Joshua Linder

Filmmaker Resume

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Joshua is passionate about the story told in every one of his shots. He has worked on large films, short films, big commercials, intensive documentaries and eccentric music videos with big name stars, prominent TV stations and blue-chip corporations. He is happy to work with you in achieving your final goal, which will always have a beautiful visual story completed in a timely manner.

Feature Film

**Data** Director

 The director of a 20 million USD film about a High-Tech Sci-Fi drama (currently in development)

**色海** Lighting Technician

Gear provider and technician for a one-month period helping the cinematographer of a 50 million USD film directed by the highly acclaimed director Han Han to achieve advanced lighting setups.

**Beijing Girl** Director of Photography

 A highly relatable independent Feature Film directed by Wei Wei Si

**Waiting for Kiarostami** Director of Photography

 Award winning film about the impact of Abbas Kiarostami as directed by Iranian director Hossein Khandan

**Black Panther**  Lighting Assistant

 Marvel’s Hollywood Blockbuster: Assistant to Mike Ambrose of the Local 728

Commercial

**Apple** Producer/Cinematographer

 The producer and cinematographer of the launch video for the most prominent Apple store in China. Worked directly with Apple’s media team to achieve their very high standard of video quality.

**Universal Studios Beijing** Key Gaffer

 The leader of the lighting team for a big budget commercial involving two very large green screen setups and a team of 20 in my division alone. This involved research into the latest media technology to achieve an advanced interactive lighting setup.

**Canon China C500mii** Key Gaffer

 The leader of the lighting team for Director/DoP LuoPan 罗攀, who is largely considered china’s best cinematographer. The project was for the launch of Canon’s C500mii campaign.

**KPMG** Producer/Director/DoP

 Team leader for a series of more than a dozen corporate videos done for the corporate client, including interviews, key speeches, and livestreaming.

**International Olympic Committee** Director/Director of Photography

 Produced and shot the recap video for the Olympic Committee

**JAC Car Commercial** DoP/Russian Arm Op

 The action unit cinematographer for a challenging car sequence

**Huawei Honor P20** Director/ Director of Photography

 A spot for Southeast Asia for the phone brand

**Josh and Marcel Talk Gear** Producer/Videographer/Creator

 Grew a Douyin page from 30 to 180K fans and millions of views. The show is the highest quality and best regarded gear review show in China. Has led to a major shift in how gear and tech reviews and marketing in general is done in China.

**Xiaomi Photography Phone Campaign** Gaffer

 Studio lighting for commercial high-key shoot

**SoundLink** Director/DoP/Editor

 High tech mobile software advertisement

**Squad Wars** Director/Director of Photography

 Mobile game advertisement

**Z Studio** Director of Photography/Steadicam

 1.5-minute-long Steadicam shot

**Nestle for Ogilvy** Editor

 Artificial Intelligence product launch advertisement

**China Insurance Corporation**  Editor

 A ten-minute-long corporate manifesto

**UD Trucks** Editor

 Corporate video for Japanese truck company

**Magnum Ice Cream** Assistant Director

 Commercial starring Li BingBing

Short Film

**Tungatsku** Producer/Key Gaffer

 Canon sponsored this big budget, pretentious, alien short film directed by Luo Pan

**Chopstick Brother’s “I Love You”** Key Gaffer

 Music Video for China’s biggest duo

**Dating Hotel** Director, Gaffer

 VR short film with FXG, Quasar Science

**The Shell** Director

 VR short film in collaboration with FXG Studio. Selected to be screened at the Shanghai International Film Festival.

**Butcher’s Guide** Key Gaffer

 Winner of Best Technical Lighting Award

**Marginal Man** Director of Photography

 20 minute Chinese language short film directed by Karl White

**Reverse Prime** Director/Director of Photography

 Korean music video ranked Top 20 on Naever (Korean Music Platform)

**Boku No Revenge** Focus Puller/AD

 Anime style action short film by Zhou Said

**Detective Emma Watson** Director of Photography

 Detective mystery story starring Franz Rugamer

**Chinese Chives** Director/Camera Operator

 Satire about Chinese dating culture

**One Love** Director of Photography

 Hip Hop music video for Jackson Turner

**Toxic** Director of Photography/Gaffer

 Avant Garde music video for GuiGuiSuiSui

TV Series

**Agent 86** Director of Photography: 2nd Unit

 China-Tunisia Co-production directed by Bassam Khayati

**Go China** Assistant Director

 A travel series about China for an American TV station

Documentary

**Big in Beijing**  Director/Camera Operator

 Documentary about Beijing’s young, rich, and ambitious

**Middle Me 30**+ Director of Photography

 Two episodes in a series about Chinese movie stars and their thoughts on getting older, the pressures, fears, and joys that come with it. These episodes starred Wu Jingyan and each had over 5 million views online in the first week.

**Friso Milk Formula** Director/Camera Operator

 Corporate Documentary for Black and Cameron about milk powder in China on 11/11.

**Windfall Films Documentary (name: TBA)** Director/Director of Photography

 Documentary film about Beijing’s tallest tower

**Traveling China** Key Gaffer/AC

 Amazon Prime travel show for American viewers

**PBS (Sarah Brightman Tour)**  Camera Operator

 Interviews for the American television network focusing on the fine arts

**Phoenix TV (Chinatowns Abroad)** Camera Operator

 Documentary about ethnic Chinese people working in Europe

Travel/Reality/News

**Business of Fashion** Director of Photography

 Beijing unit: Segment on Angelica Cheung of Vogue

**German Documentary** Director of Photography

 A feature documentary about the German Economy Minister’s relations in China

**Bar Biz**  Director/Camera Operator

 A 5-part series on the business of nightlife in Beijing.

**Beijing ExCurdsion** Director/Camera Operator

 A travel video series about cheese

**China Price Watch** Producer/Lead Content Creator

 A 30-minute news show running 5 days a week for 2 years

**Foreign Bodies**  Data Wrangler/DIT

 TV drama airing on Channel 4 in the UK

**Other Outstanding Experience**

The founder and manager of the office for a major Hollywood hardware company

**Joshua’s Kit:**

+has extensive knowledge on where and how to access almost any gear in China

+resources for finding high-end and hard to find gear from suppliers

Usually has on hand
200 Quasar Science Rainbows
20 Arri Skypanels
5 Arri m18
Basic Grip Gear

Several Canon, Sony, Panasonic DSLR cameras with all accessories

Specialized Skills

Quasar Science Lighting Rigs

Live event shoots

Green screen lighting

Steadicam Operator

 Arri Trinity, Steadicam M-1, Movcam

Drone Pilot

 DJI Products (Inspire, Phantom, Mavic)

Russian Arm (Car Rig)

Ronin Operator

MOVI Operator

Cameras

RED: Epic, Epic-X, Epic-W, Raven, Scarlet, Helium

Arri: Alexa, Alexa Mini, Amira, Alexa LF, Classic

Canon: C300, C500, 5D, 7D

Sony: FS7, FX9, A7 series

Panasonic: ENG News Cameras, GH4, GH5, S1h

Academia

American University

 Bachelor of Arts

Chinese University of Hong Kong

Haifa University

Beijing Film Academy

 Guest Lecturer for 3 years on Lighting and Cinematography