

Conor Forrest

Filmmaker

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Conor Forrest is an emerging director from Toronto with a passion for fiction and documentary filmmaking. Conor has a mixed background of European and Asian descent. His recent achievements include having his short film "Used Furniture" acquired by CBC Gem and his feature-length documentary "Unravelling The Ravelled Mind" picked up by Amazon Prime Video. Conor's mission is to raise awareness of the challenges and discrimination faced by children with ADHD through his work. He has a particular expertise in crafting character-driven dramas and comedies that explore coming of age themes and dysfunctional family dynamics. Conor's films have screened at various festivals, including the Catalina Film Festival and Toronto Shorts International Film Festival. He was recently selected as one of only three filmmakers for the RBC Yorkton Film Festival Mentorship Program. Conor is a rising star in the film industry, poised to captivate and inspire audiences for years to come.



Skills



Screenwriting



Directing



Casting



Work History



Jan 2022 - Writer/Director

Current

The Two Of Us (Short Film), Toronto, Ontario

Festival Run

Accolades:

- Official Selection - Yorkton Film Festival 2023 (Canadian Screen Award Qualifying)



Nov 2020 - Videographer

Current

La Vecchia Restaurant, Etobicoke, ON

Recipe Videos

Jul 2021 -
Feb 2023

Director of Photography

Jada Trucking , Hamilton, ON

Get Rich or Die Trucking, Commercial Series (2021)

Sep 2022 -
Oct 2022

Second Assistant Camera

CBC , Toronto, Ontario

Get Up Aisha, Mini Series (2022)

Aug 2022 -
Aug 2022

First Assistant Camera

Open Screenplay, Toronto, Ontario

Lemons, Short Film (2022)

Aug 2022 -
Aug 2022

Second Assistant Camera

CME City Productions, Hamilton, ON

One in a Million, Feature Film (2022)

Aug 2022 -
Aug 2022

First Assistant Camera

Paper Padlock Productions, Hamilton, ON

Ariel Pod Commercial featuring Pop Band, Walk off the Earth

Jul 2022 -
Aug 2022

Second Assistant Camera

Neshama Entertainment, Hamilton, ON

How to kill your husband, Feature Film (2022)

May 2019 -
Jul 2022

Director

Unravelling the Ravelled Mind (Feature Documentary Film), Toronto, Ontario

Available on Amazon Prime U.S & U.K

Jun 2022 -
Jun 2022

First Assistant Camera

DeFarMedia, Toronto, ON

The Fly, Short film (2022)

Oct 2020 -
Apr 2022

Co-Writer/Director

I'll be with you in the dark... (Short Film), Toronto, Ontario

Festival Run

Accolades:

- Europa Platinum Award Best Low Budget Drama - L.A. Sci Fi & Horror Film Festival 2022

Writer/Director

Apr 2021 - *Used Furniture (Short Film), Toronto, Ontario*

Dec 2021 **Available on CBC Gem**

Accolades:

- Best LGBT Short Film - Lakeview International Film Festival 2022 (FilmFreeway Top100 Qualifying)
- Semi Finalist - Flickers' Rhode Island International Film Festival 2022 (Academy Award Qualifying)
- Honourable Mention - Big Apple Film Festival 2022 (FilmFreeway Top100 Qualifying)

Sep 2021 - **Director of Photography**

Nov 2021 *Jaiden Reese, Aurora, ON*
Jealous, Short film (2021)

Aug 2021 - **Gaffer**

Aug 2021 *Joseph Conrad, Caledon, ON*
Ranger Parks, Short (2021)

Aug 2021 - **Gaffer**

Aug 2021 *Phoenix Jonas, Kingston, ON*
Perfidious, Short (2021)

Jun 2021 - **Gaffer**

Jun 2021 *Joseph Conrad, Toronto, ON*
Haphazard, Short Film (2021)

May 2021 - **Script Supervisor**

May 2021 *Paul Persic, Toronto, ON*
Farewell my Melody, Short Film (2021)

Apr 2021 - **First Assistant Camera**

Apr 2021 *Paul Persic, Toronto, ON*
Taxi Along the Bridge, Short Film (2021)

Mar 2021 - **Director of Photography**

Mar 2021 *Zeyad Saber, Toronto, ON*
Velocity, Short Film (2021)

Mar 2021 - **First Assistant Camera**

Mar 2021 *Sheila Rafizadeh, Vaughan, ON*
Parking 13, Short Film (2021)

- ◆ **Mar 2021 - Gaffer**
Mar 2021 Sebastian Eguiarte, Vaughan, ON
Infinite, Short Film (2021)
- ◆ **Feb 2021 - Director of Photography**
Mar 2021 Keep six, Vaughan, ON
Keep 6IX, Documentary (2021)
- ◆ **Feb 2021 - Gaffer**
Feb 2021 Shian Grace, Toronto, ON
Take my last name, Short Film (2021)
- ◆ **Apr 2020 - Writer/Director**
Jan 2021 A Summers Day at Sherwood Park (Short Film), Toronto, ON
Released on IndieFLIX
- Accolades:**
- Best Narrative Short, Best Editing - Paris Shorts Film Awards 2022
 - Best Comedy - Paradise Film Festival 2022
 - Best Student Short - World Indie Film Awards 2022
 - Best Coming of Age - Calgary Independent Film Festival 2021
 - Best Cinematography - Stockholm Shorts Film Festival 2021
- ◆ **Dec 2020 - Director of Photography**
Dec 2020 Kalyna Fisher, Toronto, ON
I AM AN ACTOR, Documentary (2021)
- ◆ **Nov 2020 - First Assistant Camera**
Nov 2020 Paul Persic, Toronto, ON
The Pestilence, Short Film (2021)
- ◆ **Nov 2020 - First Assistant Camera**
Nov 2020 Paul Persic, Toronto, ON
I wish you well, Music Video
- ◆ **Oct 2020 - Director of Photography**
Nov 2020 Nostalgice Film, Toronto, ON
TapeBoy, Short Film (2021)
- ◆ **Sep 2020 - Writer/Director**
Oct 2020 Luigi Romano (Short Film), Toronto, ON
MY RODE REEL 2020 Short Film

- ◆ **Sep 2020 - Sep 2020** **Grip**
Paul Persic, Toronto, ON
Joytale, Short Film (2020)
- ◆ **Sep 2020 - Sep 2020** **Gaffer**
Yunior Rojas, Hamilton, ON
Rematch, Short Film (2020)
- ◆ **Sep 2020 - Sep 2020** **First Assistant Camera**
Arsham Shafie, Thornhill, ON
One Bag, Short Film (2020)
- ◆ **May 2020 - Sep 2020** **Editor**
Alex Han, Toronto, ON
Follow My Lead, Short Film (2021)
- ◆ **Mar 2019 - Jun 2020** **Writer/Director**
Friday Night Fish (Short Film), Toronto, ON
Released on IndieFLIX

Accolades:

 - Best Short Film - Rio Independent Film Festival 2020
 - Best International Comedy - Venice Shorts 2020
 - Best Short Film - Varese International Film Festival 2020
 - Best Canadian Short Film, Best Director, Best Actor, Best Actress, Best Comedy - Our Voices Film Festival 2020
 - Best Comedy Short Film - Screen Power Film Festival 2020
- ◆ **Feb 2020 - May 2020** **Editor**
Nicholas Collier, Toronto, ON
Mountain Men Don't Cry, Short Film (2020)
- ◆ **Jan 2020 - Jan 2020** **Second Assistant Camera**
Ivan Ossa, Toronto, ON
Essence, Short Film (2020)
- ◆ **Dec 2019 - Dec 2019** **Second Assistant Camera**
Paul Persic, Toronto, ON
Red Candle, Short Film (2020)
- ◆ **Aug 2019 - Dec 2019** **Production Manager**
Paul Persic, Toronto, ON
Red Candle, Short Film (2020)



Nov 2019 - Grip
Nov 2019 *Maya Vukov, Toronto, ON*
 Speaking Parts, Short Film (2019)



Nov 2019 - Grip
Nov 2019 *Ibrahim Issa, Toronto, ON*
 PIP KIDS, Short Film (2019)



Jun 2019 - Production Manager
Aug 2019 *Jaiden Reese, Newmarket, ON*
 SKINS, Short Film (2022)



Jun 2019 - Production Manager
Jul 2019 *Alex Han, Toronto, ON*
 Follow my lead, Short Film (2019)



Nov 2018 - Director
Apr 2019 *Our, Dog Blue. (Documentary Short Film), Toronto, ON*
Released on Youtube

Accolades:

- Best Short Documentary Semifinalist - Los Angeles CineFest 2019



Mar 2019 - Director of Photography
Mar 2019 *Sheila Rafizadeh, Oakville, ON*
 Home for the Red Fish, Short Film (2019)



Jun 2018 - Director of Photography
Aug 2018 *Jaiden Reese, Aurora, ON*
 Overmorrow, Short Film (2019)



Education



Sep 2017 - Bachelor of Arts: Film Production
Apr 2021 *York University - Toronto, ON*



Accolades



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