



Abbe Hassan

Director, producer and screenwriter Abbe Hassan is the producer behind the critically acclaimed feature film *A Hustler's Diary* (2017), which became one of the most successful Swedish films of the year. He has directed several short films, the latest being *Gold* (2017), which won 'Best Short Film' at the prestigious Toronto International Film Festival Kids, and the **Grand Short Film Prize** at the 2018 Seoul Guro International Kids Film Festival. Hassan's debut feature film *Exodus* opened Gothenburg Film Festival in 2023 and was met with great reviews.

2020 saw the premiere of *A Hustler's Diary - The Series*, a stand-alone series based on the hit movie of the same title. The popular comedy-drama is directed by Hassan and Ivica Zubak. Hassan is also director of the new SVT dramedy *Älskade Samir* which premiered in May 2023.

In his films, Hassan strives to depict an intriguing and true-to-reality image of contemporary society, working with original voices and stories to combine quality with commercial appeal.

Besides working with feature and short films, Hassan has produced over sixty commercials in the last seven years, and is one of the founders of the production company Indian Summer Film.

Awards

Gothenburg Film Festival Nominee (Dragon Award Best Nordic Film) Sweden - <i>Exodus</i>	2023
The Giffoni International Film Festival Nominee (Best Short Film) Italy - <i>Gold</i>	2018
Seoul Guro International Kids Film Festival (Grand Short Film Prize) South Korea - <i>Gold</i>	2018
Toronto International Kids Film Festival (Best Short Film) Canada - <i>Gold</i>	2018

Filmography

Älskade Samir (TV Series) (Comedy, Drama) - Director	2023
Exodus (Feature film) (Drama) - Director	2023

Måste gitt - serien A Hustler's Diary - The Series <i>(TV Series) (Comedy, Drama) - Director</i>	2020
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Gold <i>(Short) (Drama) - Director, Writer</i>	2018
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Men <i>(Short) (Drama) - Director, Writer</i>	2012
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Cedra <i>(Short) (Drama, Fantasy) - Director, Writer</i>	2007
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Blåljus Copped <i>(Short) (Comedy) - Director, Writer</i>	2004