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SUMMARY

Talented and energetic qualified artist. A creative problem solver. Analytical and versatile thinker and effective in developing and carrying out ideas. Personable and persuasive; able to build instant rapport.

Well organized and self-motivated: poised and self-confident in dealing with a wide variety of people.

A published writer, actor and director.
Italian mother tongue.
Fluent in English and Spanish.

EXPERIENCE

April 2019

Hero in the Campari commercial

March 2018

Hero in the Haribo commercial for the French TV.

May 2017

Playing the role of a French waiter in the Movie "Patrick", distributed by Disney, directed by Mandie Fletcher.

June 2015 - Present

Associate Creative Director at Four55 Ltd, working on a range of projects both animated and live action. With a background from the school of cinema in Rome, theatre direction and also a published writer, brings experience both in front of the lens as well as behind.

June 2015

Playing the character of an Italian sommelier in the movie "Spy", alongside Melissa McCarthy, Rose Byrne and Jude Law, directed by Paul Feig for 20th Century Fox.

May 2015

Conceptualized and directed Bleu de Chanel tvc

My role was key in coming up with the concept/idea and co-directing it. This spec. adv. gave us as Four55 the opportunity to win Platinum at the Hermes Creative awards.

August 2013

Playing the role of Yuri in the multi awarded short movie Bibliotheque, directed by Alessandro Zizzo.
Best Actor at "Dino De Laurentiis Film Festival".

Sep 2011 - Sep 2013

Worldwide Brand Ambassador for Martini.

As the face of Martini, my role has involved embodying the Martini brand values and promoting the products on an international level. Interacting with people of all varieties on a daily basis as well as public speaking, event attendance, hosting, being the spokesperson for the brand in person and also behind the camera.

2011

Playing the role of Mr. Goldstein in the Italian Tv series "The champion and the miss" directed by Angelo Longoni.

Jan 2009

Playing the character of Rudy in the movie "Just Married", directed by Luca Lucini.

2009

Writer, director and actor

Theatre Production – I will not go down from here - From my book My life on a cactus.

Edited in 2008 by Laterza.

Gold at the Napoli Cultural Classic Award.

A monologue for schools on the theme of the suicide with Q&A after each show.

2006

Playing the character of Francesco Giulietti in the TV series “Il giudice Mastrangelo” directed by Enrico Oldoini, produced by Rizzoli.

TV COMMERCIALS

Lead artist in:

Martini The Apartment – RSA Films – Directed by Jordan Scott

Martini - Luck Is An Attitude – Directed by Peter Thwaites

Martini – Sparkling Wine – Fred & Farid Group

I have acted in numerous other commercials in Europe.

TV SERIES & FILM

I have also acted in TV series and film in both lead and supporting roles.

SKILLS

Acting and performance

Event Management and organization

Event Presentation and hosting

Ability to work under pressure and to tight deadlines

Writing and directing

Computer literate _ Linux/Mac Os, Windows, Microsoft office package

Languages: Italian native, Fluent in English, Spanish and conversational French.

EDUCATION, TRAINING & QUALIFICATIONS

2012 – Present

Attending regular courses at the Actors Centre in London to always improve, working on my crafts.

Summer 2013

English language - Advanced Level Course – Islington Centre, London.

2011

ECDL European License, University of Bari

2008

Diploma in Acting And Directing - School of Cinema, Rome, Italy

2003

BA Law, University of Bari

1999

Diploma in Accounting, with Mathematics and Law

AWARDS, PUBLICATIONS & RECOGNITION

2013

Award for my role as lead actor in Biblioteque, Italian Film.

2008

My Life on a Cactus, a collection of 32 poems and a monologue, was published in 2008 by Giuseppe Laterza

REPRESENTATION AND REFERENCES

Currently represented as an actor by:

Shephard Management Agency in London

Soli e associati Agency in Rome

References available upon request.

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