

Jennifer Enskat

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An imaginative filmmaker with ten years of experience working on the production side of the film business as director, producer, writer and editor after having spent the prior 40+ years working as an actor in film with directors such as Stephen Chbosky, Kevin Smith and Andy Goddard; lead and supporting roles in theatre such as Roxie Hart in *Chicago* and Louise Seger in *Always, Patsy Cline*; plus 400+ national television and radio commercials. Works well with children and animals.

Selected Production Experience 2011-present

The Bride Price, documentary, Director/Producer/Editor, 2021

- *Winner – Best Feature Documentary, Love Wins Film Festival, New York, 2021
- *Winner – Awards of Excellence: Best Doc, Best Use of Film for Social Change & Best Liberation/Social Justice/Protest Film, Accolade Global Film Competition, 2021
- *Winner – Best Documentary, Paris International Short Festival, 2021
- *Winner – Best Documentary, One Race Human Race International Film Festival, 2021
- *Semi-Finalist – Berlin Shorts Award, 2021
- *Official Selection – 6 festivals in US & Europe, 2021 & 2022
- *Nomination for Best Documentary, Austin Revolution Film Festival, to be held in 2022
- *Nomination for Filmmaker of the Year & Female Filmmaker of the Year for 2022 in Austin

Yes, Mother, horror short, Director/Producer/Editor, currently wrapping up post-production

You're Invited, dramatic short, Producer/Editor, 2019, produced for a New York filmmaker

TEDxMansfield, Executive Producer/Director, inaugural TED Event in Mansfield, Ohio, 2018

Flush the John, dramatic short, Producer/Editor, 2016, in 9 festivals across the USA, 2017

- *Winner – “Best Editor” – Long Island International Film Expo, 2017

Real Mommy Confessions, comedy web series, Director/Producer/Writer/Editor, 2015-2016

- *Winner – 3 “Best Web Series” wins including Austin Revolution Film Festival, 2017
- *Nominee – Best Director – Austin Revolution Film Festival, 2017

The Ghost, comedy/horror short, Director/Producer/Editor, 2013, selected for two film festivals

The Visionary, documentary, Director/Producer/Editor 2012

Training

Northwestern University - Theatre and Television Production

Darryl Hickman, Los Angeles – Acting for Film/TV

Professional Artists Group, Los Angeles – Remi Aubochoon, Acting for Film/TV

References:

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