

This is a **Vitae** for

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# My Education in a nutshell:

First I did some serious schooltime at Friedrich-Paulsen-Schule which got me my matric (Abitur) in 2000.



After that I worked at a german photo rental house and did a course at the New York Institute of Photography in 2002.



In 2003 I became trainee studio manager for Kajetan Kandler in Hamburg, Germany, & worked freelance in photography in 2004.



In 2005 I was milking cows in New Zealand.



2006 + 2007 I took up filmmaking with a Diploma in Camerawork & Lighting at City Varsity, Cape Town.



In 2008 I followed that up with a workshop as Steadicam Operator at Xinetix, Hamburg, Germany.



The next 3 years I spent loading film & pulling focus in Hamburg & Cape Town.



I have been working as a Cinematographer ever since.

Some **Work** I have done in recent times as DOP:



Music Video "Güggü" - Züri West  
Production: Weltrekords GmbH / Bern  
Directed by Rainer Leimeroth

#1  iTunes Charts  
Switzerland



Agency: ADC Germany / Berlin  
Production: Embassy of Dreams / Berlin  
Directed by Susanne Dittrich



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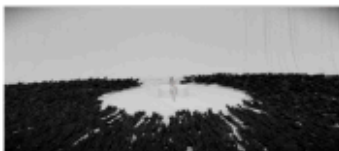
Production: Kombinat RotWeiss / Frankfurt  
Directed by Kajetan Kandler



Agency: Red Roses / Hamburg  
Production: Cape Town Productions / Cape Town  
Directed by Susanne Dittrich



Production: Die Wunderkinder / Hamburg  
Directed by Ina Pirk



Music Video "Caitlin"  
Production: Bench Films / Cape Town  
Directed by Riaz Solker



Agency: Saatchi Saatchi / Dubai  
Production: Twin Film / Cape Town  
Directed by Thomas Balmés

....and some more...



**Agency: 48 Hour Film Festival**  
**Production: Bench Films / Cape Town**  
**Directed by Alan Shelley & Riaz Solker**



COURT MÉTRAGE  
short film corner  
FESTIVAL DE CANNES 2013



**Agency: Conill / Miami**  
**Production: Twin Film / Cape Town**  
**Directed by Henning Winkelmann**



**Music Video "Every Second" - Patrice**  
**Production: Park 17 / Frankfurt**  
**Directed by Baris Aladag**



**Agency: MoFilm / London**  
**Production: Bench Films / Cape Town**  
**Directed by Riaz Solker**



**Agency: Impact BBDO / Beirut**  
**Production: ABL Films / Beirut**  
**Directed by Ahmad Galal**



**Agency: Publicis / Moscow**  
**Production: Action Films / Moscow**  
**Directed by Susanne Dittrich**



**Production: Cape Town Productions / Cape Town**  
**Directed by Dougal Paterson**

....and more...



**Agency: VisualEyes International / Zurich**  
**Production: Roba Images / Hamburg**  
**Directed by Karine Welters & Oliver Rust**



**Agency: Delasocial / Hamburg**  
**Production: Christa Klubert / Düsseldorf**  
**Directed by Johannes Knuth**



**Agency: VSF&P GmbH / Hamburg**  
**Production: Rockenfeller & Göbels / Düsseldorf**  
**Directed by Jochen Arndt**