

**JAMES RAIT**  
DIRECTOR / 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR



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**- PERSONAL INFO -**

CANADIAN CITIZEN  
DUAL CANADIAN / EU PASSPORTS  
MEMBER OF THE DIRECTOR'S GUILD OF CANADA SINCE 1991 IN THE  
CATEGORIES OF DIRECTOR AND 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR  
[HTTP://WWW.IMDB.COM/NAME/NM0354408](http://www.imdb.com/name/nm0354408)

**- EDUCATION -**

DIPLOMA IN FILM PRODUCTION AT CONFEDERATION COLLEGE,  
THUNDER BAY ON - 1989

**- PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE -**

TWENTY ONE YEARS FREELANCE IN THE FILM / TV INDUSTRIES ACROSS CANADA  
AND AROUND THE WORLD WITH CREDITS IN OVER THREE HUNDRED BROADCAST HOURS  
3D FILMING EXPERIENCE  
FIXED WING AND ROTARY WING AIRCRAFT FILMING EXPERIENCE  
EXTENSIVE VISUAL FX, SPECIAL FX AND STUNTS FILMING EXPERIENCE  
BACK COUNTRY / HIGH MOUNTAIN / AVALANCHE TRAINING  
NAUI LICENSED SCUBA DIVER #18,102

**- SELECTED FILMOGRAPHY -**

AS DIRECTOR / 2ND UNIT DIRECTOR

2010	"FORENSIC FACTOR" DOCU-DRAMA SERIES - EP 6.6 EPI/DISCOVERY, TORONTO EXECUTIVE PRODUCER: EDWINA FOLLOWS PRODUCER: ALYSE ROSENBERG LINE PRODUCER: PAM MCNAIR	AS DIRECTOR
2009	"FORENSIC FACTOR" DOCU-DRAMA SERIES - EP 6.3 EPI/DISCOVERY, TORONTO EXECUTIVE PRODUCER: EDWINA FOLLOWS PRODUCER: SALLY KARAM LINE PRODUCER: PAM MCNAIR	AS DIRECTOR
2009	"FORENSIC FACTOR" DOCU-DRAMA SERIES - EP 6.2 EPI/DISCOVERY, TORONTO EXECUTIVE PRODUCER: EDWINA FOLLOWS PRODUCER: SALLY KARAM LINE PRODUCER: PAM MCNAIR	AS DIRECTOR
2009	"FORENSIC FACTOR" DOCU-DRAMA SERIES - EP 6.1 EPI/DISCOVERY, TORONTO EXECUTIVE PRODUCER: EDWINA FOLLOWS PRODUCER: SALLY KARAM LINE PRODUCER: PAM MCNAIR	AS DIRECTOR
2009	"FORENSIC FACTOR" DOCU-DRAMA SERIES - EP 5.11 EPI/DISCOVERY, TORONTO EXECUTIVE PRODUCER: EDWINA FOLLOWS PRODUCER: SALLY KARAM LINE PRODUCER: PAM MCNAIR	AS DIRECTOR
2001	"EARTH: FINAL CONFLICT SEASON: V" SCI-FI SERIES - EP 5.18 ALLIANCE/ATLANTIS, TORONTO. PRODUCERS: JOHN CALVERT, STEPHEN ROLOFF PM: ANNE MARIE CORMIER	AS DIRECTOR
2001	"EARTH: FINAL CONFLICT SEASON: V" SCI-FI SERIES (22 EPISODES) ALLIANCE/ATLANTIS, TORONTO. PRODUCERS: JOHN CALVERT, STEPHEN ROLOFF PM: ANNE MARIE CORMIER	AS 2ND UNIT DIRECTOR
2002	"A DAY AT THE LAKE" SHORT FILM SCREEN ENGINE, TORONTO *NOMINATED AT 2007 MOBIFEST AWARDS	AS DIRECTOR

2000 "EARTH: FINAL CONFLICT SEASON: IV" AS 2ND UNIT DIRECTOR  
 SCI-FI SERIES (22 EPISODES)  
 ALLIANCE/ATLANTIS, TORONTO.  
 PRODUCERS: JOHN CALVERT, STEPHEN ROLOFF  
 PM: ANNE MARIE CORMIER

1999 "EARTH: FINAL CONFLICT SEASON: III" AS 2ND UNIT DIRECTOR  
 SCI-FI SERIES (13 EPISODES)  
 ALLIANCE/ATLANTIS, TORONTO.  
 PRODUCERS: JOHN CALVERT, STEPHEN ROLOFF  
 PM: ANNE MARIE CORMIER

1989 "STRAWBERRY HILL" AS WRITER/DIRECTOR  
 SHORT FILM  
 CONFEDERATION COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS, THUNDER BAY  
 PRODUCED BY: RORY MACVICAR  
 \* NOMINATED AT CBC'S TELEFEST 1989

AS 2ND UNIT DIRECTOR / 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

2005 "MONSTER WARRIORS SEASON: I" AS 2UD/1<sup>ST</sup> AD  
 LIVE ACTION/CGI KIDS ADVENTURE SERIES  
 (16 EPISODES MAIN UNIT/INSERTS AND PROMOS 2ND UNIT)  
 REALLY BIG BUG MOVIES LTD., BARRIE  
 PRODUCERS: WILSON CONEYBEARE, ANDRE CZERNORSKY, BILL MARKS  
 PM: BILL MARKS, BYRON MARTIN  
 DIRECTORS: WILSON CONEYBEARE,  
 WARREN SONODA, BILL MARKS, OTTA HANUS

2004 "MISSING SEASON: II" AS 2UD/1<sup>ST</sup> AD  
 DRAMATIC SERIES (4 EPISODES MAIN UNIT/WASHINGTON EXTERIORS 2ND UNIT)  
 LIONS GATE, TORONTO AND WASHINGTON DC  
 PRODUCER: JOHN CALVERT, PM: ANNE MARIE CORMIER  
 DIRECTORS: DAVID WOOD, MIKE ROHL

2002 "VERITAS SEASON: 1" AS 2UD/1<sup>ST</sup> AD  
 ADVENTURE SERIES (4 EPISODES)  
 ABC TELEVISION, TORONTO  
 PRODUCER: IAIN PATERSON, PM: SUSAN MURDOCH  
 DIRECTOR: IAIN PATERSON

AS 1ST ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

2010 "MY BABYSITTER'S A VAMPIRE" AS 1ST AD (DAILY)  
 MOWDRAMATIC SERIES  
 FRESH TV, TORONTO  
 PRODUCER/PM: LYNN MALLAY, MANNY DANELON  
 DIRECTOR: BRUCE MACDONALD

2010 "FLASHPOINT" AS 1ST AD (DAILY)  
 DRAMATIC SERIES  
 PINK SKY ENT., TORONTO  
 PRODUCER: JOHN CALVERT  
 PM: ANNE MARIE CORMIER

2010 "ASSAULT & RESCUE POV" AS 1ST AD  
 DOCU-DRAMA PILOT (DRAMATIC RECONSTRUCTION X 1 HOUR)  
 FRANTIC FILMS, TORONTO  
 PRODUCER: CAMERON ROTHERY  
 DIRECTOR: JAMES HYSLOP

2009 "AFTERMATH" AS 1ST AD  
 DOCU-DRAMA SERIES (DRAMATIC RECONSTRUCTIONS 2 X 1 HOUR)  
 CREAM PRODUCTIONS, TORONTO  
 SHOOTING LOCATIONS: CANADA, UTAH, NEW YORK CITY  
 PRODUCER: LARRY BAMBRICK  
 DIRECTOR: GARY LANG, GEORGE D'AMATO

2009 "INVISIBLE WORLDS" AS 1ST AD  
 DOCU-DRAMA SERIES (1 X 1 HOUR)  
 BBC, UK - SHOOTING LOCATIONS: BRITISH COLUMBIA, CANADA  
 PRODUCER, DIRECTOR: DAN CLIFTON

2008 "FORENSIC FACTOR" AS 1<sup>ST</sup> AD  
 DOCU-DRAMA SERIES (DRAMATIC RECONSTRUCTIONS 6 X 1 HOUR)  
 EXPLORATION PRODUCTION INC./DISCOVERY, TORONTO  
 SERIES PRODUCER: SALLY KARAM  
 LINE PRODUCER/PM: PAM MCNAIR  
 DIRECTORS: TIM LUKE, RANDY DAUDLIN,  
 JOHN GRIFFITH, DREW POTTER, LAURIE LYND

2008 "PARADISE LOST" AS 1ST AD  
 DOCU-DRAMA SERIES (DRAMATIC RECONSTRUCTIONS 8 X 1 HOUR)  
 NEXTFILM, TORONTO  
 SHOOTING LOCATIONS: SOUTH AFRICA, CANADA, COSTA RICA, TEXAS  
 SERIES PRODUCER: DAN CLIFTON  
 LINE PRODUCER/PM: BILL MARKS  
 DIRECTORS: DAMON THOMAS, STEVEN CLARKE,  
 JAMES HYSLOP, ROGER PIKE

2008 "FADE TO BROWN" AS 1ST AD  
 COMEDY PILOT (1/2 HOUR)  
 FADE TO BROWN PRODUCTIONS, TORONTO  
 PRODUCER: MICHAEL PATRICK LINE PRODUCER/PM: ADILI YAHIEL  
 DIRECTOR: MENINDER CHANA

2007 "FINAL 24 SEASON: II" As 1st AD  
 DOCU-DRAMA SERIES (DRAMATIC RECONSTRUCTIONS 4 X 1 HOUR)  
 NEXTFILM, TORONTO  
 SERIES PRODUCER: OKSANA BOROWICK  
 LINE PRODUCER/PM: BILL MARKS  
 DIRECTOR: ROGER PIKE, CHRIS BOULD,  
 KARL JASON, PJ NAWORYNSKI

2007 "PROJECT X" As 1st AD  
 SCIENCE MAGAZINE SERIES (STUDIO SHOOT 7 X 1/2 HOUR )  
 CBC, TORONTO  
 PRODUCERS: MICHAEL ALLTER, DANIEL ZUCKERBROT  
 COORDINATING PRODUCER: KEMP ARCHIBALD  
 DIRECTORS: MITCH GABOURIE, DAVID NEW,  
 MIKE SHEERIN, KENTON VAUGHN

2007 "FINN ON THE FLY" As 1st AD (REPLACEMENT)  
 FEATURE FILM  
 AMAZE ENTERTAINMENT, REGINA SASKATCHEWAN  
 PRODUCERS: TEZA LAWRENCE, MIKE SOUTHER, STEPHEN ONDA  
 PM: TY HYLAND  
 DIRECTOR: MARK JEAN

2006 "ICE PLANET" As 1st AD  
 SCI-FI SERIES (PREP ONLY - 2 X 1 HOUR)  
 CHUM, SPACEWORKS ENT., TORONTO  
 PRODUCER: JOHN CALVERT PM: ANNE MARIE CORMIER  
 DIRECTOR: HARLEY COKELISS

2006 "LIES AND CRIMES" As 1st AD (REPLACEMENT)  
 MOV (SHOOT ONLY)  
 CHESSLER/PERLMUTTER, HAMILTON  
 PRODUCER: ROB VAUGHN LINE PRODUCER/PM: MAREK POSIVAL  
 DIRECTOR: MARIO AZZOPARDI

2006 "URBAN LEGENDS" As 1st AD  
 DOCU-DRAMA SERIES (DRAMATIC RECONSTRUCTIONS 20 X 1/2 HOUR)  
 CINEFLIX/NEXTFILM, TORONTO  
 PRODUCERS: KATHRYN LIPPTROTT, ANDY SCOTT  
 PM: BETTY ORR  
 DIRECTORS: LUKE CAMPBELL, STEPHEN SCOTT

2006 "ZERO HOUR - NORTH HOLLYWOOD SHOOTOUT" As 1st AD  
 DOCU-DRAMA SERIES (DRAMATIC RECONSTRUCTIONS 1 X 1 HOUR)  
 3BMTV UK, TORONTO  
 PRODUCERS: ALEX LEITH, PAUL LEES  
 PM: JESSICA ROSS  
 DIRECTOR: DAVID HICKMAN

2005 "NEIL" As 1st AD  
 FEATURE FILM  
 A THOUSAND LIGHTS DARK PRODUCTIONS, TORONTO  
 PRODUCERS: INGRID VENINGER, SRDJAN VILOTIJEVIC,  
 PM: SRDJAN VILOTIJEVIC  
 DIRECTOR: BORIS MOJSOVSKI

2003 "1 800 MISSING SEASON: 1" As 1st AD  
 DRAMATIC SERIES (11 EPISODES)  
 LIFETIME, TORONTO  
 PRODUCER: JOHN CALVERT, PM: ANNE MARIE CORMIER  
 DIRECTORS: DAVID WOO, MIKE ROHL,  
 MYLAN CHEYLOV, NEIL FEARNLEY

2003 "1 800 MISSING" As 1st AD (2ND UNIT)  
 DRAMATIC SERIES PILOT  
 LIFETIME, TORONTO  
 PRODUCER: JOHN CALVERT, PM: ANNE MARIE CORMIER  
 DIRECTOR: GLENN DAVIS

1999 "EARTH: FINAL CONFLICT SEASON: III" As 1st AD  
 SCI-FI SERIES (4 EPISODES MAIN UNIT)  
 ALLIANCE/ATLANTIS, TORONTO.  
 PRODUCERS: JOHN CALVERT, STEPHEN ROLOFF  
 PM: ANNE MARIE CORMIER  
 DIRECTORS: ALLAN KROEKER, DAVID WINNING,  
 ROSS CLYDE, TERRY INGRAM

1998 "EARTH: FINAL CONFLICT SEASON: II" As 2nd AD/1st AD  
 SCI-FI SERIES (4 EPISODES 2ND AD/7 EPISODES 1ST AD)  
 ALLIANCE/ATLANTIS, TORONTO  
 PRODUCERS: JOHN CALVERT, STEPHEN ROLOFF,  
 PM: MANNY DANELON  
 DIRECTORS: ANDREW POTTER, VINCENZO NATALI,  
 BRENTON SPENCER

1997 "STOLEN HEARTS" As 1st AD (REPLACEMENT)  
 FEATURE FILM (SHOOT ONLY)  
 BACKROAD FILMS CORPORATION, TORONTO  
 PRODUCERS: CHRISTOPHER BALL, BILL MARKS, PM: BILL MARKS  
 DIRECTOR: TERRY O'BRIEN

1996 "THE ADVENTURES OF SHIRLEY HOLMES SEASON: 1" As 1st AD  
 KIDS ADVENTURE SERIES (4 EPISODES)  
 CREDD / FOREFRONT, WINNIPEG, MANITOBA  
 PRODUCERS: KIM TODD, GARY HARVEY,  
 PM: VONNIE VON HELMOLT  
 DIRECTORS: RICK STEVENSON, RICHARD O'BRIAN MORAN

1996 "ANOTHER PLANET" As 1st AD  
 FEATURE FILM  
 SYNCOPATED PRODUCTIONS INC., TORONTO  
 PRODUCER/PM: TERESA HO  
 PRODUCER/DIRECTOR: CHRISTENE BROWNE

1996	<p>"MY LIFE AS A DOG SEASON: I"          KIDS ADVENTURE SERIES (11 EPISODES)          CREDD/ATLANTIS, WINNIPEG, MANITOBA          PRODUCERS: KIM TODD, MICHAEL SCOTT,          PM: LESLEY OSWALD, VONNIE VON HELMOLT          DIRECTORS: NEILL FEARNLEY, PETER ROWE,          RICHARD O'BRIAN MORAN, E. JANE THOMPSON</p>	AS 1ST AD
1994	<p>"WHEN THE BULLET HITS THE BONE"          FEATURE FILM          TERROR ZONE PICTURES, TORONTO          PRODUCER/PM: JULIAN GRANT          DIRECTOR: DAMION LEE</p>	AS 1ST AD
1994	<p>"ELECTRA"          FEATURE FILM          ELECTRA PRODUCTIONS, TORONTO          PM: NADIA DAY          PRODUCER, DIRECTOR: JULIAN GRANT</p>	AS 1ST AD
1993	<p>"NOTHING TO LOSE"          FEATURE FILM          SOLID ENTERTAINMENT INC., TORONTO          PRODUCER/PM: JULIAN GRANT          DIRECTOR: IZIDORE MUSALLAM</p>	AS 1ST AD