Mike Newell

Director

A Cambridge graduate, Newell began directing at age 22, working on numerous plays for TV, both for the BBC and for most of the ITV companies. His television feature 'The Man in the Iron Mask' (1977), which was ultimately released as a feature film, served as the springboard to international success. He subsequently directed 'Dance with a Stranger' (1984) that won Cannes' Prix de la Jeunesse, 'The Good Father' (1985) that won the Prix Italia, 'Enchanted April' (1991) that won 2 Golden Globes and 'Into the West'. In 1994, he made 'Four Weddings and a Funeral', the record-breaking romantic comedy. Returning to America, Newell made the Mafia thriller 'Donnie Brasco' (1997) starring Johnny Depp and Al Pacino, followed by such films as 'Pushing Tin' (1999), starring Cate Blanchett, John Cusack, Billy Bob Thornton and Angelina Jolie, and 'Mona Lisa Smile' (2003), with Julia Roberts, Kirsten Dunst, Julia Stiles and Maggie Gyllenhaal. Newell served as executive producer on several projects, including 'Traffic' (2000) and 'High Fidelity' (2000). As the director of 'Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire' (2005), Newell became the first British director to helm an instalment of the hugely popular franchise. Newell's recent feature credits include 'Prince of Persia' and-'Great Expectations'. His lat feature was 'Guernsey' for Studio Canal starring Lily James and Michiel Huisman.

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FEATURE FILM

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2018	THE GUERNSEY LITERARY AND POTATO PEEL PIE SOCIETY (Director)	Amazon Prime Video, Blueprint Pictures, Canal+	Screenplay by Don Roos, Kevin Hood and Thomas Bezucha. Starring Lily James, Jessica Brown Findlay, Tom Courtenay and Michiel Huisman.
2012	GREAT EXPECTATIONS (Director / Executive Producer)	BBC Films, Unison Films, Lipsync Productions	Starring Toby Irvine, Ralph Fiennes and Jason Flemyng.
2010	PRICE OF PERSIA: THE SANDS OF TIME (Director)	Walt Disney Pictures, Jerry Bruckheimer Films	Starring Jake Gyllenhaal, Gemma Arterton and Ben Kingsley.
2007	LOVE IN THE TIME OF CHOLERA (Director)	New Line Cinema, Stone Village Pictures, Cholera Love Productions	Starring Javier Bardem, Giovanna Mezzogiorno and Benjamin Bratt.
2005	HARRY POTTER AND THE GOBLET OF FIRE (Director)	Warner Bros., Heyday Films, Patalex IV Productions Limited	Starring Daniel Radcliffe, Emma Watson and Rupert Grint.
2003	MONA LISA SMILE (Director)	Revolution Studios, Red Om Films	Starring Julia Roberts, Kirsten Dunst and Julia Stiles.
2000	TRAFFIC (Executive Producer)	Compulsion Inc., Initial Entertainment Group (IEG), Splendid Medien AG	Directed by Steven Soderbergh.
2000	HIGH FIDELITY (Executive Producer)	Touchstone Pictures, Working Title Films, Dogstar Films	Directed by Stephen Frears.

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1999	BEST LAID PLANS (Executive Producer)	Dogstar Films, Fox 2000 Pictures	Directed by Mike Barker.
1999	PUSHING TIN (Director)	3 Miles Apart Productions Ltd., Art Linson Productions, Dogstar Films	Starring John Cusack, Billy Bob Thornton and Cate Blanchett.
1999	200 CIGARETTES (Executive Producer)	Dogstar Films, Lakeshore Entertainment, MTV Films	Directed by Risa Bramon Garcia.
1997	DONNIE BRASCO (Director)	Mandalay Entertainment, Baltimore Pictures, Mark Johnson Productions	Starring Al Pacino, Johnny Depp and Michael Madsen.
1997	PHOTOGRAPHING FAIRIES (Executive Producer)	Arts Council of England, British Broadcasting Corporation (BBC), British Screen Productions	Directed by Nick Willing.
1995	AN AWFULLY BIG ADVENTURE (Director)	British Broadcasting Corporation (BBC), British Screen Productions, Portman Productions	Starring Hugh Grant, Alan Rickman and Georgina Cates.
1994	FOUR WEDDINGS AND A FUNERAL (Director)	PolyGram Filmed Entertainment, Channel Four Films, Working Title Films	Written by Richard Curtis. Starring Hugh Grant, Andie MacDowell and James Fleet.
1992	INTO THE WEST (Director)	Channel Four Films, Little Bird, Majestic Films International	Written by Jim Sheridan and David Keating.
1991	ENCHANTED APRIL (Director)	BBC Films, Miramax, Greenpoint Films	Screenplay by Peter Barnes.
1988	SOURSWEET (Director)	British Screen Productions, Film Four International, First Film Company	Starring Sylvia Chang, Danny Dun and Jodi Long.
1987	AMAZING GRACE AND CHUCK (Director)	Delphi IV Productions, Delphi V Productions, ML Delphi Premier Productions	Starring Jamie Lee Curtis, Gregory Peck and Dean Alexander.
1985	THE GOOD FATHER (Director)	Channel Four Films, Greenpoint Films	Starring Anthony Hopkins, Jim Broadbent and Harriet Walter.
1985	DANCE WITH A STRANGER (Director)	Goldcrest Films International, National Film Finance Corporation (NFFC), Film Four International	Starring Miranda Richardson, Rupert Everett and Ian Holm.
1981	BAD BLOOD (Director)	Southern Pictures, New Zealand Film Commission	Starring Jack Thompson, Carol Burns and Denis Lill.
1980	THE AWAKENING (Director)	EMI Films, Orion Pictures	Screenplay by Allan Scott and Chris Bryant.
1964	COMEDY WORKSHOP: LOVE AND MAUDE CARVER (Director)	-	Starring Patsy Rowlands, Norman Chappell and Julian Orchard.

TELEVISION

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2019	ONE RED NOSE AND A WEDDING (Director)	BBC TV	Written by Richard Curtis for Comic Relief. Starring Rowan Atkinson, Lily James and Hugh Grant.
2016	THE INTERESTINGS (Director)	TriStar Television, Amazon Studios, Sony Pictures Television	TV movie written by Lynnie Greene and Richard Levine.
2004-2006	HUFF (Executive Producer)	Sony Pictures Television, 50 Cannon Entertainment, Bob Lowry Television Show	Created by Bob Lowry.
2003	THE BRANCH (Executive Producer)	Touchstone Television, Warren Miller Films, Warren Miller Television	
2003	I CAPTURE THE CASTLE (Executive Producer)	British Broadcasting Corporation (BBC), Isle of Man Film Commission, Isle of Man Film	Directed by Tim Fywell.
2002	JO (Director / Producer)	CBS, Spelling Television	TV movie starring Manny Perez, Kathleen Chalfant and Erin Dilly.
1999-2000	THE ADVENTURES OF YOUNG INDIANA JONES (Director)	Lucasfilm, Amblin Entertainment	Directed Episodes titled "Masks of Evil" and "The Perils of Cupid".
1993	THE YOUNG INDIANA JONES CHRONICLES (Director)	Amblin Entertainment, Lucasfilm, Paramount Television	Directed Episodes titled "Istanbul, September 1918" and "Florence, May 1908".
1990	COMMON GROUND (Director)	Lorimar Productions	Directed "Part I" and "Part II".
1989	SMITH AND JONES IN SMALL DOSES (Director)	TalkBack Productions	Directed Episode titled "The Whole Hog".
1983	BIRTH OF A NATION (Director)	Central Independent Television	TV movie written by David Leland.
1983	BLOOD FEUD (Director)	20th Century Fox Television	TV movie written by Robert Boris.
1967-1981	ITV PLAYHOUSE (Director)	Associated-Rediffusion Television, ITV - Independent Television	Director of five plays between 1967 and 1981. "Little Girls Don't" (1981) "The Gift of Friendship" (1974) "Arthur Wants You for a Sunbeam" (1970) "The Stories of D.H. Lawrence: None of That" (1967) "The Stories of D.H. Lawrence: The Thorn in the Flesh" (1967)
1980	LITTLE GIRLS DON'T (Director)	Thames Television	TV movie starring Toyah Willcox, Rosalyn Landor and Anna Massey.
1972-1978	PLAY FOR TODAY (Director)	British Broadcasting Corporation (BBC)	Director of six plays between 1972 and 1978. "Destiny" (1978) "The Mayor's Charity" (1977) "Buffet" (1976) "Brassneck" (1975) "The Childhood Friend" (1974) "Just Your Luck" (1972)

1978	BBC2 PLAY OF THE WEEK (Director)	British Broadcasting Corporation (BBC)	Directed "Mr. & Mrs. Bureaucrat".
1977	THE FOSDYKE SAGA (Director)	BBC Birmingham	Starring Miriam Margolyes.
1977	THE SUNDAY DRAMA (Director)	ATV	Directed "Charm".
1977	THE MAN IN THE IRON MASK (Director)	Norman Rosemont Productions, ITC Entertainment	TV movie starring Richard Chamberlain, Patrick McGoohan and Louis Jourdan.
1976	SECOND CITY FIRSTS (Director)	British Broadcasting Corporation (BBC)	Directed "Jack Flea's Birthday Celebration".
1976	RED LETTER DAY (Director)	Granada Television	Directed "Ready When You Are, Mr. McGill".
1975	LOST YER TONGUE? (Director)	-	TV movie starring Deirdre Costello, Paul Curran and Ronald Herdman.
1975	OF THE FIELDS LATELY (Director)	-	TV movie based on the play by David French.
1975	COMEDY PREMIERE (Director)	Associated Television (ATV)	Directed "Honey".
1975	THE MIDAS CONNECTION (Director)	BBC	
1975	THE BOUNDARY (Director)	BBC	TV movie written by Clive Exton and Tom Stoppard.
1975	BBC2 PLAYHOUSE (Director)	BBC	Directed "Mrs. Acland's Ghosts".
1974	LATE NIGHT DRAMA (Director)	Granada Television	Directed two episodes in 1974. "Silver Wedding" (1974) "Ms or Jill and Jack" (1974)
1974	BAA BAA BLACK SHEEP (Director)	Granada Television	Teleplay written by Arthur Hopcraft.
1973	WESSEX TALES (Director)	BBC	Directed Episode titled "The Melancholy Hussar".
1973	LATE NIGHT THEATRE (Director)	Granada Television, Scottish Television (STV), Southern Television	Directed three episodes in 1973. "Barbara's Wedding" (1973) "The New Word" (1973) "The Twelve-Pound Look" (1973)
1973	HADLEIGH (Director)	Yorkshire Television (YTV)	Directed Episodes titled "First Impression" and "Second Thoughts".
1973	LOVE STORY (Director)	Associated Television (ATV)	Directed Episodes titled "Two Tame Oats" and "A Face of Your Own".
1971-1972	THIRTY-MINUTE THEATRE (Director)	BBC	Directed three episodes between 1971 and 1972. "The Chauffeur and the lady" (1972) "Not Counting the Savages" (1972) "Psychological Warfare" (1971)
1972	THE MAN FROM HAVEN (Director)	Associated Television (ATV)	Created by Wilfred Greatorex.

1971-1972	BUDGIE (Director)	London Weekend Television (LWT)	Directed six epsides between 1971 and1972. "Run Rabbit, Run Rabbit, Run, Run, Run"(1972) "Our Story So Far..." (1972) "The Jump Up Boys" (1972) "Sunset Mansions or Whatever Happened to Janey-Baib?" (1971) "A Pair of Charlies" (1971) "Best Mates" (1971)
1971	THE GUARDIANS (Director)	London Weekend Television (LWT)	Directed Episodes titled "The Nature of the Beast" and "Appearances".
1970	THE ADVENTURES OF DON QUICK (Director)	London Weekend Television (LWT)	Directed "The Benefits of Earth".
1970	DIAMOND CRACK DIAMOND (Director)		Directed Episodes titled "Allergy" and "Death of a Dog".
1969-1970	ITV SUNDAY NIGHT THEATRE (Director)	ITV - Independent Television, Kestrel Productions, London Weekend Television (LWT)	Directed two episodes. "Mrs. Mouse, Are You Within?" (1970) "Murder: The Blood Relation" (1969)
1969	BLOOD RELATIONS (Director)	-	
1969	PARKIN'S PATCH (Director)	Yorkshire Television (YTV)	Directed Episodes titled "Fame of a Kind" and "Dead or Alive".
1969	BIG BREADWINNER HOG (Director)	Granada Television	Starring Peter Egan, Alan Browning and Donald Burton.
1968	69 MURDER - THE BLOOD RELATION (Director)	-	
1968	THE GAMEKEEPER (Director)	-	
1968	THE VISITORS (Director)	-	
1968	HER MAJESTY'S PLEASURE (Director)	Granada Television	Credited as Cormac Newell.
1968	CITY '68 (Director)	Granada Television	Credited as Cormac Newell for episode titled "The Visitors".
1968	THEM DOWN THERE (Director)	-	
1968	SPINDOE (Director)	Granada Television	Credited as Cormac Newell.
1967	THE KINDNESS OF STRANGERS (Director)	Granada Television	Part of the "Escape" TV series.
1967	THE FELLOWS (Director)	Granada Television	Credited as Cormac Newell.
1966	CORONATION STREET (Director)	Granada Television	Credited as Cormac Newell for all eight episodes.

1964	SHARON (Director)	-	TV movie documentary.

DOCUMENTARY

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2014	ENCHANTED KINGDOM (Executive Producer)	BBC Earth, BBC Worldwide, Evergreen Recording Studios	Directed by Patrick Morris and Neil Nightingale.