

# The Killing of Kenneth Chamberlain

***The Killing of Kenneth Chamberlain*** is a 2019 American thriller drama film written, produced and directed by David Midell and starring Frankie Faison as the real life titular character. It is based on the police shooting of Chamberlain that occurred on November 29, 2011, in White Plains, New York. Morgan Freeman and Lori McCreary serve as executive producers of the film.<sup>[2]</sup>

## Cast

- Frankie Faison as Kenneth Chamberlain Sr.
- Steve O'Connell as Sergeant Walter Parks
- Enrico Natale as Officer Michael Rossi
- Ben Marten as Officer Patrick Jackson
- Angela Peel as Tonyaia Greenhill
- Tom McElroy as Sergeant Flannigan
- LaRoyce Hawkins as Kenneth Chamberlain Jr.
- Christopher R. Ellis as Officer Talbot
- Anika Noni Rose as Candace Wade
- Antonio Polk as Officer Evans
- Dexter Zollicoffer as Roland Green
- Kelly Owens as Mitzi Pratt
- Armando Reyes as Armando Ruiz
- Eunice Woods as Karen Chamberlain
- Daniel Houle as Lieutenant Hughes
- Linda Bright Clay as Carol Matthews
- Kate Black-Spence as Dispatcher
- Alexander Strong as Ava Chamberlain
- Nayeli Pagaza as 911 Operator

Kristine Angela, Joey Ascaridis, Moira Begale, Nick Cardiff & Jared Winkler also play additional roles.

## Release

The film made its world premiere at the Austin Film Festival in October 2019.<sup>[2][3]</sup>

## Accolades

The film won the Best Narrative Feature Award at the 24th Urbanworld Film Festival.<sup>[1]</sup>

### *The Killing of Kenneth Chamberlain*



Film poster

<b>Directed by</b>	David Midell
<b>Written by</b>	David Midell
<b>Produced by</b>	David Midell <div>Enrico Natale<sup>[1]</sup></div> <div>Sharad Chib<sup>[1]</sup></div> <div>Chris Paladino<sup>[1]</sup></div> <div>Milan Chakraborty<sup>[1]</sup></div>
<b>Starring</b>	<u>Frankie Faison</u> <div><u>Steve O'Connell</u></div> <div>Enrico Natale</div> <div>Ben Marten</div> <div><u>LaRoyce Hawkins</u></div> <div><u>Anika Noni Rose</u></div>
<b>Cinematography</b>	Camrin Petramale
<b>Edited by</b>	Enrico Natale
<b>Music by</b>	Garrett Beelow <div>King Luck</div>

<b>Production companies</b>	Redbird Entertainment Revelations Entertainment <sup>[2]</sup>
<b>Distributed by</b>	Gravitas Ventures
<b>Release dates</b>	October 27, 2019 (Austin)  September 17, 2021 (United States)
<b>Running time</b>	83 minutes
<b>Country</b>	United States
<b>Language</b>	English

Association	Date of ceremony	Category	Recipients	Result	Ref(s).
Independent Spirit Awards	March 6, 2022	Best Male Lead	Frankie Faison	Nominated	[4][5]
		Best Editing	Enrico Natale	Nominated	

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