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HAIR, MAKE-UP & PROSTHETIC
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PROFILE

I am a freelance London-based, award-winning Hair, Make-up & Prosthetic Artist and Designer with over 11 years of experience working across Commercials, Television, Film, Music, Fashion, Opera, and Theatre (Film Olympiad Award Best Hair & Make-up Design 2024 – *You Eat Other Animals*, British Short Film Award Best Hair & Make-up Design 2023 – *Empress Clawscream*).

I have a keen eye for detail, work well within a team and my extensive experience has allowed me to develop a quick and efficient work ethic. I've worked as both Artist and Designer with broadcasting, workshops, and production companies such as *Disney, Channel 4, ManvsMachine, Creatures Inc., DROOL, Riff Raff, Outsider, and Biscuit Films*, and I have maintained roles such as Lead Artist, Supervisor, and HOD for productions such as *Der Ring Des Nibelungen* with Regents Opera (HOD, 2023–2025), *The Queen's Platinum Jubilee Celebration* (Lead Artist, 2022), *Opera Re-imagined at The Royal Opera House* (Supervisor, 2018), and *IPEX Print in Performance* (Chief Hair & Make-up Artist, 2017).

SKILLS

MAKE-UP:

Character make-up design, continuity logging, corrective make-up, airbrushing, fashion/photographic make-up, period/contemporary make-up

WIGS & HAIR:

Character hair design, barbering, male grooming, textured hair styling, period/contemporary styling, wig setting & dressing, heated styling (blow drying, tonging, heated roller set), postiche application

PROSTHETICS & SFX:

Prosthetic sculpting, moulding, application (silicone, latex, foam), hair punching, SFX (casualty, blood work, dirtying down), bald cap application, casting (full & half head casts, body/limbs)

AWARDS

2024

Arts Council England Practice Development Series
Curator & Facilitator Jesse Scott

2024

Film Olympiad Award
Best Hair & Make-up Design 2024

2023

British Short Film Award
Best Hair & Make-up Design 2023

EDUCATION & TRAINING

2025

Christine Blundell Make-up Academy
Barbering (Liam Hamilton)
Textured Hair (Regina Meessen)

2023-24

City & Guilds of London Art School
Master's Degree
Fine Art
Distinction

2019-20

Laura Kay London
VTCT Level 4
Microblading

2018

Titanic FX Belfast
Period Hair Styling & Male Grooming
(Andrew Whiteoak)

2014-17

London College of Fashion (UAL)
BA (Hons) Degree
Hair, Make-up & Prosthetics for Performance
2:1

2013-14

West Thames College
VTCT Level 3
Theatrical, Special Effects, Hair & Media Make-up
Distinction

SELECTED EXPERIENCE

Teaching & Talks

2025 London College of Fashion (University of the Arts London)
2021 Streetz Ahead Charity
2018–2019 Haileybury School

Hair, Make-up & Prosthetics Artist Talk
SFX Make-up Workshop Facilitator
Character Make-Up & Wig Workshop Facilitator

Commercial

2025 Squarespace – ManvsMachine – Dirs: Mark Haley & Tom Bunker
2024 Cash App – DROOL – Dir: Freddie Powell
2023 Fiverr – Arts & Sciences – Dir: Arts & Sciences
2023 Nike – Sam Levene – Iconoclast – Dir: Alaska
2023 Sainsbury's – Hey Big Spender Riff Raff Films – Dir: Humans
2022 Tesco – I've Got the Power – BBH – Dir: Adam & Dave
2022 Paddy Power – Bingo Ball – Outsider – Dir: Outsider
2022 BHF – This is Science – Biscuit Films – Dir: Ben Strelbel
2022 Sky Bet – Outsider – Dir: Jim Gilchrist
2022 Aston Martin – Power, Redefined – Dir: Dog Eat Dog
2021 DFS – What's Your Thing? – DROOL – Dir: Freddie Powell
2021 Google Pixel 6 Launch – Dir: Leonel Ruben
2021 Ipsos Corporate Training Film – Dir: Norman Tamkivi
2021 Lidl – Always – Independent Films – Dir: Gary Freedman

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Prosthetic Make-Up Designer
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Hair Designer (Felicity Jones Stunt Double)
Prosthetic Make-up Artist
Hair & Make-Up Designer
Hair & Make-Up Artist
Prosthetic Make-up Artist

Film/TV

2024 Good Luck, Fuck Face (short) – Dir: Oli Beale
2024 Charity! (short) – Dir: Stephen T. Lally
2023 Scarecrow (short) – Dir: Freddie Powell
2022 Empress Clawscream (short) – Dir: Stephen T Lally
2021 Ant-Man and the Wasp: Quantumania (feature) – Creatures Inc.
2021 Virtuoso (short) – Dir: Stella Scott
2020 Volvo – Corporate Training Film – Dir: Norman Tamkivi
2019 You Eat Other Animals (short) – Dir: Ed Wiles
2019 Volvo – Corporate Pen Portraits – Dir: Norman Tamkivi
2019 Tethered (short) – Dir: Stephen T Lally
2019 Infinite (feature) – Dir: Charles Henri Belleville
2019 Cetaphil Consumer Portraits Film – Dir: Norman Tamkivi
2018 Pennyworth (TV Series) – Dir: Danny Cannon
2018 Paparazza (feature) – Dir: Aurora Fearnley
2018 Paperboy (short) – Dir: Dan Garber
2017 C4 Random Acts (short) – Other Conspiracies – Dir: Katia Ganfield
2017 Light of the World (short) – Dir: Malachi Smyth
2016 Shapes (feature) – Dir: Roberto Prestia
2016 C4 Random Acts (short) – Kitchen Sink – Dirs: Vivienne West & Liam Francis

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Prosthetic Make-up Artist
Hair, Make-Up & Prosthetics Designer
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Silicone Prosthetic Maker
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Hair, Make-Up & Prosthetics Designer
Hair, Make-Up & Prosthetics Artist (Daily)
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Opera & Theatre

2023–25 Regents Opera – Der Ring Des Nibelungen (The Ring Cycle)
2018 Royal Opera House – Opera Re-Imagined
2018 Chelsea Theatre – The Gift
2017 Les Enfants Terribles – Alice's Adventures Underground
2017 Royal Opera House – Mitridate
2018 Myriad Theatre – Flavourology
2017 Icarus Theatre – Hamlet
2017 The Globe Theatre

Head of Wigs, Hair & Make-up
Hair & Make-Up Supervisor
Hair, Make-Up & Prosthetics Designer
Lizard Mask Maker
SFX Make-Up Artist
Mask Maker / Hair & Make-Up Artist
Hair & Make-Up Designer
Wig Department Work Experience

Live/News & Light Entertainment

2023 The BRIT Awards
2022 The Queen's Platinum Jubilee Celebration (Horse Show)
2022 Kiss FM – She-Hulk Voxpop Promo
2022 Kiss FM Halloween House Party
2019 Kraken Rum – Screamefest
2019 Salon International – Schwarzkopf – Head Hair Stylist: Tyler Johnston
2018 Channel 4 – MAXXX – Director: O-T Fagbenle
2017 IPEX – Print in Performance – Creative Director: Marko Waschke
2017–2023 Iran International News – HOD: Sarah Edwards & Gemma Whitbread

Personal HMU Artist to Taytum McGreal
Lead Hair & Make-Up Artist
HMU & Prosthetics Artist for Taytum McGreal
Personal HMU Artist to Taytum McGreal
Prosthetic Make-up Artist
SFX Make-up Artist
SFX Make-up Artist
Chief Hair & Make-Up Artist
Hair & Make-Up Artist

Music

2020 Robbie Williams – Can't Stop Christmas
2019 Janet Devlin – Honest Men – Dir: Katia Ganfield
2019 Kawala – Runaway – Dir: Do Not Entry
2018 Rag'n'Bone Man, Jam Baxter & OG Rootz – Mask
2018 Puppy – World Stands Still – Dir: Billy Price
2018 Dylan Cartlidge – Scratch Scratch Sniff – Dir: Katia Ganfield
2018 Puppy – Black Hole –Dir: William Michael Rees

Lead Prosthetic Make-Up Artist
Hair & Make-Up Designer
Hair & Make-up Artist / Prop Maker
Assist. Prosthetic Artist to Sophie Moore
Prosthetic Make-up Designer
Hair, Make-Up & Special Effects Artist
Prosthetic Make-up Designer

Fashion & Photographic

2019 The Art of Conversation – Sir Peter Blake Stills – Photographer: Rankin
2019 Dilara Findikoglu SS20 – London Fashion Week – Key MUA: Kanko Takase
2019 House of Holland – Trans Collection – Photographer: Louie Banks
2018 Charles Jeffrey SS19 – London Fashion Week – Key MUA: Lucy Bridge
2018 House of Holland in Collaboration with Speedo
2017–18 House of Holland – E-commerce – Photographer: Matt Lain
2018 Indie Magazine – FILA Venom Promo – Photographer: Kane Holz
2018 Phoenix Magazine – Foreign Beggars Editorial – Photographer: Ian Wallman

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