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HAGEN HASSELBALCH

(1915 - 1997)



Director. Born 1st October 1915 in Copenhagen, died 28th June 1997. Graduated from Sorø Academy in 1933. Visiting student at he Wissenschaftliches Fotografisches Institut, Technische Hochschule, Dresden 1933-34. Studied at the Graphische Versuchs- und Lehranstalt, Wien, in 1934. Studies at the Tonfilmseminar am Bauernmarkt, Wien, 1934-35. Graduated from Denmark's Technical Highschool as a civil engineer in 1940. Worked at Nordisk Films Kompagni 1941-45. After that connected to Minerva Film as a stockholder, chairman of the board and as a writer and director until 1948.

In 1948 he left Denmark and worked as a field surveyer for Unesco in Venezuela, Ecuador, Peru and Uruguay. From 1948-49 Hasselbalch was in charge of a film production for the International Tuberculosis Campaign. He was also a leader of the film departement at CREFAL, an information institute operated by Unesco in Patzcuaro, Michoacan, Mexico, 1950-52.

Hasselbalch was after that engaged as a free-lance writer, director, cameraman and producer, working mostly with documentaries and cultural films. He resided in Spain from 1968 to his death.

Filmography

Title	Year	Function	Category
Historien bag kameraet	2006	Appearance	TV documentary
Yoga	1975	Direction, Script, Cinematography, Editing	DK/Documentary
K 800 - Suite for kamera og mikrofon	1968	Direction, Script	Archival film
Conquered Land	1966	Direction, Script, Production, Cinematography	DK/Documentary
Tricky Traffic	1963	Direction, Script, Cinematography, Editing, Speaker comments	DK/Documentary
Meet the Danes	1963	Direction, Script, Editing	DK/Documentary
Panik i paradis	1960	Direction, Script, Cinematography, Editing, Producer	DK/Feature
Skattejagt i Østgrønland	1959	Direction, Script, Cinematography	DK/Documentary
En bonde og hans gård	1958	Direction	DK/Documentary
Blødt metal - hård valuta	1957	Direction, Cinematography	DK/Documentary
D for design	1956	Direction, Script, Production, Cinematography	DK/Documentary
Evighedsklokkerne	1956	Direction, Script, Cinematography	DK/Documentary
Filmforum S 09	1955	Appearance	Audio recordings
Kardinalernes middag	1954	Direction	TV film
Der er nemlig forskel	1954	Direction	TV film
Før Cannæe	1954	Direction	TV film
The secret of Treasure Island	1953	Script	DK/Short fiction
Blyklippens gåde	1952	Direction, Script, Cinematography	DK/Documentary
Greenland during summertime	1950	Direction, Script, Cinematography	DK/Documentary

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Pearyland 1947	1948	Direction, Script	DK/Documentary
Meeting of the Ways	1948	Direction, Script, Cinematography	DK/Documentary
Enemy Tuberculosis	1948	Direction, Script	DK/Documentary
Give them a chance	1948	Direction, Script, Cinematography	DK/Documentary
Look!	1948	Script	DK/Documentary
Denmark Grows Up	1947	Direction, Script	DK/Documentary
Radiohuset	1947	Direction	DK/Documentary
Shaped by Danish Hands	1947	Direction, Script	DK/Documentary
Sommerrapsodi	1947	Direction	DK/Documentary
Kammerat - Tovaritsj	1946	Direction, Script, Cinematography	DK/Documentary
Tiden og Uret	1946	Direction, Script, Cinematography	DK/Documentary
Kornet er i Fare	1945	Direction, Script, Cinematography	DK/Documentary
Tom Kristensen	1945	Direction	DK/Documentary
Pigen og Pan	1945	Direction, Script, Editing	DK/Short fiction
Pay Your Taxes Gladly	1945	Direction, Script	DK/Documentary
The Toad	1944	Direction, Cinematography	DK/Documentary
The cow	1944	Assistant director	DK/Documentary
Flyv med!	1943	Direction, Script, Cinematography	DK/Documentary
Solskinsbørn Aaret rundt	1943	Direction	DK/Documentary
For the future of the nation	1943	Direction	DK/Documentary
Land-draining in the Danish agriculture	1942	Direction	DK/Documentary
Who knows what?	1942	Script, Cinematography	DK/Documentary
Thummelumsen	1941	Assistant director	DK/Feature
Gaa med mig hjem	1941	Assistant director	DK/Feature



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