# LAWRENCE CARMICHAEL

### Performer - Director - Movement - Workshop Artist

#### **QUALIFICATIONS**

Intimacy Direction - Intimacy for Stage & Screen Fight Director/Coordinator, Instructor - Society of Australian Fight Directors Stage Combat Instructor - British Academy Dramatic Combat (BADC) Instructor - Martial Arts - (Black Belt/Tip) - Sanjuro Vocal Musicianship - Level 6 - Australian Music Examination Board BA - Acting - QUT Academy of the Arts, Australia D2 Fellow - Higher Education Academy (HEA)

#### **FURTHER EDUCATION & TRAINING**

Meisner Technique - Actors Temple London Improvisation - Tom Dunstin - QUT Clown, Mask & Commedia Del Arte - Steve Gration - QUT Contact Improvisation - London Contract Improv Centre - London Physical Theatre & Stunts - IOSP Paddy Crean Workshops Canada Motion Capture - Captivate Action Ltd Suzuki Method Movement - Ichiro Nakayama Martial Arts - Sanjuro, Bob Breen Academy, Urban Warriors Academy Singing - Opera/MT/Rock - Janice Light (Opera Australia) - 8 years Dance - Jazz & Contemporary - Sydney Dance Company - 4 years



### ACTING (abridged)

#### **THEATRE**

VIOLENCE & SON (Standing Ov. Nom.) THE LIFE (musical - 4 Offie Nom.) THE TEMPEST THE CLOCKMAKERS DAUGHTER KING LEAR ON THE ROPES SOUTH PACIFIC (Barbican & Uk) HOLDING THE MAN (West End) HONK! (musical) THE THREEPENNY OPERA ACCIDENTAL DEATH OF AN ANARCHIST KING LEAR (2 seasons) GUN IN CHEEK - Aust & Asian Tour GREAT STAGE OF FOOLS - Tour KING LEAR (2 seasons) **ROMEO & JULIET** HAMLET (2 seasons) A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM THE SERVANT OF TWO MASTERS **LOVE PUKE** DOG HANDLERS DREAM

#### **TELEVISION**

MISFITS (ep 38) DOUBLE THE FIST (SERIES 2) **ALL SAINTS** DOUBLE THE FIST WATER RATS **HOME & AWAY** 

#### **FILM**

**CINDERELLA** NICE GUY RISE OF THE KRAYS **DOMESTIC** THE FRUITS OF POWER

Rick Snickers Caliban Abraham - The Clockmaker Ensemble / Show Director Understudy - Full Ensemble CAT (Lead) Ned/Constable Superintendent Goneril (sex reversed) Kaiser/The Singer Various Roles Cornwall Tybalt Laertes/Player King Lysander Silvio Glen/Narrator Ross

Panda - Revesby Leader Terrorist/Martial Artist

Bar Thug

Rick Spencer

Mick

Nigel

Sword Fighter Trouble Maker In The Club Billy Carmichael Kyle (Lead) Skip/Narrator

Fricative Theatre dir. Aaron Blakledge Southwark Theatre dir. Michael Blakemore Shakespeare Direct Cockpit Theatre Landor Theatre dir. Rob McWhir. King Lear - Replacing David Ryall Darker Purpose Productions dir. Lewis Reynolds The Salon Collective / Theatre Delicatessen Ensemble - Billis/StewPot/Adams ATG & Lincoln Centre Productions dir.Barton Sher Holding The Man Prod. dir. David Berthold Simply Theatre Europe dir. Alex Worrall Queensland State Theatre Co. dir. Chris Johnston CUT Theatre (Sydney & Melb) dir. Megan Finlay **CUT Theatre** dir. Megan Finlay StrutFret Prod dir. Liesel Bodorrek StrutFret Prod dir. Liesel Bodorrek **Harlos Productions** dir. David Ritchie Italian Forum dir. Chris Johnson National Stage Co. dir. Tim Elston Australian Shakespeare Fest. dir. Sean Newey **QPAT & QUT** dir. Steven Gration Queensland State Theatre Co. dir. Steven Gration METRO Theatre Qld dir. Simon Burke

> Fistworthy Productions/ABC dir. Bryan Moses Channel 7 Australia dir. Various Fistworthy Productions dir. Brian Moses Channel 7 Australia dir. Richard Sarell Channel 7 Australia dir. Various

dir. Renny Harlin

E4 / Clerkenwell Films

Disney dir. Kenneth Branagh Red Bike Films dir. Pascal Bergamin Torn Pictures dir. Z. Alder Texas Films dir. Katie Hides Spring Productions dir. Sarah Spillane

## DIRECTING, WRITING, PRODUCTION

'Street Songs' (Musical) - Dir
Theatre
Square Jaw Prod. - London
'Dinner With Friends' - Dir
Theatre
Theatre
FrontFoot/Union - London
Theatre (Offie & Broadway World Nom.)FrontFoot/Union - London

'The Break-Up Autopsy' - Dir Theatre Square Jaw Prod. - London 'Richard III' - Dir Theatre (Offie Nom.) Front Foot/Cockpit - London

'Shakespeare Direct - Acts of Love' - Dir Theatre Wilderness Festival

'NCMA Best Practices' - Prod/Edit/Dir Film Documentary (15 eps) National Child Minding Assoc. UK

'Random Acts of Shakespeare' - Dir

Theatre

Rational Child Militaling

Rath Literary Festival

'On The Ropes' - Dir **Devised Immersive Theatre** Theatre Delicatessen 'Momentum' - Dir Theatre Red Lion Theatre 'The Show Girl' - Dir Theatre **ACP Theatre London** 'Paws' - Dir/Writ Short Film Simply Theatre - Switzerland 'Earnie's Incredible Illusions' - Dir Children's Theatre Simply Theatre - Switzerland Simply Theatre - Switzerland 'Mother Figure' - Dir Children's Theatre

'Pineapple' - Dir Short Film Simply Theatre - Switzerland 'Think Big' - Dir Theatre Newtown Theatre

'Domestic' - Dir & Co-Story Theatre Seymour Centre - Short & Sweet

'Doubt' - Dir Theatre Newtown Theatre

'The Last Chocolate' - Dir/Writ/Prod Short Film Trop Fest/ Enter The Dragon Festival

'The Fruits Of Power' – Co-Writ/Co-Prod Film Trop Fest

'The Person I Once Was' - Dir Theatre Australian Institute of Music 'With All My Heart I Hate You' - Dir Theatre Australian Institute of Music

### FIGHT, INTIMACY, STUNT, MOVEMENT

FIGHT/INTIMACY DIRECTOR - INSTRUCTOR - FIGHT/STUNT PERFORMER

Qualified By - BADC, SAFDI, I INTIMACY ON STAGE & SCREEN

#### **TRAINING & QUALIFICATION TIMELINE**

1998 Stage Combat Instructorship Certification (SAFDi)

2000 Fight Direction Workshop I – Independent & Approved Theatre Only (SAFDi)
 2003 Fight Director Workshop II – Full Equity Theatre Qualification (SAFDi)

2013 Stage Combat Instructorship UK (BADC)

2020 Intimacy Direction Certification - Intimacy On Stage & Screen UK

2021 Intimacy Coordination Recognition - BECTU UK

#### STYLES EXPERIENCE & TRAINING

Unarmed, Clown/Slapstick, Falls, Eastern Martial Arts, Wrestling/Grappling, Domestic/Sexual Violence, Body Stunts, Knife Fighting, Theatrical Sword Fighting of all styles, Actor Lifting, Falling & Flying.

EAST 15 Fight, Dance Othello Fight, Slapstick Semi Monde EAST 15 Slapstick Comedy, Clown Alice In Wonderland EAST 15 General Movement A Christmas Carol EAST 15 Intimacy, Fight Strangers In Between LAMBCO Prod. Intimacy, Fight Violence And Son Fricative Prod.

Intimacy, Fight, Stunt (film coordination) Dali (Feature film) Palm Haven Studios LA.

Intimacy, Fight Oil Dir. Andrea Lee Intimacy, Fight Hamlet EAST 15 Intimacy, Fight, Animal, Movement First Love Is A Revolution Dir. Andrea Lee Intimacy, Fight **Bad Roads** EAST 15 Intimacy, Fight, Character EAST 15 King Lear Festen EAST 15

Intimacy, Fight Intimacy, Fight **Dinner With Friends** Front Foot Prod. Co. Intimacy, Fight Star Crossed Wilton's Intimacy, Fight, Commedia Tartuffe EAST 15 Intimacy, Fight, Character Epiphany EAST 15 Movement - Theatre Rabbit Hole Front Foot Prod.

Fight, Stunt - Feature Film Mogul Mowgli (Riz Ahmed - Feature) Pulse Fims, BBC Films

Fight / Stunt - Music Video Fire In Me (John Newman) Partizan Prod. Stunt (TV Commercial) Carp Wars Viasat Limited. Intimacy, Fight, Movement DEA dir. Edward Bond Fight & Stunt Performance - Feature Film. Rise Of The Foot Soldier III Carnaby Films Fight/Movement Director Richard III Front Foot Prod Co- Film Fight / Safety - Feature Film Obev The Big House Prod. Movement Director - Theatre Judith dir. Robyn Winfield-Smith Fight Director - Theatre The Life dir. Michael Blakemore dir. Robyn Winfield-Smith Movement Director - Theatre Woycheck King Lear Darker Purpose Productions Fight Director & Actor Movement Director On The Ropes Salon Collective Movement Director - Opera Tosca Opera Up Close - Euro Tour Fight Performer - TV Episode Misfits Channel E4 Fight & Safety Co-ordinator - TV Series Heroes of The Muslim World MBC TV Moroco Fight & Safety Co-ordinator - Feature Film CVZ Prod. - Matthias Hoene Cockneys vs Zombies Movement Director - Opera Madam Butterfly Opera Up Close Fight Director - Theatre Olly's Prison dir. Edward Bond Fight Director - Theatre The Pope's Wedding dir. Edward Bond Fight Director - Theatre There Will Be More dir. Adam Spreadbury Fight Director - Opera Don Giovanni Longborough Festival Fight Director - Feature Film Je Suis Daddy Paternal Ltd Fight & Safety Co-ordinator - Film You're The Stranger Here 011 Productions & Film 4 Fight & Safety Co-ordinator – TV Full Series Double The Fist - Series 2 Fistworthy Prod. / ABC TV Replacement Fight Director - Theatre Othello - National Tour Bell Shakespeare Fight Director - Theatre Romeo & Juliet Shakespeares Globe Trust Aust Fight Director - Theatre The Bourgeois Gentleman Sydney Theatre Company Fight Director - Theatre Shopping & F\*\*king NIDA dir. Lee Lewis Fight Director - Theatre **Titus Andronicus** Shakespeares Globe Trust Aust Company B dir. Neil Armfield Fight Director - Theatre Perebanez Fight Director - Theatre NIDA dir. Aubrey Mellor Hamlet Fight Director - Theatre Romeo & Juliet NIDA dir. Gale Edwards Movement Director - Theatre Lord Of The Flies The Group/Griffin Fight Director - Theatre Silence B Sharp dir. Tanya Denny Fight & Safety - TV Commercial Jungle Boys Productions Stolen Glass Fight Director - Opera Opera Australia Romeo & Juliet Fight Director - Theatre B Sharp Edmond Fight Director - Film Texas Films/Spring Prod. Domestic Fight & Safety - Film Unmade Bed **AFTRS** Fight Director - Theatre Queen Lear **CUT Theatre Company** Fight Director – Theatre Ray's Tempest dir. Richard Roxborough Fight Director - Opera Carmen Opera Australia Fight Performance - Television All Saints Channel Seven Fight Director - Film Afterlife **AFTRS** Fight Director Midsummer Night's Dream NIDA Fight Director/Performer Queen Lear **CUT Theatre Company** Slapstick & Safety What The Butler Saw Company B - Belvoir Fight Director - Television Fistworthy Productions - ABC Double The Fist Fight Director The Lieutenant Of Innishmore Belvoir dir. Neil Armfield Fight Director Holy Day Sydney Theatre Company Venetian Carnival Fight Director Musica Viva Fight Director Der Meistersinger Opera Australia Fight Director Hamlet Harlos Productions Fight Director/Performer Accidental Death of An Anarchist **CUT Theatre Company** The Way Of The World Fight Director Sydney Theatre Company

Fight Director Don Giovanni Opera Australia Reflective Films

Harlos Productions

RMK / David Atkins

Quasi motto Productions

After Glow Prod.

CUT Theatre Co.

The Italian Forum

**CUT Theatre** 

**NEW Theatre** 

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**CUT Theatre** 

Fight Performer (Film) The Secret Of A Glass Of Water

Fight Director King Lear

Fight Director Be 4 Love (Montreal Film Festival) (Film) Fight Director/Performer Aggravated Assault

Co Fight Choreographer/Performer Singing in The Rain

Fight Director/Performer King Lear Fight Director/Performer Romeo & Juliet Fight Director – Theatre Othello

Fight Director - Theatre Macbeth Fight Director - Theatre The Removalist Fight Director - Theatre **Black Comedy** 

Fight Director - Theatre Othello National Stage Company

### TEACHING

#### **CURRENT & ONGOING**

**Body-Mind-Voice** Impulse Movement, Meisner Technique, Intimacy & Consent

**EAST 15 (University of Essex)** Lecturer of Movement - Intimacy, Stage Combat,

Commedia del Arte, Flying/Physical theatre

Movement Direction on Productions

**Identity School of Acting** Movement, Animal, Character, Mask, Improvisation

**ID** Fight Stage Combat Instructor, Film Fight Coordinator

IN THE PAST

2018 - 20 Spotlight Industry Workshops - Meisner Technique, Mask Work

2018 - 20 Paddy Crean International Sword Fighting, Stunt, Movement, Film Fighting

Stunt/Fight Workshop - Canada

2016 - 20 DAP International residencies Commedia Del Arte - Mask & Character Work London, Egypt & Dubai Shakespeare, Physical Theatre

2013 - 20 Salon Collective Meisner Technique Acting Teacher, Head of Movement & Voice.

Shakespeare in Performance

2009-14 Young Blood - Fight School Instructor, Workshop Development, Fight Direction, Film Fight Coordinator

2009-18 Simply Theatre Academy Switzerland Course Writer, Performance Teacher, Director

2010 **Rose Bruford Academy** Stage Combat

1997-07 National Institute of Dramatic Art - NIDA

**University of Western Sydney The Australian Actors Centre** Australian Institute of Music

**Opera Australia Brent Street Studios** 

**Sydney Stage Combat School** The Actors Pulse Studio

**KCA Studios** 

Stage Combat, Fight Direction For Productions Movement Lecturer, Stage Combat, BA Drama

Acting, Stage Combat.

Acting Lecturer, BA Music Theatre Diploma Opera Stage Fighting, Physical Safety & Movement for Singers

Stage Combat, Drama, Acting For Camera Certification Instructor, Examiner, Fight Director Stage Combat Certifications/ Fight Director

Studio Director/Senior Teacher - Course Writer Film Making, Acting, Singing, Improv, Movement