

Mark Gantt

DIRECTOR

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My Goals

I'm an enthusiastic and optimistic guy who hates waiting for things to happen so I create. I love filmmaking, the process of collaboration and bringing words to life!

Directing/Producing

Director, SEAMLESSLY SHE WITH MONICA POTTER **June 2016 - July 2106**

Directed branded series for INE Entertainment, GMC and AOL.

Director, ESPN and Nissan's Heisman House **June 2016 - July 2016**

Directed seven commercial spots for Chiat Day agency with Fuzzbuster Films.

Director/Producer, INTRICATE VENGEANCE **January 2016 - Present**

Directed/Produced short film/pilot presentation for Ron Howard and Brian Grazer's digital studio, New Form Digital. Concurrently developing it as series with them.

Director, MURDER IN MEXICO **March 2015 - August 2015**

Directed feature film, produced by Indy Entertainment, based on the true story of Bruce Beresford -Redman. Premiered Sept 26th, 2015 on Lifetime.

Producer, PSYCHOPHONIA **Dec 2014 - Present**

Produced low budget feature film directed by Brianne Davis in association with Blanc-Biehn Productions and Nicholls Fellowship winning writer Barbara Stepansky.

Writer/Producer, THE NIGHT VISITOR 2 **April 2014 - April 2015**

Co-wrote/produced low budget feature film directed by Brianne Davis in association with Blanc-Biehn Productions. Distributed by Anchor Bay and Starz for Fall of 2016.

Producer, THE PROGRAM **July 2013 - Dec 2013**

Produced supernatural short film/pilot presentation, starring opposite Robert Forster and directed by Dylan Mulick. Currently doing the festival circuit while developing as TV series.

Producer, THE NIGHT VISITOR **Feb 2013 - Feb 2014**

Produced low budget feature film directed by Jennifer Blanc-Biehn in association with Blanc-Biehn Productions. Distributed by Anchor Bay and Starz in Fall of 2016.

Director/Producer, DONOR **June 2012 - Oct 2012**

Directed and Produced short film. Currently being distributed by Snag Films

Producer, ANNIE TAKES OFF **Jan 2012 - Present**

Produced short film/pilot presentation to pitch as series. Currently teamed up with Trium Productions and Youtube talent iJustine and pitching currently. Attached as Director.

Director/Producer, GOOD IN BED **May 2010 - Aug 2010**

Directed and produced episode of Suite 7, a branded series for Lifetime/Better Sleep Council.

Director/Producer, COMPANY **May 2010 - Aug 2010**

Directed and produced episode of Suite 7, a branded series for Lifetime/Better Sleep Council.

Co-Creator/Writer/Producer, THE BANNEN WAY **April 2007 - Jan 2010**

Co-created and starred in a feature film/web series for Sony's Crackle.com. Winner of 4 Streamy Awards, 12 million views in the first 6 weeks and worldwide DVD distribution.

Director/Writer/Producer, MARTINE **June 2003 - Dec 2003**

Adapted from J.D. Salinger's short story *Pretty Mouth and Green My Eyes*.

Acting

Professional actor in Film, TV and Digital **Jan 2000 - Present**

Credits include American Horror Story, Major Crimes, Dexter, Alias, Ocean's 11, Charlie's Angels: Full Throttle, The Bannen Way, The Shield, Without A Trace and The Curse.

Education

AFI Directors Workshop **April 2003**
The Beverly Hills Playhouse **Nov 1999 - 2012**

Related Skills

Acting Teacher - Beverly Hills Playhouse **April 2013 - Present**
Photography **1992 - Present**
Art Director/Prop Master - Features, TV, Commercials **Feb 1992 - 2014**
Graphic Designer **2000 - 2011**

Awards/Nominations

DONOR Winner Best Director, Short Film - *FirstGlance Philadelphia Film Fest 2012*, Winner Best of the Fest - *Indie Cinema Series Festival 2012*, Official Selection - *Beverly Hills Shorts Festival 2012*, Official Selection - *Unofficial Google+ Film Festival 2012*, Winner Best Actress:Alexis Boozer - *Unofficial Google+ Film Festival 2012*

SUITE 7 Winner - *Webby Awards 2012 Shannen Doherty:Best Performance*, Nominated Best Drama Series - *BANFF Rockies Award 2012*

THE BANNEN WAY Winner Best Actor in Drama, Winner Best Drama, Winner Best Editing Nominated: Best Writing, Best New Web Series, Best Branded Series - *Streamy Awards 2010*, Nominated: Best Drama Series, Best Editing, Best Actress:Vanessa Marcil - *Webby Awards 2010*

MARTINE Winner - Best Horror/Suspense Short Film - *New Orleans Media Festival 2004*, Official Selection - *Newport Beach Film Festival 2004*, Official Selection - *New York Short Film Festival 2004*, Official Selection - *LA International Short Film Festival 2004*