

# **CHRIS AINSCOUGH**

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## **QUICK HIGHLIGHTS:**

**SUDDENLY NAKED** (Remstar), **THE FOURSOME** (Screen Media Films), **THE YANK** (Vision Films), **AUTUMN IN THE CITY** (Hallmark), **AN UNEXPECTED CHRISTMAS** (Hallmark)

## FEATURE FILMS & TELEVISION MOVIES

AMISH AFFAIR Muse Entertainment, Lifetime Television

**DANGER IN THE DORM** Lifetime Television

A WINNING TEAM The Hallmark Channel, Timeless Pictures

A SEASON FOR FAMILY Front Street Pictures, Hallmark Movies & Mysteries

**BLESSINGS OF CHRISTMAS** Great American Family

#### TIME FOR HER TO COME HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

Johnson Production Group, Hallmark Movies & Mysteries

#### FIVE MORE MINUTES: MOMENTS LIKE THESE

Johnson Production Group, Hallmark Movies & Mysteries

#### TIME FOR HIM TO COME HOME FOR CHRISTMAS Johnson Production Group, Hallmark Movies & Mysteries

WE NEED A LITTLE CHRISTMAS Hallmark Movies & Mysteries

AUTUMN IN THE CITY

Two 4 The Money Media, Hallmark Channel

YOU, ME & THE CHRISTMAS TREE

The Hallmark Channel, Front Street Pictures

- 2024 R. McPartlin, J. Prupas, C. Wade, prod. Robin Hays, dir.
- 2024 C. Allyn, B. Anderson, H. Braunstein, I. Kahn Power, prod. Robin Hays, dir.
- 2023 J. Botkin, A. Coscas, M.R. Goldstein, R. Greenhalgh, R.M. Murphy, B.C. Silverman, S. Stabler, prod. Jason Furukawa, dir.
- 2023 O. Adelson, C. Cooper, J. Jope, prod. Kevin Fair, dir.
- 2023 S. Belzberg, V. Balzano, B. Dick, B. Goodman, A. Krell, B. Krevoy, L. Loughlin, T. McWhinney, various, prod. David Winning, dir.
- 2023 O. Adelson, O. De Caigny, T.O. Johnson, S. Mandelberg, G. O'Kane, D. Shackleford, B. Shelton, N. Soofi, prod. Ali Liebert, dir.
- 2022 O. Adelson, O. De Caigny, T.O. Johnson, J. Jope, N. Soofi, S. McCreery, prod., Kevin Fair, dir.
- 2022 O. Adelson, O. De Caigny, T.O. Johnson, S. Mandelberg, G. O'Kane, D. Shackleford, B. Shelton, N. Soofi, prod. David Winning, dir.
- 2022 H. Braunstein, G. LaPlante, A. Mancuso, prod. Kevin Fair, dir.
- 2022 K. Arnott, K. Gajdosik, D. Knight, M. Shepard, J. Smith, F. Szew, H. Winer, prod., Michael Robison, dir.
- 2021 A. Lewis, C. Cooper, M. Shepard, J. Abounader, prod. David Winning, dir.

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TIME FOR THEM TO COME HOME FOR CHRISTMAS Hallmark Movies & Mysteries, Front Street Pictures

JINGLE BELL BRIDE The Hallmark Channel, Johnson Prod. Grp.

#### TIME FOR US TO COME HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

Hallmark Movies & Mysteries. W Network

LOVE IN WINTERLAND The Hallmark Channel, Front Street Pictures

A BLUE RIDGE MOUNTAIN CHRISTMAS The Hallmark Channel, Muse Entertainment

THE LAST BRIDESMAID The Hallmark Channel, Muse Entertainment

PICTURE PERFECT: A BRUSH WITH LOVE Hallmark Movies & Mysteries, Two 4 The Money Media

FLIP THAT ROMANCE The Hallmark Channel, Muse Entertainment

A MIDNIGHT KISS The Hallmark Channel, Crown Media Prods

WALKING THE DOG Front Street Pictures, Hallmark Television

**DOWN RIVER** Gossamer Creative, Haven Films, Pearl Productions

THE YANK aka MY NOT SO IRISH BRIDE Rampage Entertainment

MIDNIGHT STALLION NGN Productions, Gaiam Vivendi Entertainment

WILD CHERRY Fairpoint Films, Redwood Palms Pictures, Rampage Ent., Image Ent., Achor Bay Ent.

HEART OF A DRAGON China Film Group, Mark Gordon Productions

TRIAL OF THE SCREAMING FOREHEAD Chanceuse Productions, IFC Films

MY BABY IS MISSING Marvista Entertainment, Lifetime Television

THE FOURSOME Universal Home Video, Screen Media Films, Rampage Ent.

MOVING MALCOLM Mongrel Media, CITY-TV, Crescent Entertainment

I ACCUSE Corus Entertainment, Rampage Entertainment

- 2021 M.R. Brady, C. Cooper, M. Shepard, prod. Michael Robison, dir.
- 2021 C. Cooper, O. Adelson, H. Kahn, A. Lewis, B. Shelton, D. Shackeldford, M. Shepard, prod. P. Benson, dir.
- 2020 O. De Caigny, M. Dunbar, T.O. Johnson, N. Soofi, prod. Allan Harmon, dir.
- 2020 C. Cooper, O. Adelson, H. Kahn, A. Lewis, B. Shelton, D. Shackeldford, M. Shepard, prod., David Winning, dir.
- 2020 Pat Williams, Harvey Kahn, D. Jackson, prod. Pat Williams, dir.
- 2019 R. Leigh Cook, J. Goehring, J. Head, J.S. Rice, R. Lycar, M. Prupas, S. Williamson, prod., David Winning, dir.
- 2019 Rachel Boston, E. Missan Yost, Joel S. Rice, prod. Mark Jean, dir.
- 2019 A. Cupo, M.D. O'Brien, M. Sprows, S. Stabler, prod. Peter DeLuise, dir.
- 2019 Michael Prupas, Joel S. Rice, prod. Mark Jean, dir.
- 2018 Kim Arnott, Ivan Hayden, Dawn Knight, prod. J.B. Sugar, dir.
- 2017 Anne Carlucci, Harvey Kahn, prod. Gary Harvey, dir.
- 2013 Jack Ong, James Brown, Andrew Halliwell, Benjamin Ratner, prod., Benjamin Ratner, dir.
- 2013 James P. Riley, Kevin Rochford, Gavin Wilding Allen Kellogg, Various, prod., Sean Lackey, dir.
- 2013 Joseph Nasser, Danny Webber, Dureyshevar, Tara Cowell-Plain, prod., William Dear, dir.
- 2009 Kyle Bornais, Michael A. DiManno, Byron A. Martin, Gavin Wilding, R. Scott Reid, prod., Dana Lustig, dir.
- 2008 Mark Gordon, David Foster, Annie Zhang, prod. Michael French, dir.
- 2007 Lauren Taylor Swift, Michael S. Singer, prod. Larry Blamire, dir.
- 2007 Fernando Szew, Michael Jacobs, Cheryl-Lee Fast, Ian Hay, prod., Neil Fearnley, dir.
- 2006 Robert Baruc, Nicholas Glass, Carrie Wheeler, Joseph Kovacs, Gavin Wilding, prod., Bill Dear, dir.
- 2003 Paul Armstrong, Bridget Hill, Benjamin Ratner, prod. Ben Ratner, dir.
- 2003 Lisa Hansen, Michael Shepard, Gavin Wilding, prod. Mark Reid, prod., John Ketcham, dir.

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#### THE WISHER

American World Pictures, Screen Media Films, Rampage Ent.

SUDDENLY NAKED Remstar, Creative Differences, Rampage Ent.

CHRISTINA'S HOUSE MGM, UA Home Entertainment, Remstar, Rampage Ent.

**CONVERGENCE** Artisan, Alliance Atlantis, New City Releasing, Rampage Ent.

THE FALLING Domino Film & Television Int., Téléfilm Canada

SUMMER OF THE MONKEYS (music editor)

Buena Vista Home Video, Waterfront Pictures

- 2002 Robert Baruc, Mark Lester, Gavin Wilding, prod. Mark Reid, prod., Gavin Wilding, dir.
- 2001 Anne Wheeler, Ralph Zimmerman, Perry Zimel, W. Crewson, Gavin Wilding, prod., Anne Wheeler, dir.
- 1999 Michael Grais, Mark Victor, Tracy Boyd, prod. Gavin Wilding, dir.
- 1999 Diane Patrick O'Connor, Gavin Wilding, prod. Gavin Wilding, dir.
- 1998 Greg Malcolm, Vicki Sotheran, prod. Raul Sanchez Inglis, dir.
- 1998 David Doerksen, Ellen Freyer, Chris Harding, prod. Michael Anderson, dir.

## **TELEVISION/DOCUMENTARY**

JUNO BEACH: VICTORY IN EUROPE Juno Beach Centre	20
JUNO BEACH: D-DAY 75 <sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY Juno Beach Centre	20
VICTORIA'S CASTLE (editor)	20
TAMING THE DRAGON Associated Film Producers	20
<b>A DAY IN THE LIFE - VANCOUVER</b> City of Vancouver for Shanghai Expo 2010	20
FASD: FINDING HOPE Force Four Entertainment	20
IRWIN BARKER: CAN'T STOP LAUGHING Comedy Network, Omni Film Productions	20
<b>DREAMS OF FLIGHT: A PORTRAIT OF SVEN JOHANNSON</b> Bravo! Television, Gold Star Productions	20
<b>LIGHT: MORE THAN MEETS THE EYE</b> Discovery, Sunstroke Films	20
THE TIES THAT BIND NFB, Force Four Entertainment	20
EASTER: THE JESUS MYSTERY History, Insight Film Studios	20
GHOST TOWNS OF CANADA (TV SERIES) Alliance Atlantis, Insight Film Studios	20
BARELY COOKING CHUM Television, CityTV	20
HIGHLANDER (sound designer, re-recording mixer) Rysher Entertainment, Davis-Panzer Productions	19
<b>MACGYVER</b> (Orchestral Recording Mixer) Paramount Television	19

- 2020 Chris Ainscough, HLCol Don Foster, prod. Chris Ainscough, dir
- 2019 Chris Ainscough, HLCol Don Foster, prod. Chris Ainscough, dir
- 2012 Robin Adair, prod., Robin Adair, dir.
- 2010 Michael French, prod. Michael French, dir.
- 2010 Ken Munro, prod. Chris Ainscough, dir.
- 2009 Rob Bromley, prod.
- 2008 Bridget Hill, prod. Scott Hinde, dir.
- 2008 Ken Frith, prod. Jason Bourque, dir.
- 2004 Michaelin McDermott, Christian Bruyère, prod. Michaelin McDermott, dir.
- 2007 John Ritchie, prod. John Ritchie, dir.
- 2003 Jason Bourque, Ken Frith, Patti Poskitt, prod., Jason Bourque, Ken Frith, dir.
- 2002 Leigh Badgley, prod. Maryvonne Micale, Maureen Kelleher, dir.
- 2003 Larry Sugar, prod. Larry Sugar, dir.
- 1992 1998 various, prod. various, dir.
- 1987 1991 Henry Winkler, John Rich Various, dir.

2016 Tony Pantages, Ben Ratner, prod.

2015 Tom Hackett, Paul McGillion, prod.

Lora Campbell, Lisa Rose Snow

Michaelin McDermott, dir

Ambrose Aibi Okundaye, dir

Danielle Bayliss, Michaelin McDermott, prod.

Dawn Knight, Maya Miller, Greg Rousseaux, prod.

Ben Ratner, dir.

Tom Hackett, dir. 2014 Lora Campbell, prod.

2012 Jay Trusler, prod. Jay Trusler, prod.

2008 Ken Frith, prod.

Maya Miller, dir.

2009

2005

## **SHORT FILMS**

GANJY (co-composer w/Jesse Zubot) Glass Factory Pictures, Haven Films, Network Ireland TV

#### MR. RICHARD FRANCIS

WHEN FISH FLY Organic Water Productions

COTTAGE WITHDRAWAL

**REPLAY** Bedazzled Productions

**RIPPLES** GCU Digital Film Department

**DATING** 13 Miller's Court productions

## LIVE THEATRE

CASEY AND THE OCTOPUS<br/>East End Boys Club2020Danny Virtue, prod.<br/>Ben Ratner, dir.WHITE HOT<br/>Kindred Entertainment, Shop Theatre (Arts Club)2014Loretta Walsh, prod.<br/>Ben Ratner, dir.DYING CITY<br/>Little Mountain Studios2007Melanie Walden, prod.<br/>Ben Ratner, dir.

## AWARDS

BEST MUSICAL SCORE: "DOWN RIVER" BEST MUSICAL SCORE: "HEART OF A DRAGON" BEST MUSICAL SCORE: "THE FOURSOME" BEST MUSICAL SCORE: "TRAIL OF THE SCREAMING FOREHEAD" BEST MUSICAL SCORE: "THE WISHER" BEST MUSICAL SCORE: "SUDDENLY NAKED" BEST MUSICAL SCORE: "SUDDENLY NAKED" RE-RECORDING MIXER: "HIGHLANDER: THE GATHERING"

- 2014 Leo Nomination (with Kevin House)
- 2010 Leo Nomination
- 2007 Leo Nomination
- 2007 Leo Nomination
- 2003 Leo Nomination
- 2002 Leo Award
- 2002 Genie Nomination
- 1993 Golden Reel Nomination

## **BIOGRAPHY**

Chris started his musical career playing piano, trumpet, and double bass, and by the age of 16, he was performing nightly at major clubs, and touring with various heavy rock tribute bands across Canada. Chris' experience as a music performer was the catalyst that inspired him to pursue formal schooling in music and recording technology. Today, Chris enjoys a thriving, award-winning career working on many large-scale soundtracks for film and television.

In addition to his work as a sound editor, re-recording mixer, and programmer, Chris has created soundtracks for a long list of World Fair pavilions, feature films, and TV series. Other career highlights include receiving 2 Golden Reel nominations as

a Sound Designer and Sound FX Editor on the hit TV series, "Highlander" and recording the orchestral score for the classic television series "MacGyver".

With a background in sound mixing and editing he soon made the jump to scoring and to date, he has scored over two dozen feature films, television series and documentaries and has 5 Leo Awards and Nominations, a Genie Nomination and a Golden Reel Nomination. He's worked with eminent directors, **Anne Wheeler** (Suddenly Naked, Better Than Chocolate), **Michael French** (Jim Carrey: The Un-Natural Act), **Bill Dear** (Harry & the Hendersons), and **Neill Fearnley** among others.

In 2010 he received a Leo nomination for his score to "Heart of a Dragon", a Mark Gordon production, (The Patriot, Grey's Anatomy); He produced the score in consultation with 15-time Grammy Award winning composer, David Foster.

"Chris is an extremely talented film music composer, his themes and composition are memorable, inspired and original. He's one of the best." – **Bryan Adams** 

"I worked with Chris on the Heart of a Dragon score. I was really impressed with his fortitude and style. The themes he came up with were just stellar, his orchestration, inspiring." – **David Foster**