

A SHORT FILM

BRIAN MICHAEL SMITH

WHO ARE YOU

Brian Michael Smith is an actor, writer, and producer renowned for his dynamic performances and authentic storytelling in action-packed narratives. Widely recognized for his groundbreaking role as **Paul Strickland** on FOX's hit series "**9-1-1: Lone Star**," Brian has built a reputation for bringing depth, strength, and vulnerability to characters who challenge traditional notions of identity and heroism.



In ***Who Are You***, Brian showcases his versatility as both star and producer, playing Guy, a seemingly ordinary accountant whose forgotten past triggers explosive action and intense personal stakes. Brian's compelling portrayal draws from his own experiences navigating identity and resilience, creating a character audiences root for as he battles both inner turmoil and external threats.

WRITER | PRODUCER | RENEGADE



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IS A 10-MINUTE ACTION THRILLER ALLEGORY THAT FOLLOWS GUY, A MILD-MANNERED ACCOUNTANT WITH AMNESIA, AS HE AWAKENS BOUND IN A GRIM WAREHOUSE AND MUST FIGHT THROUGH A BRUTAL UNDERWORLD TO PROTECT JOANNE—A WAITRESS WHO MAY HOLD THE KEY TO HIS ERASED PAST. EQUAL PARTS PULSE-POUNGING STUNTS, DARK HUMOR, AND EMOTIONAL STAKES, THE FILM REFRAMES THE SPY GENRE AS A VESSEL FOR QUESTIONS OF IDENTITY, LOSS, AND RECLAMATION.

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DIRECTED BY
DANIEL LOGGGERO

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NOW HE'S COUNTING BODIES.

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DIRECTOR

DANIEL LOCICERO

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Daniel Locicero is a French-born action director, stunt coordinator, and editor whose disciplined, tactical approach brings raw authenticity to every fight sequence. A U.S. Navy veteran and former paratrooper, Daniel's mastery of combat arts—from Jeet Kune Do and Wing Chun to kickboxing, jiu-jitsu, and advanced weapons handling—has made him a sought-after expert on productions like *Dunkirk*, *Mission: Impossible – Fallout*, *Agents of S.H.I.E.L.D.*, and *SEAL Team*.



In *Who Are You*, Daniel's collaboration with Brian Michael Smith exemplifies The Renegades' mission of "Multicultural Muscle": they unite Brian's character-driven vision with Daniel's kinetic storytelling, crafting action that is both visceral and emotionally grounded. As director and editor, Daniel shapes every punch, fall, and gunshot to serve the narrative's heart—reinforcing themes of identity, resilience, and justice.

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JOHNNY BERMUDEZ

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Johnny Bermudez is a Puerto Rican actor, producer, and co-founder of The Renegades, whose journey from the streets of Brooklyn to the forefront of independent filmmaking embodies resilience and reinvention. Raised in Brooklyn, Johnny spent over a decade as a financial advisor on Wall Street before becoming an NFL agent, honing skills in negotiation, strategy, and high-stakes performance.

In ***Who Are You***, Johnny embodies Luther, the film's menacing second lead, delivering a performance defined by unsettling stillness, relentless power, and a disarmingly cunning charm. His portrayal balances measured silence with explosive intensity, creating a character whose quiet threat lingers long after his scenes end.

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CREATOR STATEMENT

I made *Who Are You* to use a familiar action-thriller framework as a mirror—reflecting how we define ourselves when memory and identity are on the line. As a Black trans man, I grew up watching spy films that shaped my ideas of strength and heroism without ever seeing someone like me at the center. I wanted to flip that script: pull audiences in with high-octane stunts and dark humor, then let the film's underlying allegory about memory, choice, and buried trauma do the work of opening hearts and minds. – **Brian Michael Smith**



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WHY THIS FILM? WHY NOW?

In a moment when half the world feels gaslit and the other half wants you to disappear, *Who Are You?* crashes through the noise with a sharp-edged question and a protagonist who refuses to fit in—or stay down. It's a gritty, darkly funny action film where fists fly, memories fracture, and buried truths hit harder than any punch.

Set against a backdrop of cultural backlash and erasure, this story puts someone from the margins—an outsider, someone the world has overlooked—at the center of the chaos. Not as a sidekick. Not as a trope. But as the one calling the shots, taking the hits, and rewriting the rules. The fight's not just for survival—it's for identity, agency, and the right to define yourself on your own terms.

For audiences tired of hollow heroes and messages that scream instead of speak, *Who Are You?* delivers something sharper: a thrilling reminder that even if you forget who you are, you can still fight like hell to become who you're meant to be.

FROM RENEGADES STUDIO OUR FIRST STRIKE

Who Are You? isn't just our debut—it's a declaration. A genre-slicing short that reclaims space for the forgotten, the erased, the overlooked. We built this story from the margins, not to ask permission, but to take the shot.

A thriller wrapped in mystery.
A battle for identity wrapped in fists.
A new voice in action cinema—loud, unbending, and unapologetically us.

This is just the beginning.
We are The Renegades.
We fight different. We move different.
And we're just getting started.



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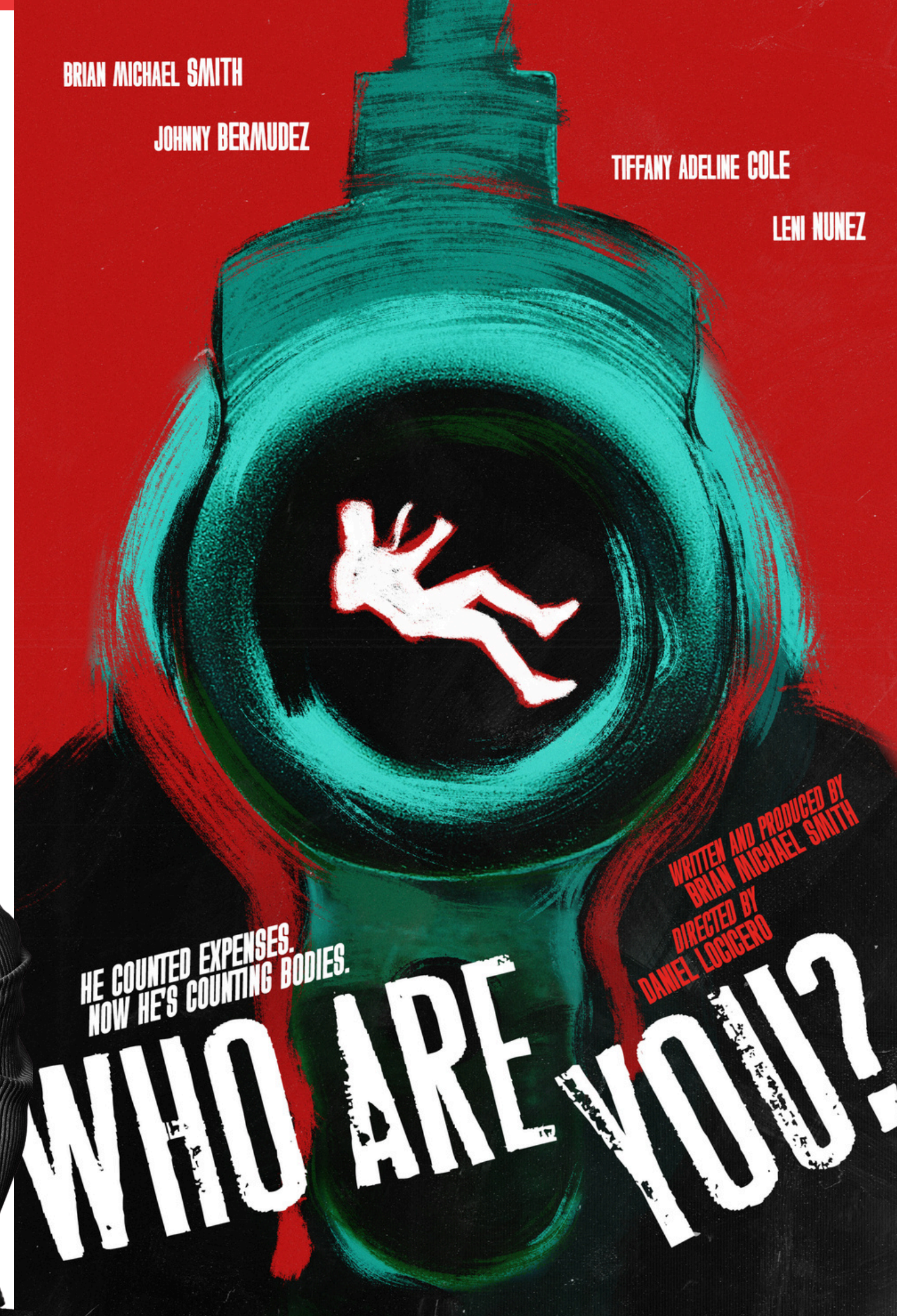


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