

## CV

### EDUCATION:

M.F.A., Dramatic Writing Program, Tisch School of The Arts, NYU, New York, 1995  
B.S, Polytechnic University, St.Petersburg, Russia, 1991

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

<b>Visiting Assistant Professor Of Film</b> St.Lawrence University	NY, 2017 - Present
<b>PT Associate Professor of Screenwriting and Film</b> The New School University	NY, 2001 – Present
<b>PT Professor of Screenwriting</b> Montclair State University	NJ, 2005 - Present
<b>Guest Lecturer</b> University of Rhode Island	RI, 2013 - Present
<b>Guest Faculty</b> IFS (International Film School)	Cologne, Germany, 2013
<b>Visiting Fulbright Professor, Playwriting</b>	State Academy Of Theatre Art St.Petersburg, 2005-2006 2002 – 2004
<b>Professor of Film and Playwriting</b> Savannah College of Art and Design	Columbus, OH, 2002
<b>Visiting Professor of Playwriting</b> Ohio State University	St.Petersburg, 1998-2000
<b>Professor of Playwriting</b> Summer Literary Seminar, International School for Writers,	

### FEATURE FILMS:

<b><i>Buddha's Little Finger</i></b>	Co-Writer	Rohfilm/Telefilm, Germany- Canada, 2016
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### SHORT FILMS:

<b><i>Sea Child</i></b>	Writer/Director	ZulutimeMedia/ Cuckoo'sNestFilms Colombia - NYC
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Accolades Competition Award  
Fantasia IFF, Montreal  
Toronto IFF  
Aesthetica SIFF, UK  
Festival International Signes de Nuit, Paris  
Jaipur IFF, WDIFF, India, etc.

Distributed by:  
TV Shorts International, UK  
Gonella Productions, France  
FilmMakers Coop, US

***Lullaby for Ray***

Writer/Director

Cuckoo's Nest Films, 2011

Best Short Film at Toronto IFF  
Best Short at ITN IFF  
Accolade Competition Award  
Maverick Film Award  
Atlantic Film Festival  
HBO NYL Festival  
SaFilm  
Cyprus IFF, etc.  
Distributed by:  
TV Shorts International, UK  
Play Festival Film, US

***Xtina and Nikki***

Writer

Laughing Donut, 2010

Silver Creative Spirit Award  
for Creativity/Originality  
Cyprus International Film Festival  
New Fest. NY  
New Filmmakers Fest, NY  
Festival Du Cinema de Paris

***The Silent Love of the Fish***

Writer

LuLu Films, 2004

Best Short, Hamptons IFF  
Best Short, Long Island IFF  
Finalist George Méliès short film award,  
Chicago IFF  
Taos Talking Picture Festival  
The Santa Fe Film Festival  
Television premiere on Channel Thirteen's, Reel New York

**ACCOLADES:**

**Bogliasco Foundation, Fellowship  
In Screenwriting**

The Bogliasco Foundation  
2016

**Brown Foundation Fellowship/  
Residency at Dora Maar House**

Houston Museum of Fine Arts

**Kesselring Award**

Dramatists Guild of America, 2014.

**Production Award  
For *Lullaby for Ray***

Foundation for Contemporary Art, 2011

**Fulbright Scholar Award  
for Lecturing/Research**

Russia and Germany, 2006

**James Thurber  
Fellowship in Playwriting**

James Thurber House/  
Ohio State University

**Artist in Residence**  
2000

Mac Dowell Foundation, 2009, 2002,

**Artist in Residence**

Yaddo Foundation, 1998

**Walter E. Dakin  
Fellowship in Playwriting**

Sewanee Writers' Conference, 2000

**Jerome Fellowship in  
Playwriting**

Jerome Foundation/Playwrights' Center  
Minneapolis, 1998

**NYFA Fellowship in Playwriting**  
ArtsLink Project Grant

New York Foundation For the Arts, 1998  
NEA, Trust for Mutual Understanding,  
1994

**Artist in Residence**  
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La Fragua Foundation, Spain, 2013  
Millay Colony, December 1997  
Ragdale Foundation, 1996

### **THEATRE PRODUCTIONS:**

**Eden**

Chashama, 2007;  
English Theatre, Berlin, Germany, 2006

**Red Blues**

The American Place Theatre, February-  
March 2002

***Christina***

Soho Rep Theater, New York, January  
2005

***Mitya's Ordeal***

Lincoln Center Theater *Brothers  
Karamazov* Festival, New York, 1998

***King Of Rats***

Soho Rep Theater (produced by New  
Georges), New York, May -June 1997  
PlayLabs, Playwrights' Center,  
Minneapolis, 1996

### **BOOKS:**

***Red Blues***  
***Day Four*** (bilingual edition)

New York, Holmes and Maier, 2002  
Russian Poetry Fund, St. Petersburg,  
Russia, 2000

### **OTHER PUBLICATIONS:**

***Christina***  
***King of Rats***  
***Eden,***  
***Time and the Beast***

Indie Theatre Now, 2014  
Indie Theatre Now, 2013  
Indie Theatre Now, 2013  
Indie Theatre Now, 2013

*In Thin Air*  
*King of Rats*  
2006

Zeek Magazine, NY, 2008  
Baltic Seasons, St.Petersburg, Russia,