

Rakesh Malik

Director of Photography

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SKILLS AND ABILITIES

From my experience as a gallery represented fine art photographer, I have a strong sense of lighting and composition for visual storytelling. I am very easy to work with, focused and professional, and know how to design a show look for a project.

AWARDS

Best Short, Oregon International Film Festival for “You and Me, Me and You”

Best Director and Runner Up for Best Picture, Oregon International Film Festival for “Chased”

Runner Up, International Jazz Dance Film Festival for “Rhythm Oil”

FILM EXPERIENCE

Feature Films

Show and Company	Role	Days/Dates	Supervisor
Chased Cloudmaker Pictures	Director of Photography	21 days, June-July 2018	Bruce Troxell, Producer + Director
Manbaby	Director of Photography	25 days, October 2012- June 2013	Tim Lightell, Producer + Director
On Empty, Immortal Scene	Director of Photography	15 days, March 6-24 2023	Prav Aujla, Director

Documentary

Show and Company	Role	Days/Dates	Supervisor
FunXVancouver, CBC	Director of Photography	2 days, November 2021	Kimiya Shokoohi, Producer + Director
The Dreamers, CBC	Director of Photography	3 days, October – November 2021	Ilhan Abdulahi

EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

Motion Picture Lighting Technician Micro-credential: North Island College, BC

Mar. 2023

B.A. Biophysics, Minor Computer Science, Johns Hopkins University

May. 1994

- Motion Picture Industry Orientation (MPIO): Actsafe

Dec. 2022

- COVID-19 Safety Procedures Course: Actsafe

Dec. 2022

- Motion Picture Safety 101 – General Safety: Actsafe

Dec. 2022

- WHMIS 2015

May. 2021

- Safety for Supervisors

Apr. 2021

- Reel Green Sustainable Production Training
- Aerial Lift and Fall Protection
- Joint Health and Safety Committee Fundamentals

Jan. 2023

Apr. 2021

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

- Software Engineer
- Finishing Colorist
- VFX Artist
- Freelance writer for Red Shark News

OTHER TRAINING

- Film Look Design at Colour Training
- Environment Creation in Houdini at RebelWay

HOBBIES/ VOLUNTEER

- Hobbies: Hiking, Backpacking, Mountaineering, bicycling, Martial Arts
 - Climbed Mt. Rainier Mt. Adams, Mt. Kilimanjaro
 - Taught Gung-Fu and Goju-Ryu Karate
 - Have shown print works in galleries, including The Louvre
- Volunteer: Lead a backpacking trip for the Sierra Club, photographed Sierra Club events
 - Portrait photographer for Help Portraits

REFERENCES

Tim Lightell	Director/Producer	timothyplightell@gmail.com
Bruce Troxell	Director/Producer	cloudmaker2010@comcast.net
Anika DeGroot	Director/Producer	acedegroot@gmail.com
Mike Pinte	Gaffer	mike@pinteafilmcompany.com