

NEASA HARDIMAN

Current Work

THE POWER - directing episodes 5 & 6 of new series for Sister Pictures/Amazon, based on Naomi Alderman's dystopian novel.

HIT AND RUN - directed 3 x 60' mystery thriller for Netflix. TX 6th August 2021.

Previous Work

2020 **SEA FEVER** – wrote and directed original feature thriller starring Connie Nielsen, Dougray Scott and Hermione Corfield. Produced by Fantastic Films Ireland / Bright Pictures Sweden; supported by Creative Europe and Screen Ireland. Released in April 2020.

2018 **JESSICA JONES** – directed finale of season three for Marvel/ Netflix.

2017 **JESSICA JONES** – directed episode 10 of season two for Marvel/ Netflix.

2017 **INHUMANS** – directed episode 6 of the new Marvel/ABC series.

INTO THE WATER - written feature adaptation of Paula Hawkins' murder mystery novel with Dreamworks and Marc Platt Productions.

2016 **Z: THE BEGINNING OF EVERYTHING** – directed episodes 4 and 5 of new series tracing the life of Zelda Sayre Fitzgerald, starring Christina Ricci. Killer Films for Amazon (exec. producer Pam Koffler). **Nominated for IFTA for Best Drama Director 2017.**

2015-6 **HAPPY VALLEY II** – directed episodes 3 & 4. Red Productions/BBC1 (exec. producer Nicola Shindler). **Won IFTA for Best Drama Director 2016; Won BAFTA Best Drama Serial 2017.**

2014 **SCOTT AND BAILEY 4** – directed two-part finale of series for Red/ITV (exec. producer Nicola Shindler).

BREAKFAST AT THE NEW YORKER – feature biopic developed with Deadpan Pictures, drawn from the life of Irish writer Maeve Brennan. Supported by Creative Europe and Screen Ireland.

2014 **IN THE CLUB** – directed episodes 3 & 4 of new drama series for Rollem Productions/BBC1 (exec producer Kay Mellor).

2013 **CASUALTY** – directed two episodes of Season 28 for BBC1 (exec. producer Oliver Kent).

2012 **HOLBY CITY** – Directed two episodes of Season 15 for BBC1 (exec. producer Oliver Kent).

2012 **THIS IS GOING TO TAKE MORE THAN ONE NIGHT** - Visual art film exploring the struggle to communicate effectively. Arts Council of Ireland.

2011 **TRACY BEAKER RETURNS III** – directed the final episodes of the third and final series for CBBC (producer Gina Cronk). **Nominated for BAFTA for Best Children’s Drama in 2012.**

2010 **TRACY BEAKER RETURNS II** – lead director of second series for CBBC (producer Gina Cronk). **Nominated for BAFTA Kids Vote in 2011.**

2009 **TRACY BEAKER RETURNS** – lead director of new series for CBBC (producer Gina Cronk). **Won BAFTA for Best Drama 2010 for Series 1.**

2008 **SCHOOL RUN** – directed ninety minute comedy drama for Grand Pictures (producer Paul Donovan). **Nominated for Best Television Drama at the Irish Film and Television Awards 2009.**

2007 **BEYOND REDEMPTION** – documentary profile of social activist Peter McVerry. RTE 1.

2006 **THE NAKED EXTREMIST** – 60' black comedy for Telegael Media Group/ TG4. (producer Brendan McCarthy). **Nominated for Best Irish Language Film / TV at the Irish Film and Television Awards 2007.**

2005 **TOTALLY FRANK** – directed seven episodes of new drama series for Endemol/Channel 4. (producer Sophie Gardiner).

2004 **IMAGINING ULYSSES** – one of three writers/directors of 90' documentary exploring the themes in James Joyce's Ulysses. Blueprint for RTE. **Winner of Golden Hugo, Chicago Intercom Film Festival 2004; Princess Award for Best Feature Documentary, Celtic Film and Television Awards 2005.**

2003 **OLIVE** – wrote, directed and produced short film about a girl's school romance. **Official selection, Berlinale 2004, Official Selection International Film Festival Rotterdam 2004 and Oberhausen Short Film Festival 2004. Winner of Best Short Film Award, Newport International Film Festival.**

2003 **IRELAND'S TEENAGE CRIMINALS** - 60' investigative documentary for RTE. **Nominated for Best Investigative Documentary, Irish Film and Television Awards 2004.**

2002 **TREASURE** – wrote and directed a short tale of magic and menace. **Winner Irish Film Board Distribution Award, selected for nationwide distribution by Columbia Tristar Pictures, winner short film award, Fantastic Film Festival Sweden.**

2001 **PLUCK** – directed short film written by Emma Donohue. A stay-at-home father descends into madness when he becomes obsessed with a hair on his wife's chin. **Irish Film Board Short Cuts Award. Winner, IDI Award for Stage, Film and Television.**

Neasa is represented by Frances Arnold.