NATHAN DOUGLAS

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- Director, writer, and producer with extensive background in educational and instructional media
- Particularly interested in exploring philosophical, humanistic, spiritual, and artistic questions in fiction, hybrid, and non-fiction contexts

Education

2008 - 2012 | Bachelor of Fine Arts (with Distinction) in Film | Simon Fraser University

Selected Filmography

- 2018 | La Cartographe Digital | 34'
- 2016 | Cave of Sighs Digital | 11'
- 2015 | Son In The Barbershop Digital | 7'
- 2012 | **Bread of Heaven** –Super 16mm | 18' [student film]
- 2011 | **Brother's Keeper** Digital | 15' [student film]

<u>Screenings</u>

La Cartographe (2018)

- Official Selection Locarno Film Festival 2018
- Official Selection Festival du Nouveau Cinema 2018
- Official Selection Vancouver International Film Festival 2018
- Official Selection Pančevo Film Festival 2018
- Official Selection Local Sightings Film Festival 2018
- Official Selection Västerås Film Festival 2018
- Official Selection Family Film Project 2018
- Official Selection South Western International Film Festival 2018
- Official Selection Festival Internacional Antofacine 2018
- Official Selection Port Moody Film Festival 2019
- Official Selection Sarasota Film Festival 2019
- Official Selection Cinema on the Bayou 2020
- Official Selection Locarno Shorts Weeks 2020 (online)
- Official Selection Future of Film Showcase 2020 (online)
- Distributed by La Distributrice de Films
- Streaming on **CBC Gem**

Cave of Sighs (2016)

- Official Selection Vancouver International Film Festival 2016
- Official Selection Festival du Nouveau Cinema 2016
- "Telefilm Not Short on Talent" European Film Market, Berlin 2017
- Official Selection Port Moody Film Festival 2017
- Official Selection Signes de Nuit Paris 2017
- Official Selection On Art Film Festival 2018, Warsaw

• VOD Distribution by **Kinoscope**

Son In The Barbershop (2015)

- Official Selection Clermont-Ferrand International Short Film Festival 2016
- Retrospective Program Pleins Écrans & Clermont-Ferrand Short Film Festival 2019
- Canada Program Busan International Short Film Festival 2017
- Official Selection Victoria Film Festival 2016 (Canada)
- Official Selection Ottawa International Short Film Festival 2016
- Official Selection Port Moody Film Festival 2016
- Official Selection Kyiv International Short Film Festival 2016
- Official Selection Tabor Film Festival 2016
- Official Selection Bucheon International Fantastic Film Festival 2016
- Official Selection Local Sightings Film Festival 2016
- Official Selection Filmets Badalona 2016
- Official Selection One Shot Movie Competition 2016
- Official Selection One Take Film Festival 2016
- Official Selection Family Film Project 2015
- Official Selection YOUKI International Youth Media Festival 2015
- Official Selection Carrboro Film Festival 2015
- Official Selection Northwest Filmmakers' Festival 2015
- Official Selection Knoxville Film Festival 2015
- Official Selection Soo Film Festival 2015
- Official Selection Moonrise Film Festival 2015
- Official Selection Cinema Spectacular 2015
- Official Selection 48th UNIV Conference 2015, Rome

Other Work

Director – *Motet Films* – 2018 - present

- Grammar of Ascent: The Iconography of Holy Eucharist Cathedral short documentary -2021 – Post-production
- The Music of Mark Emerson Donnelly short promo 2020 Post-production
- Missa Sicut Cervus: "Kyrie" music video Mark Emerson Donnelly 2020
- "Memento Verbi Tui" music video Mark Emerson Donnelly 2020
- "Pater Noster" music video Mark Emerson Donnelly 2020
- "Ave Maria" music video Mark Emerson Donnelly 2020
- From Motet to Mass: Missa Sicut Cervus short promo 2020
- Missa Sixut Cervus: "Gloria" music video Mark Emerson Donnelly 2020
- *Holy Family Parish* short promo 2020
- The Art of Corpus Christi mid-length documentary 2019
- The BC Sacred Music Symposium short promo 2018

Videographer – <u>Centre for Educational Excellence, Simon Fraser University</u> | 2013 – 2020

- In-house documentary /video production for online courses at SFU
- Tracey's Story − short promo − 2018
- *Open Media* short documentary 2017
- The Blessing of Still Creek short documentary 2017

• *Camp Cove* – short documentary – 2016

Cinematographer

• Torch Narrows – dir. Simon Garez – short drama – 2021 - Post-production

Producer

- That's Money in My Pocket dir. James Penco 11' 2018
- It's Him dir. Sophy Romvari 13' 2017 London Short Film Festival, Jan 2018
- Networking with James dir. James Penco 8' 2016
- The Constant Sea dir. Rob Groeneboer video installation Interurban Gallery, Vancouver, Jan. 2014

Director – "Fall of Troy" & "The Mousetrap" in Hamlet, Blackspear Productions, 2014

• 2 x short films integrated into stage performance of *Hamlet* – Vancouver, Canada

Awards & Grants

- Jury Special Mention for La Cartographe Festival du Nouveau Cinema 2018
- Arts Abroad Travel Grant Canada Council for the Arts 2018
- Arts Abroad Travel Grant Canada Council for the Arts 2016
- Best Drama for Son in the Barbershop Moonrise Film Festival 2015
- Audience Award for Son in the Barbershop Cinema Spectacular 2015
- UNIV Arts Award for Son in the Barbershop 48th UNIV Conference 2015

Presentations & Community Engagement

- Organizer & Host "The Last Minute Eric Rohmer Symposium" ft. Marie Rivière & Mary Stephen March 21, 2020 (Zoom)
- Jury University of British Columbia Persistence of Vision Film Festival 2018
- Panel Member "Inaugural Film Festival Bootcamp VIFF, May 15, 2017
- Jury Richmond Youth Media Festival 2016
- Lecture Time Is Love: Cinema & Empathy Glenwood Centre, Vancouver, April 30, 2016

Media

- "Dekalog III" Criteria: The Catholic Film Podcast October 2020
- "What Does 'Cinematic' Mean?" Film Formally Podcast September 2020
- "Passing Summer: Kurt Walker on S01E03" interview, VIFF Blog, June 25, 2020
- "A Man for All Seasons" Criteria: The Catholic Film Podcast June 2020
- "Shorter Letters: Highlights from the Year in Canadian Shorts" *Cinema Scope* Josh Cabrita, Issue 77 (Winter 2019)
- "Nathan Douglas" Filmed in Canada Podcast Alexander Cairns, Nov. 21, 2017
- "Jesus of Montreal" Filmed in Canada Podcast Alexander Cairns, Oct. 25, 2017