

(1976 -)



Director. Born 1976, Denmark. BA in comparative literature and rhetoric, 2005, and MA in modern cultural studies 2009, both from Copenhagen University. Trained in film direction at the film talent school Super16.

Matthiesen's short fiction "Mum" (2006) was selected for Venice' Corto Cortissimo. "Dennis" (2007) was chosen for Sundance and received Melbourne's Grand Prix. "Cathrine" (2009) was selected for Berlin 2009 and for Clermont Ferrand 2010.

For feature debut "Teddy Bear" he won Best Director at Sundance in 2012 among several other international awards. The script for "Teddy Bear" is co-written with Martin Pieter Zandvliet, award winning director of "Applause" (2009) and "A Funny Man" (2011).

Filmography

Awards

Festivals

◇ Title	◇ Year	◇ Function	◇ Category
Mr. Freeman	2022	Direction	DK/Feature
The Model	2016	Direction, Screenplay	DK/Feature
Where the Light gets in	2013	Screenplay	DK/Short fiction
Teddy Bear	2012	Direction, Screenplay	DK/Feature
Cathrine	2008	Direction, Script, Editing	DK/Short fiction
Mon petit-enfant	2008	Assistant director	DK/Short fiction
Roskilde	2008	Co-director	DK/Documentary
Dennis	2007	Direction, Script, Cinematography, Editing	DK/Short fiction
Mum	2006	Direction, Script, Editing	DK/Short fiction
Når man vågner	2005	Direction, Screenplay, Editor, Producer	DK/Short fiction
Underneath the Skin	2003	Assistant director	DK/Documentary
Skjulte spor	2000	Dealer	TV series