

Nicholas Brooks

Freelance | UK and US Citizen | Los Angeles, CA.

Senior VFX Supervisor | VFX Producer | 2nd Unit Director | Composer

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Snr. VFX Supervisor	2010	Twilight: Eclipse	David Slade	Summit Entertainment
	2009	Point Break Indo	Jan de Bont	Rescheduled
2002-Present	2008	The Nutcracker	Andrei Konchalovsky	Inde - Xmas 2010
	2004	Dreamkeeper	Steve Barron	ABC/Hallmark
	2002	Blade II	Guillermo del Toro	New Line Cinema
	1998	What Dreams May Come	Vincent Ward	PolyGram/Interscope

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1998-Present

Have worked across Film, Commercials and Gaming with a number of studios including: New Line Cinema, Interscope, Universal, Warner Bros, Partizan, Chiat-Day, Sony Computer Entertainment America, BBM&D, Wieden+Kennedy, JWT, HSI, RSA.

Stereo Conversion Supervisor

Overall creative and technical supervision of 2D to 3D feature conversion of the Nutcracker in 3D for Xmas 2010 release.

Music Video Director

Represented by Partizan. Directed and VFX produced 18 music videos for artists such as Rage against the Machine, Kings of Leon, Yoko Ono, KT Tunstall, Alan Jackson, Crazytown.

Mass Digital FX Supervisor | Digital Stage Manager | Lead Composer

Illusion
Lenox, MA.
1994-1998

Ran the Digital Dept, Software Development, Previs, Motion Capture and 3D integration to three Motion-Control stages.

Films include:

What Dreams May Come, The Matrix, The Eraser, Shadow Conspiracy, Judge Dredd, Die Hard III.

Cinesite Digital FX Supervisor | Lead Composer

London
1994

Films include:

First Knight, Burnt by the Sun, Restoration, The English Man who went up a mountain (and came down a mountain), No Escape.

CFC/ Digital FX Supervisor | Lead Composer

Framestore
London
1990-1994

Frankenstein, Much ado about Nothing, Hudsucker Proxy, Little: Buddha, Last Action Hero, Arizona Dream, Map of the Human Heart
The Secret Garden, Wuthering Heights, Muppet Xmas Carol, 1492, Conquest of Paradise, The Fisher King, Memphis Belle.

Awards
 Feature Film 2004 **Emmy Award for Outstanding Special VFX in a Mini-Series**
 2004 Nominated for Saturn Award for Special VFX in a Mini-Series
 1999 **Academy Award for Visual Effects**
 1999 Golden Satellite Award for Visual Effects
 1999 INA Imagina : PRIX PIXEL for Visual Effects
 1999 INA Imagina : Special PRIX PIXEL for Visual Research
 1999 Golden Nica : Visual Effect

Awards
 Music Video and Directing 2008 Nominated for MVPA Award for Best Visual Effect
 2002 Nominated MTV awards for best solo performance
 2002 Channel 4 and UK Film Council Completion Fund
 2001 Longest Running Video No.1 on MTV - 16 weeks
 2000 Grammy for Best Hard Rock Performance Video
 2000 Best Latin Performance Video - Dazed Magazine
 2000 Nominated MTV awards for best hard rock performance

Education M.A. Computer Art & Science from Middlesex Polytechnic, UK.
 B.A. (hons) Fine Art from Birmingham College of Art, UK

Feature Credits

2010	Twilight: Eclipse	David Slade	Snr. VFX Supervisor
2009	Point Break Indo	Jan de Bont	Snr. VFX Supervisor
2008	The Nutcracker	Andrei Konchalovsky	Snr. VFX Supervisor VFX Unit Director
2006	Live!	Bill Guttentag	Compositor
2005	Mr & Mrs Smith	Doug Liman	VFX Consult. (on-set)
2005	Idlewild	Bryan Barber	Compositor
2005	Constantine	Frances Lawrance	Compositor
2004	Dreamkeeper	Steve Barron	Snr. VFX Supervisor 2 nd Unit Director
2002	Blade II	Guillermo Del Toro	Snr. VFX Supervisor
2000	Monkeybone	Henry Selick	Compositor
1999	Fight Club	David Fincher	Compositor
1998	What Dreams May Come	Vincent Ward	Snr. VFX Supervisor
1996	Shadow Conspiracy	George Cosmatoc	Digital FX Supervisor
1996	The Matrix	Wachowski Bros.	Bullet Time Develop.
1996	The Eraser	Chuck Russell	Digital FX Supervisor
1995	Judge Dredd	Danny Canon	Snr. Digital FX Anim.
1995	Die Hard III	John McTiernan	Lead Compositor
1995	First Knight	Jerry Zucker	Digital FX Supervisor
1995	Restoration	Michael Hoffman	Lead Compositor
1995	The English Man	Chris Monger	Lead Compositor
1994	No Escape	Martin Campbell	Lead Compositor
1994	Frankenstein	Kenneth Branagh	Compositor
1993	Much ado about Nothing	Kenneth Branagh	Lead Compositor

1993	Hudsucker Proxy	Coen Bros.	Compositor
1993	Little Buddha	Bernardo Bertolucci	Compositor
1993	Last Action Hero	John McTiernan	Compositor
1993	Arizona Dream	Emir Kusturica	Compositor
1993	Map of the Human Heart	Vincent Ward	Lead Compositor
1993	The Secret Garden	Agnieszka Holland	Lead Compositor
1992	Wuthering Heights	Peter Kominsky	Lead Compositor
1992	Muppet Xmas Carol	Brian Henson	Lead Compositor
1992	1492 ; Conquest of Paradise	Ridley Scott	Lead Compositor
1992	The Year of the Comet	Peter Yates	Compositor
1991	The Fisher King	Terry Gilliam	Lead Compositor
1991	Ma Vie est un Enfer	Josiane Balasko	Compositor
1991	Blond Fist	Frank Clarke	Compositor
1990	Memphis Belle	Michel Caton-Jones	Compositor

Commercial | Music Video Credits

2009	In My Head	Alex Kogan	Director/VFX Prod.
2008	Holiday	Dilana	Director
2007	Nike Breath	W+K	VFX Set Supervisor
2007	Life is Beautiful	Vega 4	Director
2007	KZ Liberation	Sony SCEA	Director/VFX Prod.
2007	My Love	Justin Timberlake	VFX Set Supervisor
2007	Candyman	Christina Aguilera	VFX Set Supervisor
2007	A Woman's Love	Alan Jackson	Director/VFX Prod.
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2006	I'm not missing you	Stacie Orrico	Director/VFX Prod.
2006	Suddenly I see	KT Tunstall	Director/VFX Prod.
2006	Playstation 2 – MLB	Chiat-Day	VFX Producer/Comp
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2006	Number 1 in Heaven	Nemesis	Director
2006	Anti-Hero	Lisa Loeb	Director/VFX Prod.
2006	Dreams	Deep Dish	Director/VFX Prod.
2005	Let it Slide	Joanna	Director/VFX Prod.
2005	Everyman/Everywoman	Yoko Ono	Director/VFX Prod.
2004	Ain't Comin Home	Silvertide	Director/VFX Prod.
2004	Turning Me On	Shifty	Director
2004	Reincarnation	Short Film	Director
2004	They	Jem	Director
2003	Molly's Chambers	Kings of Leon	Director/VFX Prod.
2003	Stone Cold	Deuce Project	Director
2003	Starry eyed Surprise	Paul Oakenfold	Director
2003	Up all Night	Unwritten Law	Director
2002	Rexall	Dave Navarro	Director
2002	Get Over Yourself	Edens Crush	Director
2001	Butterfly	Crazytown	Director/VFX Prod.
2000	USPS Stamps	JWT	Director/VFX Prod.
2000	Guerilla Radio	Rage against the Machine	Director/VFX Prod.
2000	Alien	Pennywise	Director