



Bence Kátai

Profile

My name is Bence Kátai I have a background in camera operating but for the last year I studied and worked as a cinematographer and gaffer, I worked in fiction and documentary short films on international productions.

Skills

- Creative collaboration
 - Extreme sports
 - Analog photography
 - Extreme conditions
 - Native Hungarian
 - Fluent English
 - Basic French
 - Broadcast
 - Adobe Premiere Pro CC
 - Adobe Lightroom
 - Blackmagic Resolve
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Experience

2019 –

Cameraman / FOT (Independent Society of Cameramen), Budapest

An independent group of cameramen specialized for high end TV shows and series.

2016 – 2018

Cameraman / Antenna Hungary, Budapest

The largest broadcasting company in Hungary dealing with international events. Mainly sports and cultural events. Was granted the opportunity to learn steadfast camera usage.

2014 – 2016

Lifeguard / VMSZ, Balatonfüred

Advanced first aid. Communication skills. Walkie-Talkie usage. Advanced swimming skills.

2013 – 2014

Staff / Visual Power, Budapest

The company deals with the rental of outdoor and indoor projectors, video walls, video and audio equipment, and the arrangement of visual and video technology services connected to these.

Education

2018-2019 / European Film College

2012-2018 / Pannonhalmi Bencés Gimnázium, Pannonhalma

2011-2012/ Fodros Általános Iskola, Budapest

2006-2011 / Mustármag Keresztény Általános Iskola, Budapest

Courses and workshops

- European Film College courses
 - Camera Operation
 - Light for Film

- Creative Producing & Production Management
- B&W Film Processing
- Cinematography
- 16mm Analog Process from Start to End
- Fotófalú film camp
 - 16mm film production
- Mediavawe film camp
 - Documentary production
- Fine art Analog photography course with Philippe Brame
 - 35mm & Medium format photography and processing
- PBG studio (4 years)
 - Camera operating
 - Broadcast directing

TV productions

- 2019. Mintaapák, TV series / Camera technician, Focus puller
- 2019. Bátrak földje, TV series / Camera technician
- 2019. Fuss család fuss, TV Show / Cameraman
- 2018. Handball Hungarian National Cup / Cameraman
- 2018. European Athletics U18 Championship / Cameraman
- 2018. Gyulai István memorial Athletics Hungarian Trophy / Cameraman
- 2017. Swimming Hungarian National Cup / Cameraman
- 2017. Judo World Cup / Cameraman
- 2017. Fina World Championship / Cameraman
- 2017. Fina Masters World Championship / Cameraman
- 2016. ITTF European Championship Table tennis / Cameraman
- Concerts / Cameraman

Other

- NAUI Diver license
- High mountain climber license
- Lifeguard license

Film productions

- 2019. Pillow Productions, Music video "Turn the lights up" – **1.AC**
- 2019. Pillow Productions, Music video "APP/OS" – **DIT**
- 2019. European Film College, indie film. "Social injustice" – **Gaffer**
- 2019. European Film College, final film. "Hey you" – **DP**
- 2019. European Film College, final film. "Crossroads" – **2.AC**
- 2019. European Film College, indie film. "Don't go into the woods" – **DP**
- 2018-2019. European Film College, indie film. "The end of originality" – **DP, Gaffer**
- 2018. European Film College, student film. "Catamaran" – **DP**
- 2018. European Film College, student film. "Let's recycle" – **Producer**
- 2018. European Film College, student film. "The text" – **Gaffer**

- 2018. European Film College, student film. "Ms. Thompson" – **DP**
- 2018. European Film College, student film. "Hawaii" – **1.AC**
- 2018. European Film College, student film. "Ugly duckling" – **DP**
- 2018 Fotófaló film camp, documentary film. "Négy asszony" – **Director, Editor**
 - Shot on 16mm film
- 2018. PBG Studio, indie film. "Gondolatok a pincében" - **DP**
- 2017. Bogi&TheBoys, music video. "Szeretni" – **Director, DP**
- 2017. Bogi&TheBoys, music video. "Punnany cover" – **Director, DP**
- 2017. The 48 Hour Film Project, experimental film. "Paletta" – **Director, DP**
 - Best writing award
- 2017. PBG Studio, experimental film. "Füst" – **Director, DP**
- 2017. PBG Studio, experimental film. "Utam" – **Director, DP**
 - 2017 BFZ Lásd, amit hallsz! *film festival*
- 2016. Mediawave Film camp, documentary. "Tárgyilagos" – **DP**
 - 2016. MEDIAWAVE Filmtábor 2016 / Special award
- 2016. Mediawave Film camp, indie film. "Unikum" – **DP**
 - 2017. Bilderbeben Kurzfilmwettbewerb „Rausch“, Bielefeld, Németo
 - 2017. Faludi Nemzetközi Amatőrfilmszemle, Bp.,
 - 2017. Fehérváson Függetlenfilm Fesztivál, Székesfehérvár,
 - 2017. WIPE amateur film festival - 2nd edition, Berlin,
 - 2017. Országos Függetlenfilm Fesztivál és Konferencia, Pénzásás,
 - 2017. MALTER Filmfesztivál
 - 2016. Fehérváson Függetlenfilm Fesztivál, Székesfehérvár,
 - 2016. Pannonfiling, Veszprém,
 - 2016. Országos Diákfilmszemle, Bp.,
 - 2016. Bujtor István Filmfesztivál, Balatonszemes,
 - 2016. MEDIAWAVE Filmtábor 2016 / Special award
- 2016. PBG Studio, experimental film. "Pontosvessző" – **Director, DP**
 - Faludi Nemzetközi Amatőrfilmszemle 2016 / First place
 - Ökumenikus Diák Filmszemle 2016 / First place
- 2015. Indie film. "Azok a meghatározó pillanatok" – **DP**
 - Faludi Nemzetközi Amatőrfilmszemle 2015 / Judges choice award

Commercials

- 2019. Sounuvo, "Tennis in demand" – **DP**
- 2019. Umbrella Group Budapest, "Calphalon" – **Gaffer**

Languages

- Hungarian native
- English fluent
- French basic