

Markus ENGEL

director

EDUCATION

1995/98 **Master of Fine Arts**, California Institute of the Arts, Los Angeles, USA1991/94 **Bachelor of Fine Arts**, Claremont Colleges, Los Angeles, USA

FICTION FILM DIRECTING

2009 **ZWEI PERSONEN FILM**, short film, security cameras, 15min2006 **SZPARAGI Z KOSMOSU**, short film, MiniDv, 15min

FESTIVAL ATTENDANCE:

- * FILMZ, Festival of German Cinema in Mainz, Germany
- * Shorts at Moonlight Film Festival 2007 in Höchst und Mainz, Germany
- * 21st Brest European Short Film Festival 2006 in Brest, France
- * Film tour Lublin/Warschau 2009 in Lublin and Warsaw, Poland

2005 **SEVEN NEW PLAYS**, animation, 7min

(Co-Director: Alexander Pschill)

FESTIVAL ATTENDANCE:

- * Anifest4, Animation Film Festival 2006 in Budapest, Hungary
- * 32nd Festival Internacional Filmets 2006 in Barcelona, Spain
- * Balkanima Animation Film Festival 2006 in Belgrad, Serbia

2004 **KLEIDERSCHRÄNKE IM HERZEN**, short film, MiniDv, 9min

FESTIVAL ATTENDANCE:

- * Lucania Film Festival 2005 in Pisticci, Italy
- * Short Express - Corti in Velocità 2005 in Palinuro, Italy

BEHIND THE GREEN DOOR, short film, MiniDv, 7min

FESTIVAL AWARDS:

- * Winner: "Best Ending", Berlin36 Film Festival 2004 in Berlin, Germany

2003 **SCHATTEN**, short film, MiniDv, 22min

FESTIVAL ATTENDANCE:

- * 26th Clermont-Ferrand Short Film Festival 2004 in Clermont-Ferrand, France
- * 49th Cork Film Festival 2004 in Cork, Ireland
- * KunstFilm Biennale 2004 in Köln, Germany
- * Paris Tout Court Film Festival 2004 in Paris, France
- * 18th Leeds International Film Festival 2004 in Leeds, England
- * 11th Granada Film Festival 2004 in Granada, Spain
- * Neuchâtel International Film Festival 2004, in Neuchâtel, Switzerland
- * New York Short Film Festival 2004 in New York, USA
- * 3rd RIFF, Rome Independent Film Festival 2004 in Rom, Italy
- * 1st Potenza Film Festival 2004 in Potenza, Italy

BERLIN MIT HAUT UND HAAREN, short film, BetaSP, 7min

(Co-Director: Nayer Paknia)

FESTIVAL AWARDS:

- * Winner, Berlin36 Film Festival 2003 in Berlin, Germany

2002 **NACHTSCHWIMMEN**, short film, 35mm, 17min

FESTIVAL AWARDS:

- * First prize European competition, Vendôme Film Festival 2002 in Vendôme, France
- * Runner-up, Dances With Films 2002 in Los Angeles, USA

FESTIVAL ATTENDANCE:

- * 3rd SentieroCorto 2002 - International Short Film Festival in Milan, Italy
- * Taormina BLN Film Fest 2002 in Taormina, Italy
- * 13th São Paulo International Short Film Festival 2002 in Sao Paulo, Brazil
- * 7th Manchester International Short Film Festival 2002 in Manchester, England
- * Corto Imola Festival 2002 in Imola, Italy
- * Sevilla Festival of Cinema and Sport in Sevilla, Spain
- * FIKE 2002 - Évora International Short Film Festival in Évora, Portugal
- * 12th DaKINO International Film Festival 2002 in Bucharest, Romania
- * 5th MVPA Annual Director's Cuts 2002 in Los Angeles, USA
- * 5th Sarasota Film Festival 2003 in Sarasota, USA
- * Filmschau Würzburg 2003 in Würzburg, Germany
- * roARaTorio, Rencontres Internationales 2003, in Paris/Berlin, France/Germany
- * DIAGONALE, Festival des oesterreichischen Films 2003 in Graz, Austria
- * 2^o International Best of Short Films Festivals 2003 in La Ciotat, France
- * Las Vegas Blue Sky International Film Festival 2003 in Las Vegas, USA
- * 1st Bratislava Selection of Best Short Films 2003 in Bratislava, Slovakia
- * 1. Filmfest Eberswalde 2004 in Eberswalde, Germany

THEATER DIRECTING

- 2005 **CLORIS UND SHELLY** by Mayo Simon
ACUD Theater, Berlin, Germany
- 2004 **EINE GESCHICHTE ÜBER EINE GESCHICHTE** by Markus Engel
Dock 5, Vienna, Austria
- 1998 **RED ROSES FOR MY LADY** by Steven Levi
Cal Arts New Plays Festival '98, Los Angeles, USA
- IT'S CALLED THE SUGAR PLUM** by Isreal Horowitz
Tatum Theater, Los Angeles, USA
- 1997 **THE MAN WHO .. FORTUNE COOKIE** by Chris DeWan
Cal Arts New Plays Festival '97, Los Angeles, USA
- IN A BAR OF A TOKYO HOTEL** by Tennessee Williams
Coffeeshouse Theater, Valencia, USA
- 1996 **TALK TO ME LIKE THE RAIN** by Tennessee Williams
DTVC Studio, Los Angeles, USA

COMMERCIALS / CORPORATE DIRECTING (Selection)

- 2009 **PEARLE**, commercial
 TEEKANNE, commercial
 AMA, 3 commercials
 SCHAU HIN!, social spot
 DEUTSCHE POST, corporate film
- 2008 **EON**, commercial
 ERSTE BANK, commercial
 PEARLE, 3 commercials
 SCHAU HIN!, social spot
- 2007 **HERMES**, 2 commercials
 WIENER STÄDTISCHE VERSICHERUNG, corporate film
 FRUFRU, commercial
 RECHEIS, commercial
 SAARBRÜCKER ZEITUNG, corporate film

- 2006 **ZIUA**, commercial for a Romanian Newspaper
FRUCADE, 3 commercials
- 2005 **McDONALD'S AUSTRIA**, 15 commercials
HILFSWERK AUSTRIA, social spot
TRIERISCHER VOLKSFREUND, corporate film
- 2004 **WASSOLLWERDEN.DE**, MTV social spots (co-directed)
HOLTZBRINCK VERLAGSGRUPPE, corporate film

MUSIC VIDEO DIRECTING (Selection)

- PATRICK NUO**, Welcome To My Little Island
BLACKMAIL, It Could Be Yours
KYAU VS. ALBERT, Save Me
THOMAS GOTTSCHALK, What Happened To Rock and Roll
SNAP, Gimme a Thrill
DJBOBO, Together
FALCO, Egoist

WRITING CREDITS

- 2006 **EINE GESCHICHTE ÜBER EINE GESCHICHTE**, theater play
staged at the WUK, Vienna Austria in February 2006
- 2003 **CITY/BLOOD PROJECT**, feature film script
- 2001 **LAWS OF GRAVITY**, feature film script
- 1998 **A STORY ABOUT A STORY**, one act play
staged at the Cal Arts New Plays Festival '98