# Sebastian Godwin

# Director

## **TELEVISION**

PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
THE BAY (Series IV)	ITV	Episodes 1, 2 & 3

#### FEATURE FILM

PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
HOMEBOUND	SUMS Film and Media/ Film London/Microwave	Writer and Director
		Official Selection Fantastic Fest 2021 Official Selection Beyond Fest 2021

#### **SCREENPLAY**

PRODUCTION (ROLE)	PROJECT DETAILS
LETS GO PLAY AT THE ADAMS'	Adaptation of novel

# SHORT FILM



2008	THE RAIN HORSE	UK Film Council / BBC Films / Film London	Prod. Hugo Godwin  Executive Prods. Matthew Vizard and Beth Pattinson  Starring Jason Isaacs  Based on a short story by Ted Hughes  A father takes his children on holiday to Wales only to be terrorised by a wild horse  Selected for 16th Raindance Film Festival and Times BFI London Film Festival
2008	THREE MINUTE WONDER: NIGHT HAUNTS	Tigerlily Films / Channel	Prod. Hugo Godwin  Executive Prod. Natasha Dack  "The music sounds like a city breathing in its sleep, and each story has something slightly unsettling about it. Night Haunts gives your imagination elbow room. And, just above and below the elbow, goose bumps." Nancy Banks-Smith, The Guardian  "something of a revelation. The four short films are dreamy, eerie, occasionally sad, but always intelligent" Ben Marshall, Guardian Unlimited
2007	THE GIRLS	UK Film Council / Film London	Prod. Hugo Godwin  Executive Prod. Natasha Dack  Based on the short story Growing Up by Joyce Cary  Two sisters are playing in the garden when their father returns home. As dusk falls the atmosphere darkens.  Funded by the UK Film Council's Digital Shorts scheme  Represented aboard by The British Council  Screened at over 25 international festivals including Edinburgh, London, Krakow, Sao Paolo and Milan  BIFA Nomination for Best UK Short Film  Nominated for Best UK Short Film, 15th Raindance Film Festival  Winner Dead by Dawn Award, London Short Film Festival
2006	THE END OF THE PARTY	PWSFTViT	19 mins Prod. Hugo Godwin A film about a boy with a paralysing fear of the dark Adapted from Graham Greene's short story The End of the Party Funded by The David Lean Foundation and The Leverhulme Trust Winner: Best Student Short, Rome Independent Film Festival Winner: Audience Prize Best Short Film, 27th Cambridge Film Festival

2004 THE LAND OF POLAND PWSFTVIT

22 mins

Documentary film about a group of Roma Gypsies in southern Poland

The film is distributed by the British Council

Festivals include:

International Documentary Film Festival Amsterdam (IDFA)

Documenta Madrid, Spain

Amnesty International Film Festival, USA Ismailia International Film Festival, Egypt Parnu International Film Festival, Estonia

2002 TOO CLOSE TO THE

BONE

Talamasca Productions

10 mins

A film about the memories of a dying man with an original score by George Fenton

Festivals include:

Brooklyn International Film Festival

15th Foyle Film Festival

## SKILLS / QUALIFICATIONS

#### EDUCATION:

Polish National Film School (PWSFTViT), Lodz

Directing - 2 year special course funded with a Leverhulme 'Study Abroad' Scholarship, 2004 - 2006

Magdalene College, University of Cambridge - BA Hons History of Art (2:1), 1998 - 2001

St. Albans School, St Albans, 1992 - 1999

GCE Advanced Level English Literature (A), History (A), R.S (A)

GCE – Special Level English Literature (Distinction), 1997