

**SIMONA SUSNEA – Director of Photography**

**Kodak Best Cinematography Award For A Short Film  
New Cinematographer British Society Of Cinematographers  
Nominated For Best Cinematography IFF World Cinema FF  
Budapest Cinematography Masterclass Scholar  
Sarajevo Talent Campus  
Kodak Film School National Winner 16mm**

***NARRATIVE (selected credits)***

**2018 RUN**

Director: Alex Lanipekun

Producers: Natalie Emmanuel, Alex Lanipekun, Tommy Popps

Starring: Aneurin Barnard, Natalie Emmanuel, Alex Lanipekun, Jonathan Pryce

Manifest Productions, Emmanuel & Co.

**ISHA**

Director: Christopher Manning

Producer: Christopher Manning

Starring: Maia Morgenstern and Horia Savescu.

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**2017 LATE**

Director: Robyn Fox

Producers: Ollie Watts, Robyn Fox

Starring: Nathalie Emmanuel, Julia Cranney

Twicecut Films

**2016 ONE IN A MILLION**

Director: Patrick Ireland.

Producer: Patrick Ireland.

Starring: Eddie Chamberlin

Shoutout UK.

**FISHWITCH (stop motion animation)**

Director: Adrienne Dowling.

Producer: Helene Sifre

Voice: Natalia Tena

NFTS

**ELEANOR**

Director: Sophie Russell.

Producer: Laura Jackson

NFTS.

**2015 THE CAR WASHER**

Director: James Gardner.

Producer: James Gardner

NFTS.

**2014 A SILENT VOICE**

Director: Malou Reymann.

Producer: Elina Litvinova

Starring : Dina Korzun

NFTS.

**PAWEL THE MOUSE GOES TO THE MOON**

Director: Pawel Stec.

Producer: Pawel Stec, Simona Susnea

Homespun.

**VIEWFINDER**

Director: Maria Martinez Bayona.

NFTS.

**2013 SMOKE**

Director: Sarra Tsorakdis.

Producer: Sebastian Condurache

UNATC.

**COSMOPOLITAN**

Director: Sarra Tsorakidis.

Producer: Sebastian Condurache

UNATC.

**2010 SMOKING MAY KILL**

Director: Millo Simulov.

Producer: Milo Simulov

UNATC.

**DOCUMENTARY & ART FILMS (selected credits)**

**2018 UNTITLED TEHRAN DOCUMENTARY**

Director: Victoria Fiore & Aleksandra Bilici.

Producer: Aleksandra Bilici

My Accomplice

**AND IT WAS THE SAME WITH MY SON**

Director: Noemi Varga

Producer: Rajita Shah

Film London, Miraj Films, Pundersons Gardens.

**BIRD**

Director: Eleanor Mortimer.

Producer: Jacob Thomas

Channel 4, Random Acts.

**PORTRAIT OF ANGELA HEWITT**

Director: Jason Buxton.

Producer: Rohan Fernando

Starring : Angela Hewitt

National Board of Canada.

**2017 MACMILLAN CANCER RESEARCH & KINGSTON CHARITY**

Director: Emily Lucienne

Producer: Jane Stephenson

**EUROPE AT SEA**

Director: Annalisa Piras.

Producer: Annalisa Piras

Springshot Productions. ARTE.

**SHARING PLATES 1 & 2 DISHOOM & QUO VADIS**

Director: Charlotte Rabate.

Producer: Charlotte Rabate

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**2016 CEMETERY OF UNIFORMS AND LIVERIES**

Artist : Luke Willis Thompson.

Producer: Luke Willis Thompson

IMA Brisbane.

## **COMMERCIALS & MUSIC VIDEOS**

### **SZJERDENE – RAIN music Video**

Director: Sakari Suuronen

Producers: Natalie Steiner, Precious Mahaga  
Greatcoat Films.

### **REESE'S 2018 ONLINE CAMPAIGN**

Director: Jon Moore

Producer: Julie Machin  
Havas Media

### **TODAY AT APPLE**

Director: Cassidy Gearhart.

Producer: Jason Richardson  
Conscious Minds LA.

### **STELLA McCARTNEY – SCHOOL OF MUSIC**

Director: Emily Stein.

Producer: Emily Stein  
Blink Art.

### **SELF ESTEEM – YOUR WIFE *(Music Video)***

Director: Rebecca Taylor.

Producer: Joshua Noon  
Greatcoat Films.

### **ANIMAL TALES ( VEGAN CHARITY PROMO)**

Director: Brigitta Szaszfai.

Producer: Brigitta Szaszfai  
Knickerbocker Glory.

### **SZJERDENE – FIND ME *(Music Video)***

Director: Joey Bania.

Producer: Amy Anderson.

### **CADET – BUILT LIKE ME *(Music Video)***

Director: Follini & Smith.

Producer: Sam Tipper-Hale.

### **SELFRIDGES BEAUTY I SEE YOU EVERYWHERE**

Director: Kathryn Ferguson.

Producer; Sophie Falkner  
My Accomplice.

### **SELFRIDGES IN EVERY PERSON A UNIVERSE**

Director: Kathryn Ferguson.

Producer: Sophie Falkner  
My Accomplice.

## **EDUCATION**

MA Cinematography National Film and Television School, UK (01.2014 – 12.2015)  
Sarajevo Talent Campus 2016  
Berlin Film Academy Camera Movement Seminar (11 – 12.2012)  
Budapest Cinematography Masterclass with Vilmos Zsigmond, ASC (08 – 09.2011)  
B.A. Hons – Cinematography for Film & TV – UNATC “I.L. Caragiale”  
Bucharest (2007-2011)

## **AWARDS**

2015 The BSC New Cinematographer’s Night Selection  
2013 Profusion Scholarship for young Romanian Filmmakers in the UK  
2011 Media Programme Scholarship for Budapest Cinematography Masterclass  
2011 Romanian National Winner –  
“Kodak Film School Cinematography Competition” Super 16mm for “Smoking May Kill”

## **FESTIVAL SELECTIONS:**

### **FISHWICH**

World Premiere Edinburgh International Film Festival 2016; Nominated for the McLaren Award for New British Animation

Nominated for Best Short Film at the Annie Awards 2017 in Hollywood – Highest Honour given for excellence in animation.

Distributed in 17 Odeon cinemas across the UK, through ODEON Big Shorts Film Festival

Clermont-Ferrand, Galway, Anima Mundi, Aesthetica, Poitiers, Manchester Animation, Cork Film Festival, Animalada, FIA Sweden, Munich Film School Festival  
AUDIENCE AWARD for the Best Animation, DC Independent Film Festival, USA, 2017

### **ONE IN A MILLION**

IFF World Cinema, Nice 2017  
(Nominated for Best Directing, Best Cinematography, Best Lead Actor)

### **SMOKING MAY KILL**

Kodak Best Cinematography for a short Film

Other festivals : FIPA – Biarritz, Shorts on Tap, Cannes – Romanian Short Waves, Gopo Awards Romania, New Film makers NY, Astra Sibiu – Romania, Comedy Cluj, Timishort, Fimul de Piatra – Romania, Lyon Docencourts, Edinburgh Fringe, Northern Waves Reykjavik, Short Film Movement + London, CIFF- Dubai, WIFFF – Vilnius, Med

Film Festival, Ferrara Film Festival.

## **MUSEUMS & GALLERY SHOW CASE (FILM WORK)**

### **Cemetery of Uniforms & Liveries**

Institute of Modern Art Brisbane, Museum of Contemporary Art Montreal, Nigel Draxier Gallery Berlin.

Playing Architecture: The Contemporary Art Museum, Bucharest

### **Panel talks , Lectures, Workshops**

BE 2018 – Craft Panel – Cinematography in the age of Social Media.

Guest Lecturer – 16 mm Workshop – Royal College of Art, March 2017, May 2017

Watersprite Film Festival, Cambridge 2107 – Women in Cinematography Panel

Boston University London – Regular Guest Seaker starting Nov 2016