

# Markus Huersch

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## Features Film and TV - Drama

### SELECTED CREDITS

OIL & GAS PIONEERS (2015)  
Feature Documentary, shot on location in Trinidad

DER SAUBERMACHER, (2014/15)  
comedy for cinema release (writer)

TOBAGO 1677 (2013), Feature Documentary, shot on location in Tobago

HARD STOP (2010)  
Feature Film, cinema release  
Cast: Nina Langensand, Matthias Britschgi, Christoph Matti..

SHOUTING SECRETS (2010)  
Feature Film, cinema release, shot on location in Arizona  
Cast: Tantoo Cardinal, Q'orianka Kilcher, Chaske Spencer, Gil Birminham , Tylor Christopher,  
Winner – Best Film „36. American Indian Film Festival San Francisco“  
Winner: Grand Jury Award, Best Feature Film, Rhode Island Intl. FF  
Winner: Jury Award, Best Feature Film, Columbia Gorge Intl. FF  
Winner: Jury Award, Best Narrative Feature, Great Lakes Intl. FF  
Winner: Jury Award, Best Narrative Feature, Daytona Beach International FF  
Winner: Audience Choice Award, Best Feature Film, San Diego FF  
Winner: Audience Choice Award, Best Feature Film, Big Island Intl. FF  
Winner: Audience Choice Award, Best Feature Film, Arizona Intl. and more.. <http://www.imdb.com/title/tt1646225/>

TAG & NACHT (2009)  
Pilot - Television Drama Series

### PROD./DIR.

Silvia Krüger  
Rick Haupt

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Sascha Weibel  
Marco Leisi

Josef Bollag  
Korinna Sehringer

Peter-Christian Fueter  
Tobias Fueter

### COMPANY

Oceandiscovery,  
Germany

The Band GmbH,  
Switzerland

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Switzerland

Waiting Room LLD  
Los Angeles &  
Joker Films,  
Switzerland

C-Films, Switzerland

<p>KALA PUL - THE BLACK BRIDGE (2008)            Feature Film            Shot on Location in Karachi, Pakistan            Cast: Ashok Malani, Salim Iqbal</p>	<p>Muder Kothari            Saqib Mausooof</p>	<p>Black Crow            Productions            San Francisco</p>
<p>PAS DE PANIQUE (2006)            Television Drama Cast: Roland Giraud, Frédéric Diefenthal            Julie Judd, Natacha Koutchoumov            Winner - Best Television Drama "cinema d'ecrain 2007"- Geneva            Winner - Audience award "cinema d'ecrain 2006", Geneva  <a href="http://www.imdb.com/title/tt0891558/">http://www.imdb.com/title/tt0891558/</a></p>	<p>Jean-Marc Fröhle            Dennis Rabaglia</p>	<p>Point Prod.            Switzerland &amp;            MFP, France</p>
<p>THE FOREST (2005/06)            Feature Film, cinema release            Shot on Location in India / Thailand            Cast: Javid Jaffrey, Sumita Sen, Ankur Vidal, Seelim            Julfuqar Ali, <a href="http://www.imdb.com/title/tt0495111">http://www.imdb.com/title/tt0495111</a></p>	<p>Judith James            Ashvin Kumar</p>	<p>Dreyfuss &amp; James            Productions, Los            Angeles &amp;            Lindine Productions,            UK</p>
<p>ANUK (2005)            Feature Film            Shot on location in the Swiss Alps            Cast: Luke Gasser, Doro Pesch, Marc Storace, Stefan            Eicher, Kathy Winter  <a href="http://www.imdb.com/title/tt1066289/">http://www.imdb.com/title/tt1066289/</a></p>	<p>Reinhard Steiner            Luke Gasser</p>	<p>Filmwerk,            Switzerland</p>
<p>LITTLE TERRORIST (2004)            35mm Short Drama            shot on Location in Rajasthan, India            Cast: Seelim Julfuqar Ali, Sushil Sharma, Megnaa Mehtta            77th. Academy Awards 2005            Oscar Nominated for "Best Short Film"            Nominated European Academy awards 2005            Winner - 1st prize 28. World Film Festival Montreal            Winner - best film Filmfestival Flanders            Winner - grand prize Tehran Film Festival            Winner - Best Film Manhattan Short Film Festival            and more: <a href="http://www.little-terrorist.com">www.little-terrorist.com</a></p>	<p>Ashvin Kumar</p>	<p>On the Road            Productions,            USA/India &amp;            Alipur Films, India</p>
<p>TELL (2004)            Feature Film - 2nd Unit            Cast: Mike Müller, Axel Stein, Udo Kier</p>	<p>Lukas Hobi            Mike Aeschmann</p>	<p>Zodiak Pictures,            Switzerland</p>
<p>NUR EIN SOMMER (2004)            Feature Film – 2nd Unit            Cast: Stefan Gubser, Anna Loos</p>	<p>Samir, Susanne Ruedlinger            Tamara Staudt</p>	<p>Razor Film,            Germany &amp;            Dschoint Vent. CH</p>
<p>SWISS AIR FORCE (2003)            D-Beta Television Drama            Winner - Silver Award international World Media Film Festival            Hamburg 04            Winner - Certificate of 'creative excellence' at the US International            Festival in Los Angeles 2004            Winner - First prize at "15a rassegna cinematografica            internazionale eserciti e popoli, Rome 2005"</p>	<p>Markus Meister            Thomas Rajman</p>	<p>Swiss Governement,            ZEM.</p>

ROAD TO LADAKH (2003)  
 Drama 50min.  
 shot on location in Ladakh  
 Cast: Irfan Khan, Koel Purie  
 Winner - „Golden Remi“ World Filmfestival Houston  
 BFI - spice tour of cinema's in the UK and more..  
 AZZURRO (2001)  
 Feature Film, 2nd Unit  
 Cast: Paulo Villagio, Francesca Pipoli

Ashvin Kumar

Rasa Pictures, UK

Edi Hubschmid  
 Denis Rabaglia

C-Films, CH & Alhna  
 Films, France & Gam  
 Film, Italy

## Documentary

Title	Director	Production
LEIDENSCHAFT POLO, (2014/15) TV – Documentary, 55min.	Markus Huersch Markus Huersch	markushuerschfilm
CAMARO (2012/13) Dokumentary about the life of the painter Alexander Camaro 1901-1992	Markus Huersch Markus Huersch	markushuerschfilm
Doug Aitken in Arles (2012)	Doug Aitken/ Markus Huersch	Tweaklab, Basel
You&Me (2011) HD/D5/MiniDV	Kaspar Kasics	Distant lights, Zuerich
Unsere Wälder (2011) RED, 2, Unit	Heikko Böhm	Docmine, Zürich
Feuer und Flamme (2005) MiniDV	Simon Weber	Atelier 02/swiss Expo
Kosovo – life after the war Docu Series (1999) D-Beta	Andrea Müller	Swiss Television/3 Sat
Robinson Reality Series (1999) D-Bet	Mike Helmi	Lava TV, Switzerland

## Commercials

Product	Director	Production	Agency
Schwyzer Kantonalbank 2015	Markus Huersch	Pool Films, Zürich	Wirz, Zürich
Schwyzer Kantonalbank 2014	Markus Huersch	Melymel, Zürich	Wirz, Zürich

UBS	Markus Huersch	Markenfilm Zürich	Publicis
SBB, seasonal campaign	Marco Lutz, Jony Hayer	Shining Pictures, Zürich	Contexta, Bern
Head	Marco Lutz	Shining Pictures, Zürich	Compartment, Zürich
V-Zug	Simon Cracknell	Tuna, Zürich	Publicis, Zürich
Pfister	Simon Cracknell	Tuna, Zürich	ROD, Zürich
SBB Seasonal campaign	Marco Lutz	Shining Pictures, Zürich	ROD, Zürich Contexta, Bern
SBB Maincampagne	Marco Lutz	Shining Pictures, Zürich	ROD Zürich
Raiffeisen	Jonathan Beyer	Shining Pictures, Zürich	MetzgerLehner, Zürich
Postfinance	Luki Frieden	Shining Pictures, Zürich	Polyconsult, Bern
Alpiq	Marco Lutz	Shining Pictures, Zürich	MetzgerLehner, Zürich
Vital	Hylton Tannenbaum	Bioscope Films, Cape Town	DraftFCB, Cape Town
Fayrouz	Hylton Tannenbaum	Bioscope Films, Cape Town	IMS, Johannesburg
Myway	Hylton Tannenbaum	Kojak Films, Johannesburg	DraftFCB, Cape Town
Amstel Beer	Hylton Tannenbaum	Bioscope Films, Cape Town	Grey ZA, Johannesburg
Steers Diner	Hylton Tannenbaum	Bioscope Films, Cape Town	KingJames, ZA
KPT Insurance	Marco Lutz	Chocolate, Zuerich	LangGisyKnoll
Swisscom Mobile	Markus Huersch	Primetime Zuerich	Unknown

Vodacom -Yebo5	Hylton Tannenbaum	Peter Gird, Cape Town	FCB Johannesburg
Postoffice	Hylton Tannenbaum	Peter Gird, Cape Town	TBWA / Fusion, Cape Town
Olympus	Hylton Tannenbaum	Peter Gird, Cape Town	Lowe, London
Motorola @ Cebit	Phil Walsh	Unity Pictures, London	MICE, London & Ogilvy&Mather
Samsonite	Phil Walsh	Unity Pictures, London	Tugboat, London
Groupe Mutuel	M.F.	Frame eleven, Zuerich	TrendWorld
SRS World Hotels	Phil Walsh	Unity Pictures, London	CNN Creative
Summit Hotels	Hylton Tannenbaum	Unity Pictures, London	CNN Creative
Habitat	Hylton Tannenbaum	Unity Pictures, London	-
Hill House Hammond	Phil Walsh	SPH, Birmingham	McCannErricson

Further: Vodaphone, La Prairie, Celtec, UBS, Credit Suisse, Fila, Red Bull, G+F, Helvetia, Jack Wolfskin, SHMK, CH-Herstzftung, Visus, Harper Collins, Dubai Airport, Stanley sliding doors...

## Additional Information

Special skills: aerals, geared head, underwater, high altitude

Invited participant at the 5th International DOP Masterclass, Budapest (Masters: Laszlo Kovacs ASC and Vilmos Zsigmond ASC.)

Languages: Fluent german, english, french and basic italian

Education:

London International Film School, UK

University of Berne, Switzerland, History of Art

Teacher training college, Berne, Switzerland