Danny Valdes – Director of Photography

With a B.A in Cinematography from the Asociacion Mexicana de Cineastas Independientes (AMCI), Danny Valdes has followed his calling behind the camera and since then he’s been devoted to painting with light.

Valdes has combined his passion for the image with his spirit of adventure and specializes in Underwater Cinematography, both in swimming pools and at sea, that skils give him a chance to shoot a variety of projects from music videos to Mexico´s Navy Search and Rescue Team.

Danny's versatility to print his very own look in any project, despite production limitations, has made him one of the most sought-after cinematographers of his generation. Recently he combines shooting tv & web adds as DP and working as a Camera Operator in television and streaming series.

We could say that Danny is an "all-terrain" Director of Photography: in addition to the underwater cinematography, his work includes aerial shots from a variety of aircrafts, and off-shore boats at sea.

ASC master class May 2019.

PADI open water diver.

**Cinematographer / DP**

2018 – Director of Photography

Tivo Bolt - Web Spot

3Round Burst

Los Angeles, California.

2018 – Cinematographer

*Abstract 81321* - Short Film Documentary

Destination Orion

Mexico City.

2018 – Cinematographer

*Ian Guerin, Roll The Dice* - Music Video

Dir: Mar Guerin

El Compadre Producciones

Mahahual Quintana Roo, Mexico.

2018 - Underwater and 2nd Unit DP

*A la cachi cahi porra –* TV Games

Dir: Alex Roa

Once TV Mexico - De Milagro Films

Mexico City.

2018 – Director of photography

*Avon Epic de Mark –* Web spot

Viernes Media

Mexico City.

2017 – Additional Photography

*Nowness: Mexico city punk* – Short Film Documentary

Dir: John Merizalde

Whitelist.

Mexico City.

2017 - Director of Photography

*Ancient Aliens –* TV (1 episode)

Dir: Mar Guerin

History Channel Networks

Mexico City.

2017 - Cinematographer

*Ian Guerin, Freetime* – Music Video

Dir: Mar Guerin

Spellbound Entertainment

Los Angeles, California.

2017- Director of photography

*Uber Pride* – Web spot

Dir: Faride Schroeder

Peliculas Imaginarias

Mexico City.

2017- Director of photography

*Huggies Supreme* - Web spot

Dir: Bobi Caceres

Audazcia

Mexico City.

2016 - Cinematographer

*El Tesoro* – Short film / Proof of concept

Dir: Mar Guerin

Destination Orion

Mahahual, Mexico.

\*Official Selection *International Cultural Festival Cruzando Fronteras* 2016

2016- Director of Photography

*Finsol Norte* – Web spot

Clayton & Brown

Mexico City.

2016 - Director of Photography

*Banamex Banca Electrónica* – Web spot

Clayton & Brown

Mexico City.

2016 - Director of Photography

*Danone* *Activia Green Yoga* - Web spot

Clayton & Brown

Mexico City.

2015 - Cinematographer

*Cirilo* - Short Film

Dir: Mar Guerin

Wild Arts

Mexico City.

\*Official Selection *Dada Saheb Plake Film Festival*, India 2015

\*Official Selection *EcoFilm Fest*, Mexico City 2016 \*Official Selection *Festival Ineternacional de Cine Durango* 2018

2015 - Director of Photography

*SIEMENS Akal G* – Corporate Video

Charanga Films / SIEMENS

Mexico – Germany

2015 - Director of Photography

*Cuatro Vientos Magazine: Iztaccihuatl, La Ticla & Runing CDMX* – Traveling Series

Clayton & Brown

Puebla, Morelia, Mexico City, Mexico.

2015 – Cinematographer

*Ian Guerin, Cry* – Music Video

Dir: Mar Guerin

Destination Orion

Mexico City.

2015 - Director of Photography

*Retratos Eukanuba* – Web Series (6 Episodes)

Clayton & Brown

Mexico City, Mexico

2015 - Cinematographer

*Primer Amor* – Short Film

Dir: Mar Guerin

Destination Orion

Quintana Roo, Mexico.

2015 - Director of Photography

*Kleen bebe Magic Bags* – TV spot

Dir: Bobi Caceres

AudazCia

Mexico City.

2015 - Underwater Cinematographer

*Busqueda y Rescate en la Mar: SEMAR* – Theatrical & Tv spot

Dir: Willy Souza

SEMAR / Industria Films

Acapulco - Veracruz, Mexico.

2015 - Cinematographer

*El Más Hombre* – Short Film

Dir: Mar Guerin

Destination Orion

Quintana Roo, Mexico

2015 - Cinematographer

*Devocion Efimera* – Short Film

Dir: Mar Guerin

Destination Orion

Mexico City.

\*Official Selection *Muestra del Museo de Queretaro* 2015

2014 - Director of Photography

*Eukanuba: Cambiando Vidas* – Web Series

Clayton & Brown

Mexico City.

2014 - Director of Photography

*Kleen Bebe* – TV spot

Dir: Bobi Caceres

AudazCia

Mexico City.

2014 – Director of Photography

*Kleen Bebe Sleeping Bags* – TV spot

Dir: Bobi Caseres

AudazCia

Mexico City.

2014 - Director of Photography

*Sephora Tutoriales* – Web Series

Rancho Studios

Mexico City.

2014 - Cinematographer

*Paola Espinosa: Diver* – Web Series

Clayton & Brown

Mexico City.

2013 a 2014 - Director of Photography

*Cocina Fresca: Walmart* – Web Series (30 Episodes)

Rancho Studios

Mexico City.

2013 - Cinematographer

*Paradiso* – Sizzle for TV Series

Dir: Mar Guerin

Wild Arts

Quintana Roo, Mexico.

2012 - Director of Photography

*Pies en la tierra* – Docu-Series (4 Episodes)

Dir: Alex Roa

Once TV Mexico / De Milagro Films

Cabo Pulmo, Chihuahua, Oaxaca and Yucatán, Mexico.

2012 - Cinematographer

*Abrazos Gratis* – Short Film

Centro de Capacitación Cinematorgráfica (CCC)

Mexico City

2012 – Cinematographer

*Los Garrobos, Nostalgica* – Music Video

Bam Bam Records

Mexico City.

2012 – Cinematographer

*Sergio Vadillo, Todo Por Hoy* – Music Video

Dir: Mar Guerin

Wild Arts

Mexico City.

2012 – Cinematographer

*Ian Guerin, Madsexy* – Music Video

Dir: Mar Guerin

Wild Arts

Mexico City

2011 - Cinematographer

*Ian Guerin, I Heart* – Music Video

Dir: Mar Guerin

Wild Arts

Morelos, Mexico

**Camera Operator**

2018 – Camera Operator

*Amazon Cash* TV Spots

Dolly in - Televisa

Mexico City.

2018 – Camera Operator

*Mattel Barbie* - Reality show tv

Dolly in / Televisa

Mexico City.

2018 – Camera Operator

*Myyrä* - Reality Show TV (3 episodes)

Dir: Kimmo Mäki

DP: Petri Heikkilä

MTV3/WB - Viernes Media

Puerto Vallarta, Mexico.

2018 – Aditional Camera Operator

Nicky Jam: El Ganador – Streaming Series (13 episodes)

Dir: Jessy Terrero

DP: Miko Timonen

Netflix - Endemolshine Boomdog

Mexico City.

2017 - Camera Operator

*Amazon Prime: Gael García* – Web spot

DP: Matthiew Daniels

Viernes Media

Mexico City.

2016 a 2017 – Second Unit Camera Operator

*La Piloto* – TV series

DP: Mario Gallegos AMC

Wstudios – Univision - Lemon Films

Mexico City, Hidalgo, Edo de Mexico, Morelos, Mexico.

2015 - Aerial Shoots and Camera Operator

*PEMEX, Los Ramones II* – Documentary

INK

Linares, Mexico.

2014 - Camera Operator

*Dharius, La Raja* – Music Video

Director: Leche Ruiz

DP: Mario Gallegos AMC

Mexico City.

2014 - Camera Operator

*Dharius: Sonido Malandro* – Music Video

Director: Leche Ruiz

DP: Mario Gallegos AMC

Mexico City.

2014 - Camera Operator

*Hada Madrina* – TV Series

Dir: Biel Fuster

DP: Miguel de la Cruz

Showme Latin – AudazCia

Mexico City.

2014 - Camera Operator

*Lyncott: Sabor a Mi* – TV spot

DP: Pablo Mercado

Dolfilms

Mexico City.

2013 - Camera Operator

*Samo: Live*– Concert DVD

DP: Raul Uribe

Sony Music

Mexico City.

2013 - Camera Operator

*Ana Victoria: Live* – Concert DVD

DP: Raul Uribe

Sony Music

Mexico City.

2013 - Camera Operator

*Carnation Tomates* – TV spot

DP: Pablo Mercado

Camaleon

Mexico City.

2013 - Camera Operator

*Strongbow Sider* – Web spot

Catarsis

Mexico City.

2013 - Camera Operator

*X-Fighters* – Web spot

DP: Mario Gallegos AMC

Red Bull

Mexico City.

2012 - Camera Operator

*Pies en la tierra* – Docu Series (4 episodes)

Dir: Alex Roa

DP: Mario Gallogos AMC

Once TV Mexico / De Milagro Films

Oaxaca, Zacatecas and Morelos, Mexico.

2012 - Aerial Camera operator

*Relámpagos, Rescate Aéreo* – TV Pilot

DP: Mario Gallegos AMC

Los Olvidados

Estado de México, Mexico.

2011 - Camera Operator

*Under My Wing* – Web spot

DP: Mario Gallegos AMC

Red Bull - de Milagro Films

Mexico City.

2011 - Camera Operator

*Fifa Sub 17* – TV spot

DP: Mario Gallegos AMC

Catatonia

Mexico City.

2010 – Camera Operator

*Lucia Mendez, Amor de un rato* – Music Video

Director: Leche Ruíz

DP: Rodrigo Mariña AMC

Mexico City.