

David Keating

Writer / Director

Film director and screenwriter, David also directs theatre. His writing includes work for Columbia/Sony Pictures, Miramax and on Jim Sheridan's script for INTO THE WEST with Gabriel Byrne and Ellen Barkin. David has directed three features films, THE LAST OF THE HIGH KINGS, (Miramax / IFB) with Jared Leto, Gabriel Byrne and Christina Ricci. WAKE WOOD (Hammer / IFB, Vertigo) with Timothy Spall, Aidan Gillen and Eva Birthistle. And CHERRY TREE (MPI / IFB) – with Naomi Battrick and Anna Walton. As a lecturer and project mentor David has worked with Oxford University's Green Templeton College and run workshops as a BAFTA Guru, for Channel 4's 'Random Acts', and for the Irish Film Board. He has been a mentor on script development programmes including Moonstone and Equinoxe. David is currently developing film and television drama projects including the feature film TOO COOL based on the novel by Duff Brenna set in 1980s Colorado – a romance in the world of teenage car thieves.

FEATURE FILM

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2015	CHERRY TREE	Irish Film Board / Dark Sky Films	Director. Horror film. Opened London Fright Fest.
2010/11	THE WAKEWOOD	Hammer Films	Director Psychological thriller.
1997	WHERE DO I BEGIN	Irish Film Board / RTE	Director. About his grandfather, the painter Sean Keating, and about the relationship between father and sons. Selected for the INPUT TV Festival in Nantes.
1996	THE LAST OF THE HIGH KINGS	Irish Film Board / Echo Bridge Home Entertainment	Co-wrote with Gabriel Byrne. Miramax, starring Jared Leto, Christina Ricci, Gabriel Byrne and Catherine O'Hara. Received nomination for '97 Evening Standard Film Awards "Best Newcomer"

TELEVISION

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2004	KM64: BIRTH OF A SKATEPARK	Clockwork Films / Network Ireland Television	Director. 70min documentary.
1992	INTO THE WEST	Miramax / Channel Four Films / AMBI Group	Writer. Additional writing credit with Jim Sheridan. Directed by Mike Newell Starring Gabriel Byrne and Ellen Barkin.

THEATRE

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2000	ENTERTAINING MR SLOANE	Andrews Lane Theatre	Director.