# Jon S. Baird

## Director

Jon S. Baird is a BAFTA award winning director. He has worked with numerous high profile producers including: Martin Scorsese, Mick Jagger, Jim Carrey, Terence Winter and has directed a host of award winning actors including; James McAvoy, John C Reilly, Steve Coogan, Melissa Leo, Jamie Bell and Jim Broadbent. Baird's 2018 film Stan & Ollie was nominated for 3 BAFTA film awards and a Golden Globe. The movie was number one at the UK box office on its release and went on to make \$25m worldwide from a budget of \$10m. Baird also recently won best director at the BAFTA Scotland awards for Stan & Ollie. His previous feature FILTH (2013), which he wrote, directed and produced, was based on the bestselling novel by Irvine Welsh and starred James McAvoy, Jamie Bell and Jim Broadbent. FILTH won numerous awards and is in the top ten highest grossing UK 18 certificates of all time. Baird's Television work includes HBO's VINYL where he formed a fabulous relationship with Martin Scorsese, who has continued to be a mentor throughout Baird's career. He also worked on Showtime's I"M DYING UP HERE produced by Jim Carrey, where he directed Melissa Leo. Baird worked closely with another mentor of his Danny Boyle on Channel 4's BABYLON, which was written by SUCCESSION creator Jessie Armstrong. Most recently Baird directed STONEHOUSE for ITV a three- part drama starring Matthew Macfadyen as the disgraced British MP John Stonehouse who infamously faked his own death in 1974. His most recent feature, TETRIS, about the battle for ownership of the legendary game, is in post for Marv Films and Apple, starring Taron Egerton.

#### **TELEVISION**

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2023	STONEHOUSE (lead director)	Snowed-In Productions/ ITVX	Starring Matthew Macfadyen
2017	I'M DYING UP HERE (episode 2)	Showtime	Created by Jim Carrey
2016	FEED THE BEAST (episodes 3 and 4)	Lionsgate TV/ AMC	
2015	VINYL	HBO (Episode 8)	Prods. Martin Scorsese, Mick Jagger and Terence Winter
			Starring Bobby Cannavale, Olivia Wilde and Ray Romano
2014	BABYLON	Channel 4 (Episodes 1, 2 & 3)	Prod. Danny Boyle
			Starring Brit Marling and James Nesbitt
			"One of the most thrilling and original series on television" The Independent
			"This is a series worth tracking down and watching" Hollywood Reporter

# FEATURE FILM

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
2023	TETRIS	Al-Film / Apple	Director



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2018	STAN AND OLLIE	BBC Films/ TheWeinstein Company	Starring John C Reilly and Steve Coogan Written by Jeff Pope	
2013	FILTH (Writer / Director /	Lionsgate	Starring James McAvoy, Jamie Bell, Eddie Marsan and Jim Broadbent	
	Producer)		British Independent Film Awards: Best Actor Winner	
			British Independent Film Awards: Nominated – Best Director	
			British Independent Film Awards:Nominated – Best Supporting Actor	
			British Independent Film Awards:Nominated – Best Supporting Actress	
			British Independent Film Awards:Nominated - Best Achievement in Production	
			Writers Guild of Great Britain: Nominated – Best Screenplay	
			Empire Film Awards: Best Actor Winner	
			Empire Film Awards: Nominated - Best British Film	
			London Critics Circle Film Awards: Best Actor Winner	
			London Critics Circle Film Awards: Breakthrough British Filmmaker Winner	
			London Critics Circle Film Awards: Nominated - British Film	
			London Critics Circle Film Awards: Nominated – Best Technical Achievement	
			BAFTA Scotland: Best Actor Winner	
			BAFTA Scotland: Nominated - Best Director	
			BAFTA Scotland: Nominated – Best Film	
			"I loved every minute of Filth" Daily Telegraph	
			"Bruce Robertson is a diabolically unpleasant anti-hero, but somehow writer-director Jon S. Baird makes us feel sympathy for the devil" Hollywood Reporter	
			"James McAvoy dominates the screen in this razor-sharp black comedy" Empire Film Magazine	
2008	CASS (Writer / Director / Executive Producer)	StudioCanal	Starring Nonso Anozie	
2006	GREEN STREET HOOLIGANS (Associate Producer)	Universal Pictures	Starring Elijah Wood and Charlie Hunnam	

# SHORT FILM

DATE	PRODUCTION (ROLE)
2004	IT'S A CASUAL LIFE (Writer / Director / Producer)

## **AWARDS**

PRODUCTION (ROLE)	PROJECT DETAILS
London Critics Circle	Breakthrough British Filmmaker Winner
London Critics Circle	Best British Film Nomination
Writer's Guild Great Britain	Best Screenplay Nomination
BAFTA Scotland	Best Director and Best Film Nominations
British Independent Film Awards	Best Director Nomination
Empire Film Awards	Best British Film Nomination

#### IN DEVELOPMENT

PRODUCTION (ROLE)	COMPANY	PROJECT DETAILS
EVERYTHING'S GOING TO BE GREAT	eOne and Astute films	Feature film.