

# Marco Napoli

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Marco Napoli is a writer, director, and actor. In 2007 he attended the biennial acting school of Augusto Zucchi in Rome and between 2008 and 2010 he studied Literature and Philosophy with a concentration on "cinema and theater" in the city of L'Aquila. In 2010 he graduated in the course of "Film making" at the London Film Academy (LFA).

Since then he has written, produced and directed short films with some of them participating in national and international festivals, e.g. David di Donatello - the Oscar of Italy - RIFF Awards, Genoa Film Festival. In recent years he has worked as a film-maker between the cities of New York, London, Montreal and Rome and as an actor in projects of different genres collaborating with major film productions whose latest is Rush (Ron Howard, 2013).

He also gained experience as an operator and editor using his own equipment and multiple assembly platforms (Adobe Suite, FCPX). [www.marconapolidirector.com](http://www.marconapolidirector.com)

- 2021** *April 2* (short film, 7') Forte dei Marmi, Italy. Winner best photography at CDM IFF 2021.  
*Blackout* (short film, 16') Rome, Italy. <https://vimeo.com/540025284>
- 2019** *Save lives with the rhythm* (documentary, 20') NYC. Produced by Tillie Records, Roberta Finocchiaro.  
*Put the blame on me* (music video, 3'), Los Angeles. Performed by Alina Chelaru.  
*More, please* (short film), New York City. Nespresso Talent 2019. <https://vimeo.com/332789539>
- 2018** *Serendip* (docufilm, 80') Sri Lanka. Produced by TakeMeBack ([www.takemeback.eu](http://www.takemeback.eu)) and distributed by NETFLIX Europe, Winner Best Documentary Calcutta International Film Festival. <https://vimeo.com/228841798>
- 2017** *The sweetest gift* (commercial, 30") NYC. Winner creativity at Userfarm video contest for "Nutella". <https://vimeo.com/206106940>
- 2016** *I am music* (feature film teaser) NYC. Performed by Katya Zakharova. <https://vimeo.com/185010438>
- 2015** *Limitless security* (commercial, 3') Pescara, Italy. Winner creativity at Userfarm video contest for "Ford" brand call.  
*La fonte di ogni giorno* (commercial, 30") Anversa Degli Abruzzi, Italy. Winner creativity at Userfarm video contest for "San Benedetto" brand call. <https://vimeo.com/163349293>  
*Crossroads* (short film) Maratea, Italy. Winner Best Short at Flaiano Film Festival 2015, Winner Best Picture at Cinemadamare IFF 2015.  
*Luce* (short film, 12') Rome, Italy. Winner Audience Award at Williamsburg Independent film festival (NYC) 2016, "Best 2016 Italian Shorts" in Bolzano, Winner "Best Dialogues" prize at Cortinametraggio FF 2016, Winner 1st prize at Mauro Bolognini film fest 2016, Winner 1st prize at Imperia film festival 2016, Winner Audience prize at CortOglobo Film Festival 2016. <https://vimeo.com/170396077>
- 2013** *Doce, doce* (short film) Procida, Italy. Winner 2nd prize at Cinemadamare IFF 2013, Finalist at RIFF Awards 2014.  
*Erogatore 3* (short film, 11') Rome, Italy. Produced by Mentoplastica. Finalist at Premio David di Donatello 2014. <https://vimeo.com/75267604>
- 2012** *Joey's faces* (shortfilm, 6') Anguillara, Italy. Winner 1st prize for best film at Frammenti Festival 2013, finalist at Visioni Italiane 2013. <https://vimeo.com/80931391>