# **Jack Harriss**

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### **WORK HISTORY**

Feb 2024 - Current

Wolfman - Big Teeth Films / Blumhouse (Feature Film)

Payroll Assistant

Aug 2023 to Feb 2024

**Teaching Council Via H2R Consulting (Temp Office Work)** 

Operations Administrator for the PR team (Professional Relations)

Jun 2023 to Jul 2023

**NLC Payroll Via Drake Recruitment (Temporary Office Work)** 

Call Centre Phone Operator & Admin Assistant

Mar 2023 to Jun 2023

**Justin Harriss Plumbing** 

General labouring and assisting in plumbing, roofing and drainlaying

Dec 2022 to Mar 2023

Avatar Sequels - 880 Productions / Disney (Feature Film)

Production Runner

Jul 2022 to Sep 2022

**Wrestler (Creative Agency & Production House)** 

Assistant Producer Intern

Jan 2022 to Feb 2022

Darkest Light - Independent (Feature Film)

2nd AD, Runner, Production Assistant and Background Extra

Sep 2020 to Oct 2020

Millie Lies Low - Independent / NZFC (Feature Film)

Art Department Assistant and Background Extra

Oct 2020 to Jan 2023

**Beyond The Surface (Podcast)** 

Producer, Camera Operator, Video Editor and Social Media

Assistant

May 2020 to May 2021

**Open Lab (Design Studio)** 

Podcast Producer, Editor and Engineer

Mar 2019 to Mar 2022

**Countdown Aotea & Newtown (Supermarket)** 

Acting Assistant Checkout Manager, Checkout Supervisor, SCO

Host and Online Picker

Jan 2018 to Dec 2018

Walhampton School (Private boarding school in England)

Gap Student, Teacher Assistant and Sports Coach

## **ABOUT ME**

I have had plenty of both on and off set experience in a wide range of filmmaking roles from working on various commercial, academic and personal projects. I set a high standard for myself and take pride in my ability to get the job done. I'm not shy about asking for help to ensure the best possible outcome.

# **EDUCATION**

- 2022 Master of Fine Arts in Creative
- 23 **Practice (Film).** Te Herenga Waka Victoria University of Wellington
- 2019 Bachelor in Creative Media
- 21 Production (now known as a Bachelor in Screen Arts). Massey University Wellington

# **COURSES / ACHIEVEMENTS**

2024 Shortlisted for funding to Produce the **Bedbugs** streaming series through NZ On Air's - Within My Reach initiative

Nominated for best 22 to 24 year old film at the NZYFF for **Tokorua Hei Kotahi** 

2023 **Guest lecture** at both Tawa College and Massey University

Pupil of Tall Poppy Film's **Screen Accelerator Program** 

2022 **Student Representative** for Victory University of Wellington's MFA course

Pupil of Share The Knowledge's **Movie Magic Budgeting** Course

- 2021 Pupil of Lane Street Studios'
  Creative Business Program
- 2020 **Student Representative** for Massey University's Bachelor of CMP course

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# ON/OFF SET EXPERIENCE

#### **Feature Films:**

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- 2023 **Avatar Sequels** (880 Productions / Disney) Production Runner
- 2022 **Darkest Light** (Independent) 2nd AD, Runner, Production Assistant and Background Extra
- 2020 **Millie Lies Low** (Independent / NZFC) Art Department Assistant and Background Extra

## Notable Short Films, Docs, Adverts and Music Videos

The full list of projects I have worked on can be provided upon request. Here are some of the notable projects I am most proud of:

- 2024 Honey, I'm Home (short) Writer, Director, Producer, Editor
   Rollable (advert) Director, DOP, Editor
   Agua e Vinho (Music Video) Director / Producer
- Express (short) Writer/Director
   FIFA Woman's World Cup Tribune (advert) 3rd AD
   Imaginary Friends 1st AD
- 2022 Tokorua Hei Kotahi Producer & 1st ADBedbugs ProducerThe Reunion 1st AD & Set Builder
- 2021 The Understudy (short) Assistant Producer, H&S Officer Newtown (short) - 1st AD, H&S Officer, Sound Editor Yolk (Music Video) - Prod. Manager, 1st AD, Data Wrangler
- The Wake (short) Writer, Director, Producer, Editor, Props
   Pro-Tecc Producer, 1st Assistant Director and Catering
   Snare Assistant Producer, Social Media and Catering
- Where Dreams Go to Die (short) Producer, 1st AD
   Let Me Out (short) Writer, Director, Producer, Editor
   'Modern' Prometheus (Music Video) Producer, Editor

# SOFTWARE EXPERIENCE

I have intermediate to advanced-level experience in the following software:

**Microsoft Suite** - Excel, Word, Powerpoint, Outlook, Teams

**Google Suite** - Sheets, Docs, Slides, Drive, Gmail

**Creative Cloud** (Adobe) - Photoshop, After Effects, Media Encoder, Audition, Acrobat

**Accounting -** MydaEs, Smart Accounting, SalesForce

**Others** - DaVinci Resolve, Eb Synth, Slack, Fade In, Box, Trello, Dropbox, YouTube

I have beginner-level experience in the following software / languages:

Avid, ProTools, Blender, HMTL, Vegas Pro, Movie Magic, CSS, Studio Binder

## REFERENCES

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**Further references** can be provided, if necessary