

Richard Laxton

Director

TELEVISION

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2018	MRS WILSON	Bronte/BBC	Written by Anna Symon. Starring Ruth Wilson, Iain Glen, Keeley Hawes and Fiona Shaw
2017	DIRK GENTLY	BBC America	Director, 2 Episodes
2017	MUM Series II	Big Talk/BBC	Executive Producer for 2nd Series
2017	THE MIST	Great Idea Productions, Inc/Spike TV	1 Episode, 10 Part Series
2015	MUM	Big Talk / BBC	Sole director of the first series Written by Stefan Golaszewski Winner Broadcast Award Best Comedy Programme 2017 Winner Broadcasting Press Guild Award Best Comedy 2017 Nominated RTS Craft Awards Best Director 2016 Nominated RTS Awards Best Writer Stefan Golaszewski 2017 Nominated BAFTA Best Supporting Actress – Lesley Manville 2016
2014	RIVER	Kudos / BBC	Lead director, 2 Episodes. Writer Abi Morgan, starring Stellan Skarsgard Winner Rose D'or Best Drama 2016 Winner Golden Nymph Award Monte Carlo Festival Best Drama Series 2016
2014	FORTITUDE	Fifty Fathoms/Sky	2 Episodes, Series I

2013	HIM & HER THE WEDDING	Big Talk / BBC 3	<p>Nominated RTS Awards Best Comedy 2015</p> <p>Nominated Broadcast Awards Best Comedy 2015</p> <p>Winner BAFTA Best Situation Comedy 2014</p> <p>Nominated BAFTA Television Award Best Female Performance in Comedy Role- Kerry Howard 2014</p> <p>Nominated Best Comedy Broadcast Award 2014</p> <p>Nominated Best Multichannel Programme Broadcast Award 2014</p> <p>Nominated Writers' Guild of Great Britain Best Television Comedy 2013</p>
2013	BURTON & TAYLOR	BBC / BBC America / BBC 4 (TV Film)	<p>Writer Billy Ivory</p> <p>Starring Dominic West and Helena Bonham Carter</p> <p>Selected for BAFTA BRIT TO WATCH 2013</p> <p>Hamptons Film Festival 2013</p> <p>Hollywood Film Festival 2013</p> <p>Nominated Golden Globe Best Actress in Mini-Series- Helena Bonham Carter 2014</p> <p>Nominated Broadcast Award 2014</p> <p>Nominated Satellite Award Mini series 2014</p> <p>Nominated Broadcasting Press Guild Awards 2014</p> <p>Nominated for Best Single Drama RTS 2014</p> <p>Nominated Television Critics Association Awards 2014</p> <p>Nominated Satellite Awards Best Actor- Dominic West 2013</p> <p>Nominated Satellite Awards Best Actress- Helena Bonham Carter 2013</p>
2012	THE JOB LOT	Big Talk / ITV (Pilot)	Starring Russell Tovey and Sarah Hadland
2012	HIM & HER	Big Talk / BBC 3 (Series III)	
2011	HIM & HER	Big Talk / BBC 3 (Series II)	Winner RTS Best Comedy Performance 2012
2010-11	NIGHTWATCH	BBC (Single Film)	<p>Wr. Paula Milne, adapted from the Sarah Waters novel</p> <p>Starring Anna Maxwell Martin, Jodie Whittaker and Claire Foy</p> <p>San Francisco Frame Line Festival Official selection</p> <p>Nominated LA Gay & Lesbian Film Festival Official selection Stonewall Award 2011</p> <p>Winner Long Island Gay & Lesbian Film Festival Audience Award 2011</p>
2009	HIM & HER	Big Talk / BBC 3	<p>Comedy pilot & Series</p> <p>Wr. Stefan Golaszewski</p> <p>Starring Russell Tovey and Sarah Solemani</p>

2007	HANCOCK & JOAN	World Productions / BBC	Wr. Rik Cotton Starring Ken Stott and Maxine Peak Winner BAFTA Scotland Best Acting Performance in Television 2008 Nominated BAFTA Best Single Drama 2009 Nominated BAFTA Best Actor 2009 Nominated BAFTA Best Actress 2009 Nominated Broadcast Awards Best Single Drama 2009
2007	FREE AGENTS	Big Talk Productions / Ch4 (Pilot)	Prod. Nira Park Wr. Chris Neil Starring Stephen Mangan, Sharon Horgan and Anthony Head
2005	THE GHOST SQUAD (Lead Director)	Company Television / Channel 4 (4 Episodes)	
2004	OUTLAWS	World / BBC	Nominated BAFTA Best Drama Series 2005
2004	BODIES	Hat Trick (Series 1)	Adapted from the novel by Jed Mercurio Nominated RTS Best Drama Series 2005 Nominated BAFTA 2005
2003	SEA OF SOULS	BBC Scotland	Prod. Phil Colinson
2002-03	HEARTS OF GOLD	BBC Wales	2 x 90 minutes
2001-02	INSPECTOR LYNLEY MYSTERIES	BBC	3 x 90 minutes Starring Nat Parker
2001	A GREAT DELIVERANCE	BBC	2 x 90 minutes Starring Nat Parker
1999-00	BORDER CAFE	Hartwood / BBC (Series 1)	Prod. Beryl Vertue Wr. Tim Firth
1998-99	LIFE SUPPORT	BBC Scotland (Series 1)	3 x 50 minutes Prods. Margaret Enefer and Paddy Higson
1997	INVASION EARTH	BBC Scotland	3 x 50 minutes Prods. Chrissy Skinnis and Jed Mercurio
1997	A WING AND A PRAYER	Thames / Channel 5 (Series 1)	6 x 50 minutes Prod. Jacinta Peel Nominated BAFTA Best Drama Series 1997
1996	MCCALLUM	STV	2 x 1 hour films Prod. Murry Fergerson

1995	OUT OF THE BLUE	BBC (Series 1)	Prod. Jo Wright
1994	BAND OF GOLD	Granada Television (Series 1)	Prod. Tony Dennis Nominated BAFTA Television Award Best Drama Serial 1996 Nominated BAFTA Television Award Best Actress - Geraldine James 1996
1993	THE RIFF RAFF ELEMENT	BBC (2 Episodes)	Prod. Liz Trubridge Nominated BAFTA Television Award Best Drama Series 1994

FEATURE FILM

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2011-12	EFFIE GRAY		Wr. Emma Thompson Starring Dakota Fanning, Tom Sturridge, Greg Wise, Julie Walters and Emma Thompson
2008	ENGLISHMAN IN NEW YORK	Leopard Drama / ITV	Wr. Brian Fillis Prod. Amanda Jenks Starring John Hurt and Cynthia Nixon Berlin Film Festival premiere 2009 London Gay & Lesbian Film Festival 2009 Tribeca Film Festival, Best Narrative Feature 2009 Dinard Film Festival's Opening film 2009 Nominated BAFTA Best Actor (John Hurt) 2010 Rose D'Or Nomination 2010 The Frameline Film Festival's Opening Film 2010
2007	GROW YOUR OWN	BBC Films/UKFC/Warp/Pathé	Written by Frank Cottrell Boyce Starring Eddie Marsan, Benedict Wong, Olivia Colman
2005	LIFE AND LYRICS	Fiesta Productions/BBC Films/UKFC/Universal	Starring Ashley Walters Premiered at Edinburgh Film Festival 2006 In competition for Michael Powell Award

SHORT FILM

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	PROJECT DETAILS
1992	I BET IT WILL RAIN	Starring Janet McTeer London Film Festival Official selection 1992

SKILLS / QUALIFICATIONS

BBC Drama Director's Course, 1992
