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**STEELE  
STRIDE**  
CINEMATOGRAPHER

## RECENT WORK

- **DTCM – DUBAI TOURISM COMMERCIAL**  
DIRECTOR / DOP / AERIALS CAMERA OPERATOR /  
CINEFLEX OPERATOR  
Shotover F1+ Alexa Mini + Fujinon 19-90mm
- **BRABUS – CAR COMMERCIAL**  
ULTIMATE ARM CAMERA OPERATOR  
Ultimate Arm + Maximus + Red Ranger Helium + Fujinon 19-90mm
- **WILL SMITH - YOUTUBE SERIES  
“BEST SHAPE OF MY LIFE”**  
UNDERWATER OPERATOR  
Gates Housing - Red Gemini + Arri 16mm MP
- **YAS ISLAND – ALDAR PROPERTY COMMERCIAL**  
GIMBAL OPERATOR  
Ronin 2 + Alexa Mini LF – Cooke Anamorphic SF 25mm
- **ADIDAS - COMMERCIAL “BEYOND THE SURFACE”**  
UNDERWATER OPERATOR  
Gates Housing - Alexa Mini LF – Cooke Anamorphic SF 32mm

## EDUCATION

AFDA Film School  
BA Honour Degree: Motion Picture

Trinity College London  
Program: Effective Communication

St Andrew College  
Certificate of Higher Education: High School

## DIVING

PADI Advanced Open Water  
Nitrox Specialty  
PADI Freediver

## SKILLS + INFO

Cinematography (Lighting & Composition)  
Camera Operator & Technician  
Underwater Cinematography  
Aerial Operator  
Remote Head & Gimbal Operator / Tech  
Editing & Post-production Workflow

## TECHNICAL

- **REMOTE HEAD SYSTEMS**  
Profficient in Operating:  
Shotover F1/ K1/ G1 | Spacecam Maximus7  
Cineflex Ultra Flight Head | Ultimate Head
- **UNDERWATER**  
Profficient in Operating and Teching GATES Housings for:  
Alexa Mini | RED Weapon | Phantom Flex4K | Sony F55
- **CAMERA**  
Experience working with:  
**ARRI:** Alexa Mini LF | Alexa Mini | Amira   **Sony:** Venice | FX9 | A1  
**Phantom:** Flex4K | Flex2K | Miro   **RED:** Monstro | Gemini | Helium

## AWARDS

- **WINNER OF DUBAI LYNX AWARD** – Underwater cinematography for Adidas “Beyond the surface” commercial.
- **EMMY NOMINEE (Runner-up)** – AMERICAN SURVIVIOR NIGUARAGUA – Camera Operator

## EXPERIENCE

- **Dubai Film LLC - Head of Camera Department | DOP**  
01/2018 - Current
  - DOP for various international & local feature films, commercials, Netflix series, documentaries and branded online content.
  - Supervision and mentoring of entire in-house camera rental department crew.
  - Conduct R&D, procurement and testing of current and upcoming camera and grip equipment to ensure Dubai Film maintains its reputation as the premier rental facility in the UAE.
  - Managing and operating all specialized equipment, i.e., camera, lenses, gimbal & remote heads, underwater cinematography, aerial drone & head operating
- **PANGA PICTURES - Founder | DOP | Director**
  - I started a small production company in South Africa that had various clients ranging from commercials and documentaries to YouTube and Netflix series.
- **GEAR CHECK REMOTE HEAD SYSTEMS - Co-Founder**
  - I co-founded a rentals gear house in South Africa which provided cinema equipment to the industry.

## REFERENCES

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