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# DIMITRI ELLERINGTON

COMEDY | DRAMA | DOCO | CONTENT DIRECTOR



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Trained in Photography & Fine Art at RMIT & Deakin, Dimitri was lucky enough to be accepted into the directing stream of the VCA school of film and Television. After graduating he gained further experience through Assistant Directing, working on productions such as The Great Gatsby, Underbelly, Superman Returns, Farscape, Mission Impossible 2, Dark City and Babe among many others.

Dimitri's wrestling documentary, "Big Men; Bigger Dreams" screened on SBS and garnered both Dendy and AFI nominations as well as strong reviews. His short films "Dream What You Want" and "The Squirrel King" have both been Tropfest finalists and his recent short "Ruby" won best short at the Burn by Night festival and best screenplay & actor awards at the Bad Wolf Festival in New Orleans. His current short, Dead AS, premiered at this year's StKilda Film Festival.

He is currently developing feature projects as well as two feature length documentaries while always seeking future collaborations and story telling opportunities. Visit my site [here](#).

## NARRATIVE SHORT

### DAYDREAMER

SHORT FILM - Sixfoot6 Films  
Prod: Dimitri Ellerington / Melissa Officer  
Currently screening

### DEAD AS

SHORT FILM - Sixfoot6 Films  
Prod: Dimitri Ellerington  
World premier at St Kilda Short Film Festival

### DREAM WHAT YOU WANT

SHORT FILM - Sixfoot6 Films  
Prod: Vashti Rosenberg  
Finalist - Tropfest, Screened: Channel 9 Australia, Foxtel  
Movie network

### THE ROAD TO SUCCESS

SHORT FILM - Sixfoot6 Films  
Prod: Cecilia Ritchie  
Finalist - Tropfest, Screened: Flickerfest, Dungog & London Australian FF. Vimeo Staff Pick.

### RUBY

SHORT FILM - Sixfoot6 Films  
Prod: Larry Woldenberg  
Winner "Best Short" - Burn by Night, Winner "Best Actor", "Best Screenplay" - Bad Wolf, shortlisted - Tropfest.

## DOCO

### THE SQUIRREL KING

SHORT DOCUMENTARY - Sixfoot6 Films  
Prod: Dimitri Ellerington  
Tropfest Finalist

### TANGI WAI

DOCO PROMO - Sixfoot6 Films  
Prod: Rosalind Richards  
Short promo for a doco in development

### BIG MEN: BIGGER DREAMS

FEATURE DOCUMENTARY - SBS TV  
Prod: Dimitri Ellerington  
Nominated "Best Doc" - Dendy Awards, "Best Sound" - AFI Awards. Highly commended - CRC Awards. Screened: Sydney FF.

### SUNBURST

SHORT DOCUMENTARY - Sixfoot6 Films  
Prod: Andrea Doughty / Julie Doughty  
Short Doc on guitar legend Greg Gaskins

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FIRST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR



## FILM | TELEVISION

### THE OFFICE AUSTRALIA

BBC | BUNYA PRODUCTIONS

Dir: Jackie Van Beek Prod: Linda Misco

First Assistant Director

### MOTHER & SON

ABC TV | WOODEN HORSE

Dir: Neil Sharma, Prod: Jude Troy

First Assistant Director Block 1

### CHRISTMAS RANSOM (FEATURE)

STAN | EVERY CLOUD

Dir: Adele Vuko, Prod: Naomi Just

First Assistant Director

### BUMP - SERIES 3

STAN | VILLAGE ROADSHOW

Dir: Rebecca O'Brien, Prod: Dan Edwards, Claudia Karvan

First Assistant Director Block 3

### AFTER THE VERDICT

CHANNEL NINE | SUBTEXT PICTURES

Dir: Fadia Aboud, Prod: Jo Rooney

First Assistant Director Block 3

### BUMP - SERIES 2

STAN | VILLAGE ROADSHOW

Dir: Geoff Bennett, Prod: John & Dan Edwards, Claudia Karvan

First Assistant Director Block 1 & 3

### BORN TO SPY

ABC TV | AQUARIUS FILMS

Dir: Nick Verso, Neil Sharma

Prod: Polly Staniford, Angie Fielder, Naomi Just.

First Assistant Director Block 1 & 3

### BACK TO THE RAFTERS

AMAZON PRIME | SEVEN NETWORK

Dir: Lynn Hegarty, Prod: Chris Martin Jones /

Lesley Parker

First Assistant Director Block 2

### SEX IN THE WEST

ABC TV | WOODEN HORSE TV

Dir: Fadia Aboud, Prod: Jude Troy

First Assistant Director (Pilot)

### THE OTHER GUY S2

STAN AUSTRALIA | AQUARIUS FILMS

Dir: Gracie Otto, Prod: Angie Fielder / Polly

Staniford / Alice Willison

First Assistant Director

### THE UNLISTED

NETFLIX | ABC | AQUARIUS FILMS

Dir: Ryhs Graham / Nick Verso, Prod: Angie Fielder /

Polly Staniford

First Assistant Director Block 1 & 3

### THE OTHER GUY

AQUARIUS FILMS | STAN AUSTRALIA

Dir: Kacie Anning, Prod: Angie Fielder / Polly Staniford

First Assistant Director

### THE NIGHTINGALE (FEATURE)

CAUSWAY FILMS

Dir: Jennifer Kent, Prod: Kristina Ceyton

First Assistant Director (Add Unit)

### BROWN LIPS

NOBLE SAVAGE PICTURES

Dir: Nakkiah Lui, Prod: Majhid Heath

First Assistant Director

### DOCTOR DOCTOR

CHANNEL NINE | ESSENTIAL MEDIA

Dir: Jeremy Simms, Prod: Ian Collie, Claudia Karvan

First Assistant Director Block 2

### CLEVERMAN

ABC TV | GOALPOST PICTURES

Dir: Leah Purcell, Prod: Rosemary Blight

First Assistant Director

### HERE COME THE HABIBS

CHANNEL NINE

Dir: Phil Loyd,

First Assistant Director (2nd Unit)

### SLEEPING BEAUTY (FEATURE)

MAGIC FILMS | TRANSMISSION FILMS

Dir: Julia Leigh, Prod: Jess Brentnall

First Assistant Director

### WINTER

CHANNEL SEVEN

Dir: Shirley Barrett Prod: Rebecca Gibney,

Chris Martin-Jones, Sarah Smith

First Assistant Director

### THE BABADOOK (FEATURE)

CAUSWAY FILMS

Dir: Jennifer Kent, Prod: Kristina Ceyton

First Assistant Director (Sydney Unit)

### THE GREAT GATSBY (FEATURE)

BAZMARK FILMS

Dir: Baz Luhrman, Prod: Catherine Martin

First Assistant Director (2nd Unit)

### DEAD EUROPE (FEATURE)

PORCHLIGHT FILMS

Dir: Tony Krawitz, Prod: Liz Watts

First Assistant Director (Australian Leg)

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## FIRST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

### UNDERBELLY- RAZOR

SCREENTIME | CHANNEL NINE  
Dir: Cherie Nowlan , Prod: Alisa Argenzio  
First Assistant Director

### POWER GAMES

CHANNEL NINE | SOUTHERN STAR  
Dir: David Ceasar, Prod: John Edwards  
First Assistant Director (2nd Unit)

### LIFE AT 9

ABC TV | HEIRESS FILMS  
Dir: Jennifer Peedom , Prod: Naomi Just  
First Assistant Director

### HOME AND AWAY

CHANNEL SEVEN  
Prod: Lucy Addario  
First Assistant Director Multiple Blocks

### LAID

PORCHLIGHT FILMS | ABC TELEVISION  
Dir: Trent O'Donnell , Prod: Liz Watts  
First Assistant Director

### BEFORE THE RAIN (FEATURE)

AFTRS | NIDA  
Prod: Sandra Levy  
First Assistant Director

### 30 SECONDS

ZAPPRUDER'S OTHER FILMS | FOXTEL  
Dir: Shawn Seet, Prod: Sue Seery  
First Assistant Director

### FARMER WANTS A WIFE (REUNION)

FREEMANTLE MEDIA | CHANNEL NINE  
Dir: Paul Murphy, Prod: Channel Nine  
First Assistant Director

### TVC' s | PROMOS (SELECTED)

#### MYER

PLAYTIME  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Gracie Otto

#### SOOTHERS

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

#### SEAFOLLY

PLAYTIME  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Gracie Otto

#### AFL

FINCH  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Chris Nelius

#### CBA

13 & Co  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Armand De Saint-Salvy

#### RACQ

Kiosk Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Ryan Renshaw

#### P&O - SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

#### WESTFIELD - SPRING / SUMMER

Hogarth  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Ted O'Donnell

### YOUNG LIONS

CHANNEL NINE  
Dir: Anna Kokkinos / Jessica Hobbs  
First Assistant Director (2nd Unit)

### TIMOTHY

QUAIL TV | ABC TELEVISION  
Dir: Erin White, Prod: Michelle Hardy  
First Assistant Director

### GANGS OF OZ

EYEWORKS | CHANNEL SEVEN  
Dir: Kay Pavlou  
First Assistant Director

### A-Z OF CONTEMPORARY ART

ABC TV | PHOTOPLAY FILMS  
Dir: Scott Otto Anderson, Prod: Oliver Lawrance  
First Assistant Director

### MAKE ME A SUPERMODEL

ENDEMOL SOUTHERN STAR | CHANNEL SEVEN  
Dir: Phil Kemp  
First Assistant Director

### PACKED TO THE RAFTERS

CHANNEL SEVEN  
Dir: Chris Martin Jones, Prod: Jo Porter  
First Assistant Director

### HEADLAND

CHANNEL SEVEN  
Prod: Jo Porter  
First Assistant Director

### DOUBLE THE FIST

ABC TELEVISION  
Prod: Megan Harding  
First Assistant Director

### BREAST CANCER INSTITUTE

Agile Media  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Jen Peedom

### MND - FADING SYMPHONY

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Husein Alicajic

### WESTFIELD

Agile Media  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: John Dennis

### WOOLWORTHS - OLYMPICS

Exit Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Paola Morabitto

### MAZDA 3

9MM  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Dean Coderington

### RAMS

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

### ST GEORGE

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

### P & O

Exit Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Christopher Hill

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## WONDER WHITE - BOUNCE!

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

## NRL - LET'S MAKE HISTORY

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

## COBRAM ESTATE OILS

Red Engine  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Jane Eakin

## SKODA

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Armand De Saint-Salvy

## SOOTHERS

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: RGB6

## PEPSI MAX

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

## MY KITCHEN RULES

Seven Promos  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Dan Droll

## MITSUBISHI

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

## AUSTRALIA'S NEXT TOP MODEL

Foxtel Promos  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Mark Sharman

## 9MSN

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

## PURINA

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

## HYUNDAI

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

## VICKS VAPODROPS

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Andrew Lancaster

## FOXTEL

Brilliant Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Emile Rademayer

## HOUSE RULES

Seven Promos  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Jane Eakin

## RSVP

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

## FORD URBAN

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

### **Education:**

BA Fine Arts (Deakin) / Post Grad Film TV (VCA)

### **Dimitri also comes with these extras & services:**

- Initial Script breakdowns, Schedules & Budgets.
- Dual UK/Aus Passport
- EPK / Doco Production kit
- Production Consulting
- Script Assessing

## HOLDEN SPARK

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

## REAL HOUSEWIVES OF MELBOURNE

Foxtel Promos  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Nick Allford

## FORD KUGA

9MM / Oxygen 360  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Dean Coderington

## HYUNDAI

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

## JOHNSON & JOHNSON

Nowscreen  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Deborah Niski

## SONY NEX

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

## MY KITCHEN RULES

Channel Seven Promos  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Dan Droll

## SPRING LAMB

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Diamond Dogs

## HAHN PREMIUM LIGHT

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Matt Kaman

## CHERRY RIPE

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

## MASTERCARD

Brilliant Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Abe Forsythe

## MASTERFOODS

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

## KSUBI

Collider Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Daniel Askill

## NOVA FM

Brilliant Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Abe Forsythe

## MYER

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

## FAMOUS MAGAZINE

Brilliant Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Abe Forsythe

## VODAFONE

Curious Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Paola Morabito

## FORD FIESTA

Photoplay Films  
1<sup>st</sup> AD, Dir: Scott Otto Anderson

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## CONTENT

### AUSTRALIA WORKS

FTA TVC - One20 / Ogilvy

Prod: Josh Jenkins

**TVC for the Department of Innovation**

### OOVIE NETWORK

WEB CONTENT - Sixfoot6 Films

Prod: Clare Sawyer

**Web content promoting Oovie Network competition**

### NILE RODGERS PROFILE

CONTENT PROFILE - Photoplay Films

Prod: Suzanne Kim

**Web content profile piece on Nile Rodgers for The Sydney Opera House.**

### TIMOTHY - BEHIND THE SCENES

FTA TV CONTENT - ABC TV

Prod: Michelle Hardy

**BTS for ABC comedy "Timothy"**

### CARMEN'S MUESLI

CONTENT PROFILE - Huckleberry Films

Prod: Stuart Gosling

**Web content profile piece on Carmen's supremo Carolyn Cresswell.**

### ALLIANZ - LIFE

FTA TVC - VNR Creative

Prod: Rupert Le Poer Trench

**TVC campaign for Allianz Life.**

### CHOICE - NUTRIGRAIN (PARODY)

SHONKY AWARDS - Choice Australia

Prod: Darrin Baker

**TVC parody for Choice Shonky Awards**

### ONE DAY IN PARADISE

WEB CONTENT - Sapient Nitro

Prod: Dimitri Ellerington

**Finalist "One Day in Paradise" for Tourism Tropical North Queensland**

## CORPORATES

Dimitri has through Sixfoot6 Films produced a number of corporate films for clients including NDARC, Austrade, NCPIC, Schneider Electric, N2N & Global Renewables among many others.

[sixfoot6films.com.au](http://sixfoot6films.com.au)

## ASSISTANT DIRECTING

Dimitri has extensive Assistant Directing experience. View full CV here:

[firstassistantdirector.net](http://firstassistantdirector.net)

## TEACHING

Dimitri has taught both at NIDA and the AFTRS primarily on production scheduling and on-set protocols and as an on-set consultant.