

Kushal Srivastava

- Kushal Srivastava is the director and producer of the feature film **‘Vodka Diaries’**, featuring Mr. Kay Kay Menon, Ms. Raima Sen, Mrs. Mandira Bedi & Mr. Sharib Hashmi. He also wrote the screenplay and dialogues of the film. **Vodka Diaries** released **theatrically** on 19th Jan, 2018 all over India by A.A Films. Now available on **Netflix** and **Amazon Prime**.
 - He has directed and produced several TV Commercials, Corporate films, Music videos, PSA and photo shoots which are shot in several locations like Paris, Prague, Russia, Amsterdam and various parts of the world under his banner **Flying Dreams Entertainment Pvt. Ltd**, which is also empaneled in NFDC.
 - He was awarded the **UP Ratan Samman 2021** from Union Cabinet Minister **Mrs. Smriti Irani** in Lucknow.
 - He has directed short film **Love Birds** which was nominated for **Filmfare Shorts** in 2021.
 - He has also produced the short film **‘The Job’** featuring **Ms. Kalki Koechlin** under his banner, which was ranked among the **Top 5 Short films** of 2018 by **Times Now** and nominated as Best Short film **Filmfare Short Film Awards in 2019**.
 - He is an Ex Air Warrior who served in the **Indian Air Force** for 7 years as Equipment Assistant in Logistics department as is now working on a film on IAF.
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- He has done Masters in Mass Media (Entertainment) from MET (Institute of Mass Media, Mumbai Education Trust), Mumbai
 - He did his MBA (H.R) from Symbiosis Centre for Distant Learning, Pune in defence category.
 - He did his post graduation in MCom (Marketing) from Chatrapati Sahu ji Mahraj University, Kanpur.
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- He has assisted **Mr. J.P. Dutta** for 3 years under his banner J.P. Films and **Mr. Anurag Basu** for various TV Commercials.
- He directed first short film in college titled '**Kaafir**' and received an award from **Mr. Aamir Khan** for Best Short film.
- He has directed a series of social awareness films for **Swachh Bharat Abhiyan** with various celebrities and ad films on Saksharta Abhiyaan under **Digital Haryana Campaign** for **Haryana Government**.
- He has directed & produced various TV Commercials and corporate films on **social awareness** for brands like Joy Of Giving Week, Monte Carlo, Madame, Dignity Foundation etc.
- He has produced the ad film on **Lucknow-Agra Expressway** for **Uttar Pradesh Government** sung by **Mr. Kailash Kher**.
- He has directed various commercials with celebrities like Mrs. Hema Malini, Mrs. Raveena Tandon, Mr. Ronit Roy, Mr. Kailash Kher, Ms. Kalki Koechlin, Mr. Pankaj Udhas, Mr. Raju Srivastava, Ms. Masaba Gupta, Mrs. Shweta Tiwari, Ms. Shazahn Padamsee etc.



Kushal Srivastava receiving the UP Ratan Samman 2021 from Mrs. Smriti



Kushal Srivastava receiving an award from Mr. Aamir Khan



ACM PV Naik (Retd.), Mr. JP Dutta and Kushal Srivastava



ACM Dhanoa (Retd.) and Kushal Srivastava



Vishal Bharadwaj, Kay Kay Menon, Rekha Bharadwaj and Kushal Srivastava at the song launch of *Vodka Diaries*.



Imtiaz Ali, Kushal Srivastava, Kay Kay Menon, Ashutosh Gowariker, and Makrand Deshpande at the screening of *Vodka Diaries*.

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