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Facts:
Born the 23 of May 1972 in Reykjavik, Iceland, raised in Sweden, studied in Finland. I am a Swedish and Finnish citizen.
Language skills: Swedish, English, Danish, Finnish, Icelandic, French, studied some Russian.



“Since 2003 Anna Maria works as a film and theatre director and scriptwriter in film, TV and stages in Finland. She’s directed commercials for Also Starring, movies for Helsinki-filmi Oy, children’s drama for the Finnish National Broadcasting Company YLE and both classical and non-traditional plays for the stage.

Her films have been funded by national Nordic funds such as the Finnish Film Foundation, the Finnish Film Institute and the Swedish Film Institute. Her TV dramas have been co-produced by YLE and the Swedish Broadcasting Company SVT. (see filmography)

Anna Maria has a MA in Theater and Dramaturgy from The Art University in Helsinki and a second MA in Film Directing and New Media as well as a BA in Art Photography from the Aalto University. She was born in Reykjavik to her Icelandic father and Danish mother. She grew up in Sweden’s west coast and in –97 she moved to Finland to study art. Today she lives in Stockholm, but can easily work in all Nordic countries.”

FILMOGRAPHY AND THEATRE PLAYS

- 2019 Feature Musical film 80 min. **“A music story”**
Directing: Joakimsdottir-Hutri & Anders Widmark
Music: Anders Widmark
Producer: Lars Pettersson / FundamentFilm ab & Maria Wande / Nöjfab ab
Distribution: Tri Art & SF Filmstaden
Premiere: summer 2019 in Sweden
- 2017 Short dance film **“Through the supermarket in five easy pieces”** Directing, Dramaturgy: Joakimsdottir-Hutri
Choreographers: Maria Saivosalmi & Andrius Katinas
Performers: Jenni-Elina von Bagh & Andrius Katinas
Producer: Petteri Lehtinen / Valve King oy
Financed by: YLE, the Finnish Film Foundation, AVEK and Loikka
- 2016 Performance **“Offret/Uhri/Sacrifice - a ceremony for a better world”** Directing, Dramaturgy and text: Joakimsdottir-Hutri and work group.
Performers: Liisa Tremmel, Jaakko Kiljunen and Sebastian Lopez-Lehto. Lighting and set design: Anton Verho.
- 2015 Theatre Play 90 min **“Ett Drömspel”** By A. Strindberg.
Directing, adaptation and Dramaturgy
Actors: Klara Wenner-Tängring, Liisa Tremmel, Minni Gråhn, Alex Holmberg, Wille Enckell, Ole Storhaug.
- 2013 Theater Play 60 min **“Dagmar / Maria”** – Directing and Dramaturgy
Actress: Misa Lommi and text by Nina Häggblom
- 2010 TV-drama 60 min **“Georg & Lydia”** – Directing and scriptwriting.
Producer: Annika Sucksdorff & Alekski Bardy / Helsinki Filmi
Financed by: YLE / FST and the Finnish Film Foundation
- 2009 Short film 30 min **“Sininen Delfini”** – directing and scriptwriting.
Producer: Alekski Bardy & Ella Piesala / Helsinki Filmi
Financed by: YLE, SVT and the Finnish Film Foundation
- 2009 TV-drama - 2X30 min. / 60 min. children’s film **“Äppeltjuvarna”** – directing and co-scriptwriting.
Producer: Mats Långbacka / Långfilm Productions oy
Financed by: YLE / FST and the Finnish Film Foundation
- 2006 Short film **“M8-meeting”** – directing and script developing
Producer: YKON, Helsinki

- 2005 Short film **“SAM”** – directing and scriptwriting
Producer: Jarmo Lampela / Lasihelmi Filmi ÖY and Louise Lindbom/JOJ-Film AB
Financed by: YLE, the Swedish Film Institute and the Finnish Film Foundation
- 2003 Short film **“Finding friendship”** – directing
Producer: Viveca Stenius / FST and Tone Rönning/EBU
Financed by: YLE and Nordvisjon
- 2002 Short film **“Lilja”** – directing and script
Producer: Raimo Lång / Media Lab

SCHOOLS

- 2019 Episode writing for TV-drama - a one semester workshop at the **Danish Film school**.
- 2016 Master of Art in Theater Art from the Theatre Academy at the Art University in Helsinki
MA in Theater and Dramaturgy majoring in Directing.
- 2003 Masters in Fine Art from Aalto University department of Art and Design in Helsinki
MA in Film Directing & New Media, Media Lab, Helsinki Finland
- 2000 Aalto University department of Art and Design.
BA in Photography, Helsinki Finland
- 1996 **Parsons School of Design**, Visual Communication, New York, USA and Paris France
- 1994 Vasa Vuxengymnasium, 2 year Photography education, Gothenburg Sweden
- 1992 University of Lund, Theater and Film theory, Lund Sweden.

WORKS

- 2017 Administration for Helsinki Script a seminar inviting International recognized writers and commissioners of TV-drama. www.helsinki-script.fi
- 2016 Teacher in Directing at Arcada University of Applied Sciences.
- 2016 Screenplay development of a miniseries for YLE-drama: “Villa” based on my short story “the Boswellia Tree”
- 2014 Administration for the International Broadcasting seminar INPUT held in Helsinki

- 2012 Director of commercials Also Starring commercial film Production Company on a freelance basis. www.alsostarring.fi
- 2011 Teacher in Directing in the Space and Time department at the Fine Art Academy, Art University of Helsinki
- 2009 Teacher in Directing at Arcada University of Applied Sciences.
- 2008 Helsinki-filmi as freelance film Director: "Blue Dolphin" and "Georg & Lydia".
- 2006 Assistant Director for Erik Söderblom – Professor in Acting at the Art University of Helsinki. A site-specific 6h play "Crime and Punishment".
- 2005 Director and Dramaturge for the Finnish National Broadcasting Company (YLE/FST).
- 2004 Assistant Director for Morten Krogh a doctorate at the Art University in Helsinki department of Acting, Finland. "Romeo & Juliet" - a cross-disciplinary play.
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- 2002 Second Assistant Director for Reza Baghers feature film "Capricciosa" in Malmö, Sweden. 3.5 months work assignment
- 2002 Directing assistant for Erik Söderblom the Professor at the Art University department of Acting, for the play "Spela Shakespeare". 2.5 months work assignment.
- RESEARCH PROJECTS**
- 2014 Member of the Research Study curated by Vuori & Kallinen: "Processes behind the Performing Art" a series of interviews of contemporary Finnish performance artists. The research was published in an anthology published by the Art University Publishing year 2016.
- 2013 Member of the Research group Vuori & Olkkonen Based in the Finnish organisation "Todellisuuden Tutkimuskeskus" (Institute for reality research) conducts an ongoing study of collaborative tools for Ritual Art Performance.
- RECIEVED GRANTS**
- 2019 The Finnish Film Foundation. Script development grant: 6 800 €
- 2016 The Finnish Film Foundation, Dance Film competition winner: 50 000 €
- 2014 The Finnish Film Foundation: Script development "Taika": 5000 €
- 2013 Kapiosto-FST grant: 5000 €
- 2012 The Finnish Film Foundation: Script development "Underfors": 6000 €
- 2010 Uudenmaan Taidetoimikunta: Script development: 2000 €
- 2009 The Finnish Film Foundation: Film "Georg & Lydia": 175 000 €
- 2008 Konstsamfundet: Grant for Theater play: 2000 €
- 2008 Svenska Kulturfonden: Film "the Apple thieves": 60 000 €
- 2008 The Finnish Film Foundation: Film "Blue dolphin": 75 000 €
- 2008 The Finnish Film Foundation: "The Apple thieves": 175 000 €
- 2007 Svenska Kulturfonden: script development: 5000 €
- 2007 The Finnish Film Foundation: Script development: 6500 €
- 2005 The Finnish Film Foundation: film "SAM": 70 000 €
- 2005 AVEK (Centre for Audiovisual Culture in Finland) – Grant for Film production "SAM": 50 000 €
- 2004 Svenska Kulturfonden: script development: 1000 €
- 2004 AVEK (The Promotion Centre for Audiovisual Culture in Finland) - Travel Grant for Chicago International Children Film Festival: 800€
- COMMERCIALS**
- 2016 Foreign Ministry of Finland "Suomi Filmi" Producer: Johannes Lassila / Also Starring
- 2016 Aava "Oodi Äideille" Producer: Johannes Lassila / Also Starring
- 2015 Vattenfall "Sauna" Producer: Petteri Lehtinen / Also Starring
- 2015 Commercial "Hyväät eväät" ARLA Luonto+ Producer: Johannes Lassila / Also Starring.
- 2013 Music Video "What have I done" Ina Forsman and Helge Tallqvist band Producer: Johannes Lassila / Also Starring.
- 2012 Commercial "Kodittomat" Ronald McDonald Lastentalosäätiö. Producer: Johannes Lassila / Also Starring.
- 2012 Commercial "Plus Terveys" Hammaslääkariasema Plus Terveys Producer: Johannes Lassila / Also Starring.