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Experience:

2013-present

VAM FILMS PRODUCTION

Brussels, Belgium Director & Producer, Motion Designer, Animator, Editor

- Creation of original visual content for cinema, YouTube, streaming platforms.
- Broadcast and motion design for TV programs.
- Trailers, promos for festivals and cultural events.
- Video production of artistic performances, dance shows, theaters and operas.
- Video art and experimental videos for exhibitions and museums.
- Managing creative team.

2009-2012 Moscow, Russia AGEY TOMESH/WAM Creative Director

- Supervising the creative team (designers & copywriters).
- Developing design proposals based on the marketing plan, guidelines, brand-book.
- Conceptualizing design ideas to clients, assigning projects to staff.
- Presenting and pitching design proposals to clients.
- Organizing brainstorming sessions with a creative team.

2006-2009 Moscow, Russia THE PBN COMPANY (HILL+KNOWLTON STRATEGIES)

Head of Design Department

- Development of design concepts for advertising & promotional materials.
- Creation of graphical packages for different brands, including pharmaceuticals.
- B2B advertising. Creation of annual reports.
- Presentation of projects and tenders for the office and to clients.
- Managing a group of junior designers (up to 5 people per team).
- Negotiations with clients on issues related to projects.
- Coordination of the production process, communication with the print houses.

2004-2006

WE R.SIGNS INTERNATIONAL

Moscow, Russia

- Senior Designer
- Production of large-format outdoor advertising.
- Creation and production of corporate materials based on the brand book.
- Development of graphic advertising modules and corporate identity.
- Pre-print process.

Education:

2016-2018	LUCA School of Arts, Master Program in Audio-Visual Arts (Belgium)
2013-2015	DocNomads, Erasmus Creative Documentary Master Program (Portugal, Hungary, Belgium)
2009-2012	GITR - Humanities TV Institute, Master Program for TV Directing (Russia)
2009	Central Saint Martins, Art Director Course (UK)
2007-2008	British Higher School of Art & Design, Broadcasting Design Course (Russia)
1998-2003	PetrGU - Petrozavodsk State University, Master in Law (Russia)

Professional skills:

Development and scripting of original moves and series. Cooperation with TV channels (Discovery, BBC, ARTe). Production of documentaries for cinema, online streaming platforms and TV channels. Broadcasting design development (visual design elements and animations). Production of advertising and TV promos. YouTube content creator. Motion design. 2D animation and rotoscope animation. Cinematography, editing and color grading. Typography. Illustrations. Creations of booklets, brochures, catalogues and posters.

Software: Photoshop, After Effects, Premeire Pro, InDesign, Illustrator, Animate, Character Animator.

Languages: Russian - native, English - fluent, French & Dutch - basic.



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Do you know where Karelia is?

This is the region where I am from, but Brussels has been my home since 2014. All these years I lived and worked in Belgium as a creator of all kinds of visual content. My background is as a creative director in an advertising agency, but in recent years my main daily work is creating visual stories as documentaries, experimental video art, fashion videos and creative brand advertising. If we've learned anything from the roller coaster of the past few years, life is short and precious and we need to make the most of every opportunity we have to spend time with loved ones, to engage with the world around us, to experience new things and to make treasured memories. I've learned all of this and more through four master degrees, also by working and living around the world, and meeting all kinds of people. When I work with my clients my main goal is to convey the message as clearly as possible, but with my vision and professional skills. It just so happens that lately I've been working quite often with contemporary dance festivals (Trouble, La Vie En Rose, Bionic Festival), queer and LGBTQ+ artists, and a bit with tango, opera and electronic musicians. I can often be seen at film festivals around the world. In 2021 I was invited as a jury member to LGBTQ+ film festival Cheris Cheries for feature documentaries section. This year I was honoured to be part of Berlinale Talents 2023, which further connected me to the Berlin film scene and potentially opened doors to create new media, including content for TV, series and VR stories. If you want to create something with me, don't hesitate. Available in English or Russian, and hopefully soon in French and Dutch.

Filmography

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2023 "METALLAXIS" / video art / Greek /
 - Larnaca Biennale 2023 (Exhibition)
2022 "BEFORE WE MOVE" / feature documentary / English, French, Russian/
   - Sheffield Doc Festival 2022 (World Premiere)
   - TLVFest 2022 (Israeli Premiere)
   - Dock Of The Bay Festival 2023 (Spanish Premiere)
2020 "BARE" / feature documentary / English, French, Dutch/
   - HotDocs 2020 (World Premiere)
   - Doc Edge 2020 (Asia Pacific Premiere)
   - DOC NYC 2020 (US Premiere)
   - Cinema Diverse 2020
   - Tampa Gay & Lesbian 2020
   - Revelation Perth 2020
   - Tallgrass Film Festival 2021
   - Cheris Cheries 2021
   - Oslo Fusion 2021
   - Fiver International Screendance Movement 2021
   - Mezipatra QFF 2021
   - OFF CINEMA 2021
   - TLV Fest 2021
   - BAFF 2021
   - Bari International Gender FF 2021
   - International Migrant Queer Festival 2022
   - TRC Danza festival 2022
2019 "UNDER THE DRESS" / short film / Russian, English /
   - Visions Du Reel, International Short Film competition 2019
   - Pink Screens 2019
   - 26th OpenEyes Film Festival 2019
   - Szczecin Film Festival 2019
   - Mezipatra Queer Film Festival 2019
   - Košice International Monthly Film Festival /Best short film/
   - Kreives Vilnis Queer Festival 2020
   - Moving Pictures Festival 2021 /Best short film/
   - Aegean Film Festival 2021
2016 "CALL ME CHAOS" / documentary / French, English /
   - Visions Du Reel, Medium Length Film competition 2016
   - Listapad 2016 (Minsk, Belarus) / Student films competition
   - Message to men 2017 (St.Petersburg, Russia) / National competition
2015 "THE DREAMERS' CLUB" / documentary / 17' / Hungarian, English
   - DocLisboa 2015 (Portugal)
2015 "SOUNDS OF KAZINCBARSIKA" / documentary musical / 14' / Hungarian, English
   - 4th Dublin Doc Fest, short film competition 2016 (Dublin, Ireland)
   - Selection of DocFeed Film Festival 2016 (Eindhoven, Netherlands)
   - Beginning Film Festival 2015 (Russia)/Best short film/
2013 "ROBBIE WILLIAMS: FANS JOURNEY TO TALLINN" / BBC Doc / second unit director
2012 "FIVE STEPS OF BUTOH" / creative documentary / 17' /
   - Grand Prix of Telemania 2012
   - Best documentary and Best Cinemotography of Telemaniya 2012
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- Best Art Documentary, Int. Festival "MENSCHEN UND LÄNDER" (Germany)