

Jon S. Baird

Director

Represented by:

Jack Thomas

Jon S. Baird is a BAFTA award winning director. He has worked with numerous high profile producers including: Martin Scorsese, Danny Boyle, Mick Jagger, Jim Carrey, Terence Winter and has directed a host of award winning actors including; James McAvoy, John C. Reilly, Steve Coogan, Melissa Leo, Jamie Bell, and Jim Broadbent. His feature EVERYTHING IS GOING TO BE GREAT, starring Bryan Cranston and Allison Janey, produced by eOne and Bryan Unkless, premiered at Tribeca Film Festival, and was released by Lionsgate in June 2025. Previous features include TETRIS starring Taron Edgerton for Apple; FILTH, which he wrote, directed, and produced, based on the best selling novel by Irvine Welsh, and starring James McAvoy, Jamie Bell, and Jim Broadbent; and STAN & OLLIE, starring Steve Coogan and John C. Reilly for eOne and BBC Films, which was nominated for 3 BAFTA film awards and a Golden Globe; the movie was number one at the UK box office on its release and went on to make \$25m worldwide from a budget of \$10m. Jon also won best director at the BAFTA Scotland awards for Stan & Ollie. On the TV side he has directed STONEHOUSE for ITV, starring Matthew Macfadyen, which received rave reviews. He also directed the TV drama BABYLON for Channel 4, produced by Danny Boyle and written by Jesse Armstrong. In the US he has directed episodes of VINYL, FEED THE BEAST, and I'M DYING UP HERE for HBO and AMC respectively. He is set to direct an episode of Apple/UCP's new series based on CAPE FEAR starring Amy Adams and Javier Bardem.

TELEVISION

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2023	STONEHOUSE (lead director)	Snowed-In Productions/ ITVX	Starring Matthew Macfadyen
2017	I'M DYING UP HERE (episode 2)	Showtime	Created by Jim Carrey
2016	FEED THE BEAST (episodes 3 and 4)	Lionsgate TV/ AMC	
2015	VINYL	HBO (Episode 8)	Prods. Martin Scorsese, Mick Jagger and Terence Winter Starring Bobby Cannavale, Olivia Wilde and Ray Romano
2014	BABYLON	Channel 4 (Episodes 1, 2 & 3)	Prod. Danny Boyle Starring Brit Marling and James Nesbitt "One of the most thrilling and original series on television" The Independent "This is a series worth tracking down and watching" Hollywood Reporter

FEATURE FILM

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
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2023	TETRIS	AI-Film / Apple	Director
2018	STAN AND OLLIE	BBC Films/ The Weinstein Company	Starring John C Reilly and Steve Coogan Written by Jeff Pope
2013	FILTH (Writer / Director / Producer)	Lionsgate	<p>Starring James McAvoy, Jamie Bell, Eddie Marsan and Jim Broadbent</p> <p>British Independent Film Awards: Best Actor Winner</p> <p>British Independent Film Awards: Nominated – Best Director</p> <p>British Independent Film Awards:Nominated – Best Supporting Actor</p> <p>British Independent Film Awards:Nominated – Best Supporting Actress</p> <p>British Independent Film Awards:Nominated - Best Achievement in Production</p> <p>Writers Guild of Great Britain: Nominated – Best Screenplay</p> <p>Empire Film Awards: Best Actor Winner</p> <p>Empire Film Awards: Nominated - Best British Film</p> <p>London Critics Circle Film Awards: Best Actor Winner</p> <p>London Critics Circle Film Awards: Breakthrough British Filmmaker Winner</p> <p>London Critics Circle Film Awards: Nominated - British Film</p> <p>London Critics Circle Film Awards: Nominated – Best Technical Achievement</p> <p>BAFTA Scotland: Best Actor Winner</p> <p>BAFTA Scotland: Nominated – Best Director</p> <p>BAFTA Scotland: Nominated – Best Film</p> <p>“I loved every minute of Filth” Daily Telegraph</p> <p>“Bruce Robertson is a diabolically unpleasant anti-hero, but somehow writer-director Jon S. Baird makes us feel sympathy for the devil” Hollywood Reporter</p> <p>“James McAvoy dominates the screen in this razor-sharp black comedy” Empire Film Magazine</p>
2008	CASS (Writer / Director / Executive Producer)	StudioCanal	Starring Nonso Anozie
2006	GREEN STREET HOOLIGANS (Associate Producer)	Universal Pictures	Starring Elijah Wood and Charlie Hunnam

SHORT FILM

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)
2004	IT'S A CASUAL LIFE (Writer / Director / Producer)

AWARDS

PRODUCTION (ROLE)	PROJECT DETAILS
London Critics Circle	Breakthrough British Filmmaker Winner
London Critics Circle	Best British Film Nomination
Writer's Guild Great Britain	Best Screenplay Nomination
BAFTA Scotland	Best Director and Best Film Nominations
British Independent Film Awards	Best Director Nomination
Empire Film Awards	Best British Film Nomination

IN DEVELOPMENT

PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
EVERYTHING'S GOING TO BE GREAT	eOne and Astute films	Feature film.