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FEATURE FILMS / WEB SERIES / LONG FORMATS

FOUR MORE SHOTS PLEASE (S4)' - 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR - PNC. LTD. - PRIME VIDEO - (JAN 2025 - JUNE 2025)

Director: Arunima Sharma, Neha Parti Matiyani: Cast: Kirti Kulhari, Kunal Roy Kapur, Dino Morea, Prateik Smita Patil, Milind Soman

'KAALDHRAV – 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR – PINAKA ENTERTAINMENT – (FEB – JUNE 2024)

Director: Hanish D. Kalia: Cast: Pramod Pathak, Sajjad Delafrooz, Aahana Kumra, Karan Singh Duhan, Anushka Ranjan, Shataf Figar

'ZIDDI GIRLS' – 2ND ASSISTANT DIRECTOR - PNC. LTD. – AMAZON PRIME – (JUNE – OCT 2023)

Director: Shonali Bose, Vasant Nath, Neha Sharma: Cast: Revathy, Simran Bagga, Nandita Das, Lillette Dubey

'BROWN' – 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR – ZEE STUDIOS – (APRIL-JUNE 2022) –1STSCHEDULE

Director: Abhinay Deo: Cast: Karishma Kapoor, Helen, Jisshu Sengupta, Soni Razdan

'SWAHA' - 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR - BENARAS MEDIAWORKS - NETFLIX - (FEB -MARCH 2022)

Director: Sudhir Mishra: Cast: Tapsee Pannu, Parambrata Chatterjee

'BLACKOUT' – 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR 11:11 PRODUCTIONS L.L.P - (AUG – FEB 2022)

Director: Devang Bhavsar: Cast: Vikrant Messey, Jisshu Sengupta, Sunil Grover

'UNPAUSED' - 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR - PNC. LTD. - AMAZON PRIME - (AUG - SEPT 2020)

Director: Tannishtha Chatterjee [Rat-A-Tat]: Cast: Lillette Dubey, Rinku Rajguru

'FOUR MORE SHOTS PLEASE (S3)' - 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR – PNC. LTD. – PRIME VIDEO – (FEB – AUG 21)

Director: Joyeeta Patpatia: Cast: Kirti Kulhari, Sayani Gupta, Prateik Smita Patil

'SERIOUS MEN' - 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR - BOMBAY FABLES LLP - NETFLIX - (JUNE - DEC 2019)

Director: Sudhir Mishra: Cast: Nawazuddin Siddigui, Nassar, Shweta Basu Prasad, Sanjay Narvekar

'JUNGLE CRY' – 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR - BOLLYWOOD HOLLYWOOD FILMS - (AUG – FEB 2019)

Director: Sagar Ballary: Cast: Abhay Deol, Atul Kumar

'HAQ SE' - 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR - ALTBALAJI - (SEPT - OCT 2017) MANALI SCHEDULE

Director: Ken Ghosh: Cast: Rajeev Khandelwal, Surveen Chawla, Parul Gulati, Pavail Gulati

'BEGUM JAAN' – 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR - VISHESH FILMS - (APRIL – AUGUST 2016)

Director: Srijit Mukherji: Cast: Vidya Balan, Naseeruddin Shah, Chunkey Pandey, Rajit Kapur, Ashish Vidyarthi, Ila Arun, Rajesh Sharma

'PINTI KA SABUN' – 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR - CHILDREN'S FILM SOCIETY INDIA (CFSI) - (AUGUST - OCTOBER 2015)

Director: Pramod Pathak

'ISHQ FOREVER' – 2ND ASSISTANT DIRECTOR – FRIDAY CINE ENTERTAINMENT - (APRIL - JUNE 2015)

Director: Sameer Sippy: Cast: Jaaved Jaaferi, Lisa Ray, Arif Zakaria

'3 STOREYS' – 2ND ASSISTANT DIRECTOR – OPENAIR FILMS - EXCEL ENTERTAINMENT - (DECEMBER 2014 - MARCH 2015)

Director: Arjun Mukerjee: Cast: Richa Chadha, Pulkit Samrat, Renuka Shahane, Sharman Joshi

'BOBBY JASOOS' – 2ND ASSISTANT DIRECTOR – BORNFREE ENTERTAINMENT (OCT 2013 - JAN 2014)

Director: Samar Shaikh: Cast: Vidya Balan, Ali Faizal, Arjan Bakwa, Supriya Pathak, Anupriya Goenka, Zarina Wahab

'CHILDREN OF WAR' – 2ND ASSISTANT DIRECTOR – MAKTUB ENTERTAINMENT (APRIL 2013 – JULY 2013)

Director: Mrityanjay Devvrat: Cast: Farooq Shaikh, Victor Banarjee, Pawan Malhotra, Raima Sen, Tillotama Shome, Indraneil Sengupta

'GHANCHAKKAR' – 2ND – 2ND ASSISTANT DIRECTOR - UTV (MAY 2012 - JAN 2013)

Director: Rajkumar Gupta: Cast: Vidya Balan, Emraan Hashmi, Rajesh Sharma

'NO ONE KILLED JESSICA' - DIRECTOR'S ASSISTANT - UTV (DEC 2009 - JUNE 2010)

Director: Rajkumar Gupta: Cast: Vidya Balan, Rani Mukerji

SHORT FILMS / ADVERTISEMENTS / DOCUMENTARIES / BTS

THE SILENCE [2024] - (Writer, Director, Camera & Editor) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=u_DRf8T5hCw

KHALISH [2018] - (Writer, Director, Camera & Editor) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o2HyyehO6Yc

TERRORIST KHAN [2017] - (Writer, Director, Camera & Editor) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pcylk7mDeog

END TOPIC [2015] - (Writer, Director, Camera & Editor) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tRcvP30Hs3M

THE SALESMAN [2013] - (Writer, Director, Camera & Editor) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QQeudqwA3qI

KOSHISH - THE EXACT ATTEMPT [2012] - (Writer, Director, Camera & Editor) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QEPGNOkqcDs

THE PHOTOGRAPHER [2011] - (Writer, Director, Camera & Editor) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y/Mhbq0aHdI

TOO MANY LIVES [2010] - (Writer, Director, Camera & Editor) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I5Mgqg_bW4M

LAUGHING ALL THE WAY [2010] - (Writer, Director, Camera & Editor) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9sKPZC4MOTs

SAPNON SE BHARE NAINA [2009] - (Writer, Director, Camera & Editor) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wGAt-u9wt2Q

THE COCONUTS THAT MADE GOD [2009] - (Writer, Director, Camera & Editor) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wGAt-u9wt2Q

NOR DOTH THE EYE [2008] - (Camera) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N7PdAKGfco8

'PARRYWARE - ROCA' - 'the making' - BLUE TURTLE FILMS [BTS] <u>www.youtube.com/watch?v=nkKq7iqSFEM - youtube.com/watch?v=WUh_mkXGOQ</u> 'HERO' - Assistant Director - PURPLE VISHNU FILMS [Advertisement]

'PEPSI AD' (Virat Kohli) - Assistant Director – **QED FILMS** [Advertisement] **'SUGARFREE** - Assistant Director – **RISING STAR FILMS** [Advertisement]

AIYYAA [2012]- 'the making' - ANURAG KASHYAP FILMS [BTS] https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ioay2CzDJHk

Director: Sachin Kundalkar

'SATYAMEV JAYATE[2012] - Assistant Editor - AAMIR KHAN PRODUCTIONS

'BOLLYWOOD THE GREATEST STORY EVER TOLD' [2011] - Research Assistant - UTV MOTION PICTURES

Director: Rakeysh Omprakash Mehra

EXPERIENCES

ACTION: 'Children of War', 'Begum Jaan', 'Blackout' and 'Kaaldhrav'.

SPORTS: 'Jungle Cry'

PROSTHETICS: 'Swaha', 'Brown' and 'Mixture'.

VFX: 'Serious Men', 'Jungle Cry', '3 Storeys' and 'Ghanchakkar',

CHILDREN & ANIMALS: 'Pinti Ka Sabun' and 'Serious Men'

OUT OF INDIA: 'Ishq Forever - South Africa', 'Jungle Cry - UK' and Four More Shots Please (S4) - Bangkok - Thailand

SOFTWARE / APPLICATIONS / SKILLS / HOBBIES

Movie Magic Scheduling

Final Draft

Adobe Premiere

Adobe Photoshop

Writing

Storyboarding

Photography

Military Aviation

Shooting

Biking

PC Gaming [RTS and FPS]

EDUCATION

PgDip. Fiction Film Production - University of Salford, England

BSc. Multimedia and Internet Technology - University of Salford, England

Life.