</i>

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SAVING PRIVATE RYAN 1998	Dreamworks / Millenium Effects	Dir: Steven Spielberg Cast: Tom Hanks and Matt Damon <i>Make-up Effects technician</i>

Television

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WAR 2025	New Pictures / HBO	Dirs: China Moo-Young, Jennifer Sheridan, Ben Taylor Prods: Laurie Borg, Jyoti Fernandes Cast: Sienna Miller, Celia Imrie, Dominic West
KILL JACKIE 2025	Amazon / Fremantle	Dirs: Dawn Shadforth & Damon Thomas Prod: José Luis Escobar Cast: Catherine Zeta-Jones
THE DEATH OF BUNNY MUNRO 2025	Clerkenwell Films / Sky Studios	Dir: Isabella Eklöf Prod: Matthew Mulot Cast: Matt Smith *World Premiere at BFI London Film Festival 2025
BLACK MIRROR S6 2023	Zeppotron / Netflix	<i>Ep 4 Mazey Day</i> Dirs: Ally Pankiw & Uta Briesewitz Prod: Georgina Lowe Cast: Clara Rugaard & Zazie Beetz
WEDNESDAY 2022	MGM / Netflix	Dir: Tim Burton Prods: Alfred Gough, Miles Millar & Carmen Pelelea Cast: Jenna Ortega, Christina Ricci, Catherine Zeta-Jones, Luis Guzmán, Emma Myers and Gwendoline Christie Winner: Outstanding Contemporary Makeup (Non-Prosthetic), Primetime Emmy Awards 2023
ROADKILL 2020	BBC / The Forge	Dir: Michael Keillor Prod: Andrew Litvin Cast: Hugh Laurie & Helen McCrory
SUMMER OF ROCKETS 2018	BBC/ Little Island	Dir: Stephen Poliakoff Prod: Helen Flint Cast: Toby Stephens, Linus Roache, Keeley Hawes and Timothy Spall.

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GUILT 2016	Lionsgate / Freeform	Dir: Gary Fleder, Larry Shaw and Mairzee Almas Prod: Suz Reid Cast: Billy Zane, Anthony Head and Emily Tremaine <i>Period: Contemporary</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
CLOSE TO THE ENEMY 2016	Little Island Productions / BBC	Dir: Stephen Poliakoff Prod: Helen Flint and Hilary Bevan Jones Cast: Jim Sturgess, Alfred Molina, Angela Bassett, Alfie Allen, Charlotte Riley and Freddie Highmore <i>Period: 1947</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
AGATHA RAISIN 2016	Mammoth Screen / Sky	Dir: Geoffrey Sax Prod: Matthew Mulot Cast: Ashley Jensen, Hermione Norris and Matthew Horne <i>Period: Contemporary</i> <i>Pilot</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
BABYLON 2014	Nightjack LTD / Channel 4	Dir: Jon S Baird and Sally El Hosaini Prod: Danny Boyle, Derrin Schlesinger and Robert Jones Cast: James Nesbit, Brit Marling, Bertie Carvel and Nicola Walker <i>Period: Contemporary</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
THE PSYCHOPATH NEXT DOOR 2013	ITV Drama / Sky Living	Dir: Kieron Walsh Prod: Myar Craig Brown Cast: Anna Friel, Eva Birthistle, Claire Keelan and Kathryn Drysdale <i>Pilot for Sky Living's Love Matters series</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
30 AND COUNTING 2013	Bwark Films / Sky Living	Dir: Ben Taylor Cast: Brett Goldstein, Dan Clark and Daniel Lawrence Taylor <i>Pilot for Sky Living's Love Matters series</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
APHRODITE FRY 2013	Ruby Films / Sky Living	Dir: Vanessa Caswell Cast: Sarah Solimani and Rosamund Hanson <i>Pilot for Sky Living's Love Matters series</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>

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PRISONERS WIVES 2012	Tiger Aspect / BBC	Dir: Harry Bradbeer and Damon Thomas Prod: Anna Ferguson and Abi Bach Cast: Polly Walker, Iain Glen and Pippa Haywood <i>Series 1</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
THE POISON TREE 2012	STV / ITV	Dir: Marek Losey Prod: Madonna Baptiste Cast: Matthew Goode, Myanna Buring and Ophelia Lovibond <i>Period: 1997 - Present Day</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
CARDINAL BURNS 2012	Left Bank / Channel 4	Dir: Ben Taylor Prod: Jenna Jones Cast: Seb Cardinal and Dustin Demri Burns <i>Series 1 and 2</i> <i>Award Winning Sketch Show</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
UNCLE 2012	Baby Cow Productions / BBC	Dir: Oliver Refson Prod: Ali McPhail Cast: Nick Helm, Daisy Haggard <i>Period: Contemporary</i> <i>Series 1</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
THE RECKONING 2011	TXTV / ITV	Dir: Jim O'Hanlon Prod: Jeremy Gwilt Cast: Ashley Jensen and Max Beesley <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
WHATEVER IT TAKES 2009	Twenty Twenty TV / ITV	Dir: Andy Hay Prod: Nick Pitt Cast: Shane Ritchie and Amy Beth Hayes <i>Hair and Make-up Artist</i>
FREEFALL 2009	Origin Pictures / BBC	Dir: Dominic Savage Prod: David M Thompson Cast: Rosamond Pike, Aiden Gillen, Dominic Savage, Joseph Mawles, Alfie Allen and Anna Maxwell Martin <i>Film for Television</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
MI HIGH 2007	Kudos / BBC	Dir: Toby Haynes Prod: Emma Kingsman Lloyd and Kerry Appleyard Cast: Bel Powley, Danny John Jules and Jonny Freeman <i>Series 1-5</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>

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ROBIN HOOD 2006	Tiger Aspect / ITV	Dir: John McKay and Richard Standeven Prod: Foz Allen and Dominic Minghella Cast: Jonas Armstrong, Keith Allen, Richard Armitage, Lucy Griffiths and Harry Lloyd <i>Series 1</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Artist</i>
HUSTLE 2005	Kudos / BBC	Dir: Alrick Riley and John Strickland Prod: Simon Crawford Collins Cast: Adrian Lester, Marc Warren and Robert Vaughn <i>Series 2</i> <i>Hair and Make-up Artist</i>
OPEN WIDE 2005	Talkback Thames / ITV	Dir: Juliet May Prod: Margot Gavan Duffy Cast: Alexander Armstrong, Nigel Havers and Angela Griffin <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
LIKE FATHER, LIKE SON 2005	Ecosse Film / ITV	Dir: Nick Laughland Prod: Jeremy Gwilt and Douglas Rae Cast: Robson Green, Jemma Redgrave and Tara Fitzgerald <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
SEX AND LIES 2004	Blast! Films / BBC	Dir: Jeremy Lovering Prod: Madonna Baptiste Cast: Keeley Hawes and Simon Pegg <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>
ENGLAND EXPECTS 2004	BBC Drama / BBC	Dir: Tony Smith Prod: Ruth Caleb Cast: Steven Mackintosh and Camille Coduri <i>Hair and Make-up Designer</i>

Short Films

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TO EACH HIS OWN CINEMA	Cannes Film Festival	Dir: Ken Loach Cast: Bradley Walsh <i>Segment: Happy Ending</i>
SKIN DEEP	APT Films	Dir: Yousaf Ali Khan Prod: Andy Porter <i>BAFTA Nominated</i>

Promos

Production	Company	Notes
JAMES BLUNT 'I REALLY WANT YOU'	HSI Films / Atlantic Records	Dir: Jim Canty Prod: Juliette Larthe
SHANIA TWAIN ft MARK MCGRATH 'PARTY FOR TWO'	Mercury Records	Dir: Marcus Raboy Prod: Stuart Le Marechal