

Abdou Cisse

Writer / Director

Abdou Cissé is a BAFTA nominated and award-winning writer, director and creative from South London. He was most recently listed as Screen International's 2024 UK & Ireland Stars of Tomorrow. Abdou's directorial debut, SERIOUS TINGZ, won Best Narrative Short at the 2019 Shiny Awards and was nominated for a BIFA. SERIOUS TINGZ went on to be selected by eight film festivals,



featuring on ITV news, Tate Modern & Britain; as well as the National Prison Radio. This amassed publicity enabled SERIOUS TINGZ to reach over 90,000 prisoners across the UK.

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Credits

Television

| Production | Company | Notes |
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| GRIME KIDS 2023 | BBC/ Mammoth Screen | Director. |
| GANGS OF LONDON S2 2021 | Pulse Films / Sky Films | Director Shadow Scheme. 2nd Unit Director. Episodes 3-6. |

Short Films

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| FESTIVAL OF | BBC Films | Writer / Director. Winner of the Audience Award for Best |
| SLAPS | | British Film/Work at BFI London Film Festival 2023. |
| 2023 | | Nominated for Best Short at BIFA 2023. |

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| WHY ME? 2021 | DBK Studios / Sky Films | Director. |
| SERIOUS TINGZ 2019 | Ugly Child | Writer / Director. Best Short Film Shinys 2020 BIFA Best Short Film Nominated 2019 Raindance Film Festival 2019, BFI London Film Festival 2019, Aesthetica Film Festival 2019, S.O.U.L Film Festival 2019 LA Shorts Film Festival 2019, London Short Film Festival 2020 |
| DAMAGE CONTROL 2020 | Ugly Child / Radical Media | Writer / Director. |