

# SWIPED RIGHT

Written and Directed by  
Dana Marisa Schoenfeld



**Match. Meet. Repeat.**

BELLA FIORE PRODUCTIONS AND MAIN SEQUENCE ENTERTAINMENT PRESENT "SWIPED RIGHT"

LYDIA FIORE ANTHONY GRASSO DANA MARISA SCHOENFELD STEPHANIE WEPPLER KISHA BARR VIN SCIALLA

MUSIC BY VIN SCIALLA AND TRAVIS ELLIOTT EXECUTIVE PRODUCER LYDIA FIORE PRODUCED BY LYDIA FIORE AND DANA MARISA SCHOENFELD EDITED BY DANA MARISA SCHOENFELD

STORY BY LYDIA FIORE AND DANA MARISA SCHOENFELD DIRECTOR OF PHOTOGRAPHY TORU NISHIKUBO WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY DANA MARISA SCHOENFELD



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Executive Producer: Lydia Fiore  
Written and Directed by: Dana Marisa Schoenfeld  
Produced by: Dana Marisa Schoenfeld and Lydia Fiore  
Story by: Lydia Fiore and Dana Marisa Schoenfeld  
Director of Photography: Toru Nishikubo  
Edited by: Dana Marisa Schoenfeld  
Production Companies: Bella Fiore Productions &  
Main Sequence Entertainment

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## **LOGLINE**

When two strangers swipe right, they meet through the cosmic forces of the internet.

## **SYNOPSIS**

When two strangers over forty, who have both given up on love, decide to join a hot online dating site to satisfy their libidos, they match through the cosmic forces of the internet. But when they meet on their "date," it's a tango that neither could have ever expected. Sometimes the worst date of your life is just the beginning.

# DIRECTOR'S STATEMENT

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I am honored to be the director of *Swiped Right* and to have helped develop this fun, comedic story. The film offers a refreshing look at what can really happen when you meet a stranger on a date, the comedy that ensues, and of course, the potential for real romance.

The relevance of this story in our modern society is fascinating. There are so many people who are searching for love, but willing to settle. This film offers hope that it's possible to find love at any age and through any means.



My intention as a director was to bring out the truth of the circumstances and to help the actors find authentic moments that would entertain, reveal a depth of character, and move the story forward. It was important to show comedic elements for each character and also to find the heart of the story – two lonely people searching for true love. I hope that you enjoy this film as much as I enjoyed making it.

**- Dana Marisa Schoenfeld**

# DANA MARISA SCHOENFELD

Director | Writer | Producer

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**Dana Marisa Schoenfeld's** passion for entertainment is limitless. She is a writer/director/producer and actor who enjoys every aspect of filmmaking.

Dana began her career at the esteemed NBC Page Program at 30 Rockefeller Center where she was assigned to the Saturday Night Live Desk and Late Night with Conan O'Brien desk.

After she completed the program, Dana was hired to work in production on (now senator) Al Franken and (former head writer of the Cosby show), John Markus's new NBC sitcom, Lateline, The Daily Show with Jon Stewart, Glen Gordon Caron's (Medium, Moonlighting) television series, Now and Again, and the hit NBC comedy, Ed.

Dana won a two-year scholarship to the prestigious "Think Tank" program at Writers Boot Camp in Santa Monica, CA. She moved to Los Angeles, began studying screenwriting, and worked at Writers Boot Camp where she created a fellowship program for aspiring screenwriters around the world..

She founded Main Sequence Entertainment in 2010 and has written, produced, directed and starred in numerous films including Dead Drunk, Play it Straight, Sasha, Drumpf, East, and Swiped Right. Dead Drunk, a short film she adapted from her original feature length screenplay, went on to win a Merit of Excellence Award at the Best Shorts Film Competition.

2016 was a busy year for Dana's acting and directing career. She performed in eight short films, a feature film written by Jarret Liotta, a journalist for the New York Times, and she starred in two one-act plays.

In January of 2017, Dana wrote, directed, produced, and starred in EAST, an original television pilot. East won Best TV Pilot at the Hoboken International Film Festival. She also wrote, directed, co-produced, and edited, Swiped Right, which won The Award of Merit Special Mention for Film Short from The Best Shorts Competition, directed a short film called "Cayenne Pepper," and was recently cast as "Karen" in the feature film, Love in Kilnerry, currently shooting on location in New York City and New Hampshire.

# CAST & CREW



## LYDIA FIORE (Ava)

Credits include: **FILMS**- Swiped Right (*BNFF - Winner - Best Actress Short Film, Best Shorts Competition - Winner- Lead Actress - Award of Merit Special Mention*), High Deny, Annabelle, Things We Don't Talk About, The Will and Yes, Sorry, F\*\*K; **TELEVISION**- 50 Central, Mind of a Murder, True Story with Maria Elena Selinas; **WEB SERIES** -Lorraine Russo's Family Diaries, In Our Backyard and **THEATER**- Housewives of Secaucus.

## ANTHONY GRASSO (Angelo)

Credits include: **FILMS**- Gun Hill Road (Released 2011- \*Sundance), Swiped Right (*Best Shorts Competition - Winner- Lead Actor - Award of Merit Special Mention*), O2, Perception, Poughkeepsie, Legit and The Last Night; **TELEVISION** - Jessica Jones, Gotham, Blue Bloods, Law & Order, Law & Order CI, Law & Order SVU and Unforgettable. **INDIE PILOTS**- A Beautiful Distraction and The 5<sup>th</sup> Borough.



## DANA MARISA SCHOENFELD (Sofia)

Credits include: **FILMS**- Love in Kilnerry, Home Movie, East, Uber Oracle, Dead Drunk, Play it Straight, Sasha, Drumpf, The Other Place, The Reading, The Prototypes, #Feminism, Great Expectations, Swiped Right; **THEATER**- Out of Character, Mushroom Meltdown, The Annunciation and Firsts.

## STEPHANIE WEPPLER (JoAnna)

Credits include: **FILMS**- East, Swiped Right (*Best Shorts Competition - Winner- Supporting Actress - Award of Merit Special Mention*), The Other Place, Sasha, Drumpf, The Spilling, First Impressions, Uneffable, Dead Drunk , Play It Straight, Living Room and Smile; **TELEVISION**- Sex in the City, Deadline; **THEATER**- Out of Character, Mushroom Meltdown.



## KISHA BARR (Vivian)

Credits include: **FILMS**- Swiped Right, How You PLayer the Hand, Millennials, Glow Life, Rebirth, Bon Appetit, Never Again, The Review, Object of Desiree, Misguided Kings, Impulse Legal, Not Love, Reasons and Vilified; **TELEVISION**- Banshee, Unraveled, The Circle and Casting Shadows; **THEATER**- After the Walk and Ida B. Wells.

## VIN SCIALLA (Waiter)

Credits include: **FILMS**- Wolf of Wall Street, East, Swiped Right, Sasha, Whispers of Guitar, Margarita with a Straw, The Drowning, She's Lost Control; **TELEVISION**- The Deuce, Boardwalk Empire, Mozart in the Jungle, Law & Order SUV, Jim Gaffigan Show, Power; **THEATER**- Tarentella, Back to Creation.



# CAST & CREW



**TORU NISHIKUBO (Director of Photography)** is a Japanese born cinematographer. He started his career as a documentary cinematographer 25 years ago in NYC. After filming numerous documentaries, he discovered a need to express his artistry through narrative cinema. He also defines cinema “as a team effort and when the team is in sync miracles can happen”.

**BRIAN JOSEPH (Sound Mixer)** is a senior partner at Trytone Sound and is the head of production sound. A graduate of the Made in New York Production Assistant Training Program, Brian never considered a career in sound mixing until one day when he acted as a replacement sound mixer on a web-series and realized that he had the love and gift it took to become a great mixer and run a great sound department.



# SWIPED RIGHT FULL CREDITS

## CAST

(in order of appearance)

Ava	Lydia Fiore
Sofia	Dana Marisa Schoenfeld
Vivian	Kisha Barr
Angelo Jacobi	Anthony Grasso
Joanna	Stephanie Weppler
Waiter	Vin Scialla
Featured Extras	John Murdolo
	Stephanie Ferreira
	Pasquale Di Palma
	Cheryl Smallman
	Alicia Javier
	William Lee

## CREW

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Written By	Dana Marisa Schoenfeld
Edited By	Dana Marisa Schoenfeld
Additional Editing by	Steve Tooke
Director of Photography	Toru Nishikubo
Associate Producer	Stephanie Weppler
Associate Producer	Kisha Barr
1 <sup>st</sup> Assistant Director	Jennifer Pappas
2 <sup>nd</sup> Assistant Director	William Lee
1st Assistant Camera	Isa Maeda
Key Gaffer	Makoto Matsuo
Location Sound Mixers	Brian Joseph
	Stuart Gardiner
Boom Operator	David Cortes
Script Supervisor	Lee Ann Hoover
Assistant Editor	William Seife
Post Production Sound	Evan Joseph
Color Correction	Steve Tooke
Additional Editing by	Steve Tooke
Composer	Vin Scialla
Additional Music by	Travis Elliott

## MUSIC

“Tango Toscana”  
Irene Trudel hosts The David Brubeck classic  
Quartet San Francisco ol Toscana  
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“Miles Away”  
By Travis Elliott  
From the Album “Swan Dive”

## SPECIAL THANKS TO

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Travis Elliott

Jenn Plotzke and her original artwork

Samantha Brown  
Ovo Lifestyle Toys

Jen Rudolph  
The Actors Green Room

Pesono, Korasick, and Fiore Families

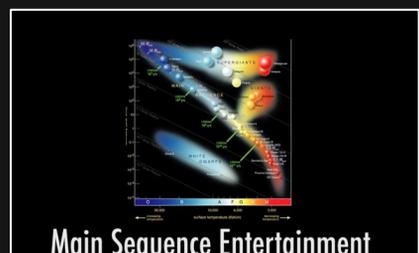
Linda and Lester Schoenfeld  
Jennifer Schoenfeld

## SAG-AFTRA

And to all those who helped make this film possible

Swiped Right is a work of fiction. Names, characters, businesses, places and incidents are either a product of the author's imagination or used in a fictitious manner. Any resemblances to actual persons living or dead or actual events is purely fictional.

Filed in New Jersey 2017



# PRODUCER'S STATEMENT

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We believe that Swiped Right is an empowering story that we hope will entertain, inspire, and remind people that it is possible to find love in the least traditional of ways.

Swiped Right is rich with flawed and comedic characters who have unique perspectives on love and modern dating. The potential for comedy is tremendous and we are pleased to announce that we have already begun development on the screenplay for the feature film.

We are deeply proud that this film was written, directed, produced and edited by women. As female filmmakers and the winners for The Award of Merit Special Mention for Women Filmmakers from The Best Shorts Competition, we are on an adventure that we hope will inspire more female filmmakers around the world.

-- DANA MARISA SCHOENFELD AND LYDIA FIORE

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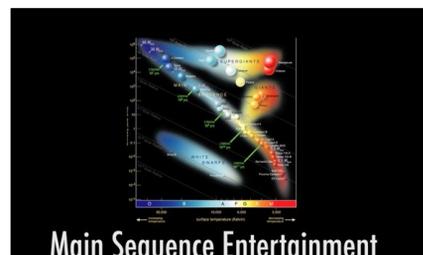
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# AWARDS | NOMINATIONS | SELECTIONS

