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Bachelor in Fine Art
Filmmaker

I was born in Reykjavik, Iceland and graduated from the Icelandic Art Academy. Now I work mainly as a film director and a screenwriter and occasionally as a teacher in film making, fine arts and acting. I have good experience working with youth and improvised acting. I recently finish writing the future film script *Heartstone* and wrote and directed the animation film *Hidebound* which involved the creative participation of over 1350 individuals in Iceland and was granted several international awards, including the Europe Youth Award 2005, from the European Union ; New Diamonds, F. F. Festival, Karlovy Vary, 2005; and a Nomination for the Best Short Film, Icelandic Film Award EDDAN 2005.

Education

2006 -	Life long member at The Dieter Roth Academy.
2005	U.D.K. Academy of Arts Berlin.
2003-2006	B.A. Fine Art, Iceland Academy of the Arts.
2001-2003	Design / Information- and Media Department The Reykjavik Technical College.
1998	Armuli College, Multi media and Computers.

Projects / Work

2007 -	Director / producer of <i>Drawspot The World Animation Project (in process)</i>
2007 -	Director / producer of <i>Jeffrey goes Acting</i> , short fiction (<i>in process</i>)
2006 - 2007	Scriptwriter <i>Heartstone</i> , participant in the Norht By Northwest script development program,
2006	Director of <i>Munsi Acting Group</i> Seydisfjordur, Iceland.
2005	Director of <i>The Acting Group of Reykjarvik Technical College</i> .
2005	Director / producer of <i>Hidebound</i> 20 min. Animation & mixed media. (<i>Best Original Score, NUFF 2005</i>) (<i>New Diamonds, F.F. Karlovy Vary, 2005</i>) (<i>Europe Youth Award 2005, European Union Education and Culture</i>) Nomination (<i>Best Short Film, Icelandic Film Award EDDAN 2005</i>) (<i>Official competition ZLIN festival 2005</i>)
2003 -	Instructor in basic film making and acting at youth centres In Reykjavik.
2003	Instructor in editing, The Icelandic Academy of Arts.
2002-2003	Member of 'The street Theatre, Hitt Husid.