

PABALLO MOKWENA

MULTIDISCIPLINARY STORYTELLER
DIRECTOR - WRITER - VISUAL ARTIST

PERSONAL BRAND STATEMENT

As a Multidisciplinary Artist, I strive to create and share meaningful messages through disciplines such as writing, creative direction, cinematography and motion design.

I use these different mediums to explore and make sense of the world around me, that way my art can resonate with people and our different life experiences.

SKILLS & COMPETENCIES

Ideating, Pitching, Film and commercial Directing & Conceptual Writing.

Proficient in Adobe Suites :

- Photoshop and Lightroom
- Premiere Pro
- Audition
- XD

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- Winner for Best Short Film at B3 Biennial 2022 - Actor and camera operator.
- Nomination for 'Best Short Film' at the Budapest Film Festival 2022 - "Equilibrium" Writer and Director.
- Winner for Best Art Direction and Best Short film - Creative Flare Awards 2017
- Musical documentary showcase at the Artizens of Johannesburg event, 2018 - Producer, Cinematographer, Editor

WORK EXPERIENCE

INDEPENDENT FILMMAKER - Current

Writer and Director - Euqilibrium and Lapeng Films

CAMERA OPERATOR

Indie Village | December 2020 - June 2022

JUNIOR DESIGNER

PlusNarrative | 2020

AUDITION CO-ORDINATOR

G Stop Casting Agency | 2019

PRODUCTION INTERN

Birthmark | 2018

PHOTOGRAPHER AND EDITOR

Actor Spaces and Mzansi Magic | 2018

ASSISTANT CAMERA OPERATOR

Mel Media , Ndiani Studios, DX Frames| 2017-2018

CREATIVE DIRECTOR & PHOTOGRAPHER

La'Vibras Music & Visual Hub | 2018

ACADEMIC PROFILE

UNIVERSITY OF JOHANNESBURG

Bachelor of Arts, Film and Television
Obtained Degree 2018

UMUZI ACADEMY

National Certificate in Advertising
(SAQA ID 58820) -2020

KEYBASE - Strategic Team Management course 2022

FIELDS COLLEGE - Matriculated 2014