

THE ME in the TV



A SHORT FILM BY **GORDON PHILLIPS**

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A SCRATCHPOST FILMS PRODUCTION
"THE ME IN THE TV" STARRING MIKA WYSOCKI AND STEVEN OKTARAS WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY GORDON PHILLIPS
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Running Time:

7:08

Tagline:

She's not who she thinks they are

Written and Directed By:

Gordon Phillips

Cast:

Mika Wysocki

Steven Oktaras

Production Company:

Scratchpost Films

Festival Selections:

FilmQuest
Fantaspia International Fantastic Film Festival of Porto Alegre
Panic Fest
Salem Horror Fest
Popcorn Frights Film Festival
Portland Horror Film Festival
Festival Court Métrange
San Jose International Short Film Festival (Academy Award®-qualifying)



LOGLINE

A young woman moves into a new apartment and comes to face to face with a less human version of herself

SYNOPSIS

After moving into a freshly renovated apartment, a young woman stumbles upon an old television hidden in a locked closet.

The set flickers to life, broadcasting her own image—captured from an impossible vantage point she cannot block, shut off, or destroy.

When she draws a neighbor into the mystery, they begin to suspect that the figure on screen may not be her at all, but something far more sinister.

THE HISTORY

I've always been obsessed with the idea that our technology is thinner than we think—that a simple television could capture a signal not from a nearby tower, but from a reality entirely distinct from our own. This fascination stems from a lifelong interest in the nature of existence and the possibility of other dimensions hidden just beyond our perception.

My goal was to explore the primal fear of realizing your house sits on a "spot where these things happen." With true terror being the intrusion—the moment the chaos from outside finds a way into the mundane, safe space of your home.





MIKA WYSOCKI AS *SOPHIE*

Mika is a rising, multilingual actress from Hong Kong with Chinese and Polish-American heritage.

A Middlebury College graduate, with a black belt in Karate, and global career in modeling and Asian Tech, she brings a unique mix of sophistication, naturalism, and physical edge to every role.

After her screen debut in Dallas King's Time Blind, The Me in the TV marks her latest role, further showcasing her striking presence, growing momentum, and ability to inhabit characters with nuance, charisma, and a quietly commanding energy.



STEVEN OKTARAS AS *KYLE*

Steven Oktaras is a Greek-Australian actor based in Melbourne. His credits include appearances in Neighbours, Bugs, and the international series Kill Me, Heal Me.

He has trained at leading institutions including the Victorian College of the Arts, New York Film Academy, and Film & Television Studio International, studying under several top industry professionals.

Steven continues to build his career within the global entertainment industry, taking on a wide range of roles while committing to ongoing professional training and development.

WRITER/PRODUCER/DIRECTOR, GORDON PHILLIPS

Gordon Phillips is an emerging filmmaker, with "The Me in the TV" being his second short.

Born and raised in rural south Georgia, Gordon developed a passion for storytelling at a young age, writing horror stories and experimenting with photography and video. After a 20-year career as a trailer editor in Los Angeles, he decided to pursue a lifelong dream of directing.

Drawing on his years-long understanding of pacing and visual composition, Gordon's filmmaking style showcases his desire to craft suspenseful, visually striking, character-driven stories.



ADDITIONAL CAST & CREW

Realtor
New Tenant
Director of Photography
Production Designer
Editor
Special Visual Effects
Costume Designer
Hair & Makeup
Production Manager/1st Assistant Director
2nd Assistant Director
Production Services Provided By
Executive in Charge of Production for Overcrank
Production Assistant
1st Assistant Camera
Best Boy
Gaffer
Digital Image Tech / Data Wrangler
Burano camera provided by
Grip & Electric

Sound Recordist
Music Supervisor:
Additional Music

Katya Kasatkina
Sherine Nataya
James D. Bowen
Vincentia Wassy
Gordon Phillips
Laurent-Paul Robert
Sherine Nataya
Dewa Ayu Sri Hartati
Jessica Pearce
I Wayan Januarsana
Overcrank Media Productions
James D. Bowen
Alberthus Antonius
Ida Bagus Nyoman Wira Adi Putra
Aceng Riswanto
Satria Jaya Dilaga
Bilqis Emelisqi
Sony Indonesia
Sutrisno Gepeng
Yuga Alfarez
Almo Septiantoro
Agus Putra Kadek Sedana
Sasan Kaveh
Lucius Dillon
Jorge Delgadillo





DETAILS

Country of Production:

USA/Indonesia

Date of Completion:

December 2025

Ratio:

2:35:1

Format:

Digital

Sound:

5.1/Stereo

Camera:

Sony Burano

Genre:

Sci-Fi horror

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