

# Fabio Bottani

## Cinematography & Videography

### Personal Info

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### Languages

#### Italian

Native Language

#### English

Full Professional Efficiency

#### French

Full Professional Efficiency

#### Portuguese

Basic

### Skills

Flexible, willing to devote all the time necessary to comply with deadlines

Adaptable to the needs of Film Production

Equipment Troubleshooting

Visually Creative & Detail-oriented

Able to Build & Maintain

Relationships

Independent Filmmaker in Camera Department & Freelance Videographer from Luxembourg City.

Graduated in Visual Arts & Film Production at Vancouver Film School, specialized in

Cinematography and Directing for film. Aspiring to work full-time as Director, or professional

Camera / Steady Cam Operator for Feature Films & Documentaries.

### Experience

2017-11 -

present

#### Film Production Consultant & Teacher

**Université de Luxembourg**

"Atelier de L'expression cinématographique"

- Teaching the fundamentals of Film Production & Cinematography, from the idea to distribution.

- Providing feedback and basic introduction to camera operating & lighting

- Providing PP slides and video material for the students to learn more about filmmaking

2018-10 -

present

#### Videographer

**LFMA - Luxembourg Financial Market Association**

Responsible for creating & directing audio-visual advertising for LFMA

- Filming all events, conferences with the President & members of the LFMA

- Filming areal footage of the LFMA facilities with use of drone.

- Video editing all events (Premiere Pro CC)

2018-10 -

2018-10

#### Camera Operator & Data Wrangler

**D'Lingue, Luxembourg**

Responsible for filming for all events during "La semaine de la santé mentale"

- Workshops, conferences, activities, concerts, VR, meditation & special courses

- Filming areal footage of the events

- Off-loading data & storing all media

2018-09 -

2018-09

#### Director of Photography

**Vodafone, Luxembourg**

In collaboration with Vodafone & Films United.

- Camera & Steadicam Operator on the pilot episode for the web series: *CEO Girl*

2018-04 -

2018-04

#### 2nd Assistant Camera & Data Wrangler

**Feierblumm Productions a.s.b.l. , Luxembourg**

Film: *BODHI*

- Slating & assisting 1st AC + camera operator

- Looking after all camera equipment & recharging all batteries both during and after filming

- Responsible for unloading all dailies (footage) to multiple back-up hard drives

2018-01 -

2018-04

#### Camera & Lights

**ARRI Rental EU, Luxembourg**

- Warehouse maintenance of all camera & light equipment

- Testing, fixing, cleaning, and prepping equipment before & after shipping out to productions

- Transferring and receiving orders from the other ARRI rental houses in Europe

- Pick up & Drop off material to sets and studios in Luxembourg

Good interpersonal and communication skills

## Software

Microsoft Office Word / Powerpoint / Visio

Adobe Premiere / Photoshop / Illustrator / Lightroom / Acrobat

Premiere being the most used

Avid Media Composer & Pro Tools

Moderate Knowledge

Autodesk Maya

Familiar with Basics

2018-03 -

### 2nd Assistant Camera & Data Wrangler

2018-03

Les Films Fauves, Luxembourg

Film: *Westwand*

- Slating & assisting 1st AC + camera operator
- Looking after all camera equipment & recharging all batteries both during and after filming
- Responsible for unloading all dailies (footage) to multiple back-up hard drives (Silverstack)

2017-11 -

### Videographer

present

CCIL - Camera di Commercio Italo-Lussemburghese

Responsible for creating & directing audio-visual advertising for the festival '*Italian Sounding*'

- Filming all events, conferences with the President & members of the CCIL
- Video editing all events (Premiere Pro CC)
- Photoshop was used to edit additional material for the video

2017-09

### Videographer

Ambasciata d'Italia, Luxembourg

Responsible for creating & directing video advertising for the Embassy of Italy, the festival '*Vivere all'Italiana*'

- Filming all events & conferences with the Ambassador
- Video editing all events (Premiere Pro CC)
- Photoshop was used to edit additional material for the video provided from the Embassy

2017-07 -

### On-Set Italian Facilitator & Interpreter

2017-07

Iris Productions SA, Luxembourg

Film: *18 - Clash Of Futures*

- Facilitate OR translate the communication between the director and the Italian actors
- Made sure the Italian dialogue corresponded to the English/French script

2016-12 -

### Videographer

2017-02

Dante Alighieri Luxembourg

- Conference speech about filmmaking & life at Vancouver Film School
- Produced & directed the first web reel for the Italian Culture Association
- Event Management Assistant

2016-11 -

### Videographer

2016

B Wear Productions, Vancouver BC

Camera Operator & Sound Mixer for the Fan Expo in Vancouver BC

- Responsible for filming and storing all footage from the interviews with the Cosplayers
- In charge of shot-listing & providing all B-roll footage

2016-10 -

### Cast Care, 'The Canadian Bachelorette'

2016-10

Good Human Productions, Vancouver BC

- Pick up & drive the TV show actors (cans) from the airport to the Hotel
- Prepare Breakfast for the cans & drive them from the Hotel to the Studio

- Made sure the cans were ready for make up & escorted them to anywhere they needed to be

- Assisting the cans with personal requests

2016-09 -  
2016

### **Camera Operator**

**Aito Media Ltd.**, Vancouver BC

- Camera Operator for the documentary *Au Paris in Canada*

- Working with the Cinematographer to achieve the shots & understand the director's vision

- Video Sound Mixing

2015-04 -  
2015-06

### **Videographer**

**SKELTERS**, Italy

- Produced & Directed private Music Video *Chimica Dell'Amore* by

**SKELTERS**, an Italian pop-rock band

- Creating Storyboards & Casting actors

- Finding Crew, Equipment & Filming Locations

- Managing Crew & Equipment Transportation

- Editing Rough Cuts

2014-09 -  
2014-09

### **Production Office Assistant**

**Tarantula Studios**, Luxembourg

- Assisting the Line Producers & 2nd Assistant Directors with paperwork and organising hard copy documents

2013-10 -  
2013-10

### **1st Assistant Camera**

**AIR TV France**, Luxembourg

- 1st Assistant Camera for studio Interviews & broadcasting

- Researching & Writing short articles about events in Luxembourg

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## **Education**

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2015-10 -  
2016-10

### **Vancouver Film School, Film Production Diploma**

Advanced program into Film Making after taking Foundation. Specialized in DIRECTING & CINEMATOGRAPHY.

- Advanced Directing, Advanced Cinematography, Producing, Production Design, Production Techniques, Script Development, 1st Assistant Director, Post Production, Film Theory, Team Building.

*120+ hours of on-set experience.*

2014-10 -  
2015-10

### **Vancouver Film School, Visual Arts & Design Diploma**

Visual Effects, 3D Modeling & Animation, Life Drawing, Story Boards, Graphic Design, Classical Animation, Sound Design, Visual Communication, Photography, Editing, Art & Creativity, Motion Design, Career Orientation, Writing, Psychology & Art, Digital Essentials, Cinematography, Directing, Copyrights, Color Theory, 2D Design, Lens Based Media & Acting.

*60+ hours of on-set experience*

2000-12 -  
2014-07

### **European School Luxembourg II**

European Baccalaureate Diploma

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## Other Camera Operating & Directing Experience

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- 2014-12 - *Short Films & Music Videos*
- 2016-12 *Vancouver Film School*
- *Chains of Men (2016) Co-writer & Co-Director*
  - *Last Call for Alcohol (2016)*
  - *Virtuoso (2015)*
  - *The Widow (2015) Writer & Director*
  - *Cause & Effect (2015)*
  - *In Hiding (2015)*
  - *The King of Cages (2015)*
  - *Avant-Garde (2015) Writer & Director*
  - *Last Minute (2014)*
- 2016-03 - *Steadicam Experience, Galaxy Treecam D3000*
- present *Freelance*
- *CEO Girl (Web series, 2018)*
  - *On The Clock (Short Film, 2017)*
  - *Romeo (Demo Reel, 2016)*
  - *Babu (Music Video, 2016)*
  - *E.D.O.L. (Private Corporate Reel, 2016)*

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## Volunteering

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- 2017-09 - **"Voices by PassaParola" Radio Ara 102.9 - Director & Assistant Director**
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- 2017-10 - **Festival du film italien de Villerupt - Photographer**
- 2018-11
- 2017-10 - **CinEAST Film Festival - Videographer**
- 2018-10

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## Licenses

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- 2017-04 **ActSafe Motion Picture Safety Awareness Training Course**
- 2014-06 **Luxembourg Driver's Licence (Permit B)**
- 2013-08 **French Boating Licence (Permis Mer Côtier)**