Em J. Gilbertson

Represented by:

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Em J. Gilbertson is a Writer/Director originally from Liverpool, and a graduate of the prestigious NFTS Directing Fiction Course and Channel 4 Scholar. They are primarily interested in creating stories about the working class experience, female identity and queerness. Their uplifting films also feature dance, music and spoken word. In 2019, their film: "Crashing Waves" was broadcast on Channel 4 as part of "Random Acts." The Film was nominated for the reputable Iris Prize, picked up by Aesthetica, gained a Vimeo Staff pick and selected for #fivefilmsforfreedom presented by Arts-British Council in partnership with BFI Flare. Em went on to be nominated for Best Director at Underwire. They have just finished assisting and shadowing the legendary Mary Harron (dir. I Shot Andy Warhol and American Psycho) on Dali Land. They are now developing several original feature ideas.

TELEVISION

| PRODUCTION (ROLE) | COMPANY | PROJECT DETAILS |
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| MALPRACTICE (Director shadowing and 2nd Unit director) | ITV | Directed by Phil Barantini, Starring Niamh Algar |

FEATURE FILM

| PRODUCTION (ROLE) | COMPANY | PROJECT DETAILS |
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| DALI LAND (Director shadowing and assisting) | Zephyr Films | Directed by Mary Harron, Written by John Walsh, Starring Sir Ben Kingsley |

SHORTS

| PRODUCTION (ROLE) | COMPANY | PROJECT DETAILS | |
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| REQUIEM (Director) | NFTS | Written by Laura Jayne Tunbridge, starring Bella Ramsey, Sean Buchanan, Safi Oakley-Green. | |
| | | * Royal Television Society Student Awards - Best Post Graduate Drama Winner 2022 * BAFTA qualifying Underwire - Official Selection 2022 * BAFTA qualifying Norwich - Official Selection 2021 | |
| RINGO | NFTS | Written by Oscar Redding, Music and Lyrics by Alastair McNamara | |



| CRASHING WAVES (Wri | iter/Dire | ctor) |
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Screen South

Choreographed by Joshua Hubbard

- $\mbox{\ensuremath{^{\star}}}$ Official Selection for #fivefilms forfreedom presented by British Council and BFI Flare 2019
- * Nominated for the Iris Prize 2018
- * Broadcast on Series 5 of Random Acts 2018
- * Vimeo Staff Pick 2018