

BIOGRAPHY RAY DEMENTE

Age 0: 1986	Ray Demente is born Southern Germany.
Age 5: 1991	Ray Demente decides movies will be his final destination.
Age 6 to 12: 1992-1998	Ray spends six years in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, where he falls in love with the Americas and their lifestyles.
Age 12: 1998	Family Demente moves back to Southern Germany.
Age 12-20: 1998-2006	Ray goes to school, grows up in a an environment, where there is no access to the film industry (border triangle Germany/Switzerland/France). He has no choice but to look for work in different fields.
Age 20-29: 2006-2015	Ray wastes time working in luxury hotels and in the real estate industry in Berlin. His highlights are whenever he's able to serve genuine movie stars during his time as a Concierge.
Age 29-33: 2015 2016 2017	Ray quits his job. Ray decides to become a real filmmaker. Ray gets rejected by film schools. Ray decides to study English and Media Studies at the University of Basel (Switzerland). To balance this rather theoretical approach, Ray walks down the path of self-taught filmmaking. Ray knows, nobody will give him something to direct. He starts a self-study journey. Ray learns how to write feature film screenplays by reading books and actual scripts, watching videos, analyzing actual films and writing script after script.
2019:	Ray graduates University. Bachelor of Arts.
Age 34-38: 2020	To earn money Ray does some odd jobs / hotel work again. COVID crushes his first attempts at producing one of his own scripts.
2021-2022	Ray is forced to work 80% in the hotel industry again and uses the pandemic to write more scripts and watch more than 250 films in 6 months at a local video store.
2023	Back in the border area Germany/Switzerland/France, Ray gets himself a job as cinema clerk to serve cinema.
2024	Before Ray departs once again into feature filmmaking, he decides to do a trio of shorts to get hands on experience and build a cinematic portfolio. "Homme Fatal" is the first short out of this trio and his debut in the realm of filmmaking with an ambition.
The future:	Ray hopes to see you there. Thank you and best wishes.