



Mel Odedra

Height 183 cm

Actor Biography

Johnson&Laird

Feature Film.

2022	Bad Behaviour	Abhay (Supporting)	Dir. Alice Englert Prd. Desray Armstrong
2019	Nomad	Niko	TXL Films Dir. Taron Lexton

Short Film.

2021	Disrupt	Man on Platform	Dir. Jennifer Ward Lealand
2020	Burner	David	Dir. Mukilan Thangamani
2015	The Engagement Party		Dir. Katherine McRae

Television.

2023	Motherhood Anthology: Give Me Babies	James (Lead)	Dir. Various Prd. TVNZ
2023	Madam	Vinit (Guest)	Dir. Kacie Anning, Madeleine Sami, Peter Salmon Prd. Empowered Productions
2022	Shantaram	Walid Shah	Dir. Bharat Nalluri, Iain B. MacDonald, Bronwen Hughes Prd. Apple TV+
2019	Power Rangers Beast Morphers	Mr Bruce Silva (Guest)	

Television continued...

2018	Bad Seed	Shopkeeper	Dir. Robin Scholes&Chris Bailey Prd. Robin Scholes&Chris Bailey
2018	Shortland Street	Rajiv Prasad (Guest)	Dir. Various Prd. Various
2017	Shannara 2	Crimson Captain	MTV NZ
2016	Shortland Street	Rajiv Prasad (Guest)	South Pacific Pictures Dir. Various Prd. Mazine Fleming

Theatre.

2023	Basmati Bitch	Toby	
2022	North By North West	Budnikov, Auction Bidder	Dir. Simon Phillips Prd. Auckland Theatre Company
2021	Birdland	David and Father	Dir. Jordan Dickinson
2019	A Fine Balance	Om	Auckland Theatre Company Dir. Ahi Karunaharan
2019	Headsand	Core Cast	Fractious Tash Dir. Ben Henson
2018	America Rex	Lieutenant	JK Productions Dir. Dione Joseph
2018	Tea	Ravi	The Oryza Foundation Dir. Ahi Karunaharan
2018	The Changeling	DeFlores (Male Lead)	Dir. Michael Hurst
2017	Light Vs Dark	Ravana	ATC Dir. Ahi Karunaharan
2016	The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time	Mr Thompson	Auckland Theatre Company Dir. Sara Brodie

Theatre continued...

2016	The Next Stage - TeaTea	Ensemble	Auckland Theatre Company Dir. Sara Brodie
2015	Love and Information		Dir. Cameron Rhodes
2007	We All Fall Down		Dir. Naomi Bartley
2007	The End Of The World	Konstantine Ildefone Galczynski (Lead)	Dir. Murray Edmond
2007	Play Without A Title	Frederico Garcia Lorca (Lead)	Dir. Murray Edmond
2007	The Jet Of Blood	Antonin Artaud (Lead)	Dir. Murray Edmond
1991	National Youth Music Theatre - London		David Nield

Web Series.

2021	Joint Venture	Earl	Dir. Travis Graham
2019	Meme	Dan the Counsellor	Flat 3 Productions Dir. Helen Wu, Ally Xue Prd. JJ Fong, Ally Xue
2018	TouchWood	Frank Walton	Out West Pictures Dir. Renee Mahey
2018	AFK Season 2: This World and the Next	Jay	
2016	Friday Night Bites Xmas-special	Alf	

Training.

Travis Technique Masterclass - 2019
 Howard Fine 's Masterclass - 2018
 Self-tape Master class with Tandi Wright - 2017
 Acting Technique &Voice Workshop - 2015, Cameron Rhodes
 Acting Technique - Self Taping - 2015, Grae Burton

Training continued...

Casting Technique Workshop - 2015, Matt Dwyer (Barefoot Casting)
The Actors Program - 1 Year Acting Course - 2015
Stage Combat Workshop - 2015, Alexander Holloway
Casting Workshop - 2015, Annabel Lomas
Acting, Directing, Approaching A Play Workshop - 2015, Benjamine Henson
Singing - Voice Workshop - 2015, Cherie Moore
Radio Drama Technique Workshop - 2015, Jason Te Kare (Radio NZ)
Singing, Acting Technique Workshop - 2015, Jennifer Ward-Lealand
Dance (Contemporary, Classical and Scripted Movement) - 2015, Jeremy Birchall
Screen Acting Technique, Fast turn-around TV, Voice - Radio - 2015, John Callen
John Callen Screen Acting Technique Workshop - 2015, Katherine McRae
Post Graduate Diploma in Arts and Drama - 2007, Auckland University
National Youth Music Theatre - London: 1994 - 1995

Visual/Voice Commercial Credits.

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