

ELIZABETH HODGSON

1ST, 2ND & 3RD ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

ASSISTANT PRODUCER

DIRECTOR'S/PRODUCTION ASSISTANT

CONTINUITY



Kia ora! Ko Elizabeth taku ingoa. (she/her). I am a 24-year-old film practitioner based in Wellington, Aotearoa. I'm seeking employment that challenges & inspires me, as well as furthers my creative endeavours. I want to be a part of a film whānau that creates movie magic.

Check out my freelance mahi via @littlelizardproductions on [Facebook](#) & [Instagram](#).

Currently working full-time at Unichem Wellington Central as a retail assistant.

CREATIVE INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

TELEVISION

2024	Toi Whakaari: TV Remake/ Screen Tests (2nd Yr Acting)	1st AD	Dir: Kathy McRae DOP: Bill Bycroft
2022	Time Bandits	Director's Assist (casual)	Paramount - Holly Keeman Assist to Jackie Van Beek

DOCUMENTARY

2025	Joy, Full & Final	Director's Assistant	Dir: Clare Burgess Prod: Verity Macintosh
2023	Ms Information	Production Assistant	Dir: Gwen Isaac Prod: Phillida Perry

COMMERCIAL

2023	Bluebridge: NZ's Crossing Over	Production Manager	Dir: Brooke Benton Prod: James Manttan
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2023	Julie Anne Genter for Rongotai	Producer, 1st AD	Green Party of Aotearoa Dir: Molly Doyle
2023	A Wave In The Ocean	Hub Assistant (casual)	Assist to Eloise Veber & Jane Campion
2022	labour of love / LOL	Director, Editor	Fashion showcase film shown at Exposure 2022
2022	We Need Free Fares	Director, Producer, Editor	Little Lizard Productions
2021	Pōneke Collective for Public Transport Equity- Ep1 & Ep2	Director, Editor, Producer, DOP	Little Lizard Productions

SHORT FILMS

2025	How We Say Goodbye	1st AD	Dir: Molly Doyle Prod: Martin Cole
2024	KOKO	1st AD	Dir: Will 'Mumu' Moore Prod: Paris Renalson
2024	A Very Good Boy	Continuity	Dir: Samuel Te Kani Prod: Ashleigh Roworth
2024	Yes, And? (48Hours film)	1st AD	Dir: Molly Doyle Prod: Martin Cole
2023	Imaginary Friends	2nd AD	Dir: Elizabeth Crummett DOP: Jonathan King
2023	Glass Walls	1st AD (casual)	Moments Productions Dir: Byron Taylor
2023	Cookies and Cream	Executive Producer	Dir: Arka Gupta Prod: Sophie Hamilton
2023	That's My Name	Producer, 1st AD	Little Lizard Productions Dir: Aden Gray
2023	Pantry of Memories	Producer, 1st AD	Little Lizard Productions Dir: Akash Saravanan
2022	Incognito	Producer, Writer	Little Lizard Productions Massey Graduate Film

SNAP SHOT SHORTS

Snap Shot Shorts is a short film series I co-founded and produce with Shayden Lowrey (Sailboat Films). It's a tap-in, tap-out volunteer system that aims to bridge the gap between the industry and young filmmakers in Wellington through short films. Season One made 12 short films in 18 months. I am now producing a second season with 6 films being made by the end of 2025.

2024	Express	Producer	Dir: Jack Harriss DOP: Seb Boyes
2024	Driven	Producer, 2nd AD	Co-Dir: Shayden Lowrey, Jadyn Va'ai
2024	Chimera	Producer, Chaperone	Dir: Oberon Romond DOP: Seb Boyes
2024	Heist For Dummies	Producer, Actor	Dir: Bailey Harding DOP: Charlie Higginson
2024	The Departure	Producer	Dir: Daniel Robinson DOP: Charlie Higginson
2024	The Couch	Producer	Dir: Georgia Cotterill DOP: Tom Lewis
2024	Kumara Blues	Producer, 1st AD	Dir: Paris Renalson DOP: Jono Obern
2023	Buzz Kill	Producer, 1st AD	Dir: Shayden Lowrey DOP: Alexey. E Joy
2023	On The Rocks	Producer	Dir: Akash Saravanan DOP: CJ Draper
2023	Why I Stopped Babysitting	Producer, 1st AD	Dir: Shayden Lowrey DOP: Caleb Rayner
2023	Date Crash	Producer, Prod Manager	Dir: Saebyul Koata DOP: Jacob Hawkins
2023	One September In The Windy City	Producer, 1st AD	Dir: Shayden Lowrey DOP: Timon Zeiss

MUSIC VIDEOS

2024	Ordinary - Marianne Leigh	Producer, Unit Manager	Co-Dir: Jeremy Macey, Emma Duncan
2022	crazy gf - Marianne Leigh	Producer, 1st AD	Dir: Jeremy Macey

			DOP: Jenna Eriksen
2022	Unexpected Feeling - Emily Ardern	Producer, 1st AD	Little Lizard Productions Dir: Emily Ardern
2021	Yolk - Live Music Session	Lighting/Camera Assistant	Dir: Jeremy Macey Godwit Films
2021	Cow Farts - Save the Earth New Zealand	Director, Lyricist, Actor, Vocalist	Massey University project
2021	Violet - Holloway	Director, DOP, Producer	Little Lizard Productions
2020	Here Comes Glitterboy - Holloway	Director, DOP, Producer	Little Lizard Productions

THEATRE

2024	Wētā FX Whānau Halloween party	Assistant Stage Manager	Barbarian Productions Dir: Jo Randerson
2024	U R BACK (Fringe)	Assistant Stage Manager	Barbarian Productions Dir: Jo Randerson
2023	Wētā FX Whānau Halloween party	Assistant Stage Manager	Barbarian Productions Dir: Jo Randerson
2023	U R Here (Fringe)	Assistant Stage Manager	Barbarian Productions Dir: Jo Randerson
2021	LA Dance Wellington 2021 Showcase	Camera Operator	Dir: Jeremy Macey Godwit Films
2021	Whānau - Tahi Festival	Videographer, Editor	Little Lizard Productions

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Creative Media Production
Massey University 2020-2022

LIFE EXPERIENCE

- Co-Founder of [Snap Shot Shorts](#) 2022-25
- Massey at Wellington Students Association
Vice President 2021
Co-President 2022
- Duke of Edinburgh Gold Award 2021
- 48Hours City Finalist (Yes, And?) 2024
- Vista Foundation Spirit Award Finalist 2024

SOFTWARE

- Davinci Resolve 18, Adobe Premiere Pro
- Adobe Photoshop, Canva
- Excel, Google Suite

TRANSPORT

- Wellington-based; able to travel nationwide
- Full NZ driver's license and my own vehicle

SKILLS

- Thorough knowledge of the film industry
- Team management skills
- Passionate, resourceful, fast learner
- Team player and can work well independently

CONTACT

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REFEREES

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- James Manttan (Producer/Media Consultant) jmanttan@gmail.com / jamesmedia.co.nz
- Gwen Isaac (One of my previous tutors) - gwen@daughter.co.nz 027 706 9890
- Victor Chong (Current employer) - Victor.Chong@unichem.co.nz 027 350 5360

