

# NEA SPRINGER

## Lighting Assistant

- 24 Years old
- bilingual EN/DE
- German/EU passport

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Brighton based spark, and aspiring independent features gaffer. Passion for recreating emotional truth through light. Always looking for new challenges - moved to the UK from Germany 4 years ago. Essential to my work is a combination of creativity, tech and teamwork.

### KEY SKILLS

- BS7909 Electrical Training
- ScreenSkills Coronavirus Basic Awareness Training
- Experienced in narrative, music video & commercial.
- Confident with a range of standard equipment (e.g. Tungsten Heads, Arri M-Series, L-Series & Orbiter and lights by KinoFlo, Dedo, Aladdin, Astera, Aputure)
- Confident with the safe operation of stands (Windup, American, FO), booms and speed rail.
- Experienced working with small generators.

### EDUCATION

BA Filmmaking at Screen and Film School Brighton  
First Class Honours in Camera, Grip & Lighting  
2018-2021

### REFERENCES

Available on request.

### SELECTION OF EXPERIENCE

**Short 'Cut & Grow' | Lighting Assistant** September 2022  
dir: Meara Arnaoutis | dop: Adam Scarth | gaffer: Chaimaa Ormazabal

- Pre-lighting rooms, blacking out damage-free, pre-rigging lights and distro
- Providing solutions when appropriate, pre-empting issues and preparing

**Corporate 'Howdens Induction Videos' | Gaffer** July 2022  
dir: Matt Livingston | dop: Ben Hardy

- Creating a commercial look within Howdens' offices and show kitchens
- Finding effective ways to re-light for different faces in challenging environments

**Feature 'A House Named Shahana' | Gaffer** March 2022  
dir: Leesa Gazi | dop: Alex Unai Arrieta Komola Collective

- Curating and maintaining a consistent and story-appropriate drama look
- Collaborating with departments to maximise the quality of our work

**Feature 'The Sun Also Rises' | Gaffer** November 2021  
dir: Roland Manookian | dop: Carlos Buenaventura Move Mountains Production

- Keeping on schedule by managing sparks for pre-lighting
- Rapid problem-solving to achieve a strong look safely

**Feature 'Empire of Light' | Location Marshal, dir. Sam Mendes** March 2022  
**HETV 'The Crown' | Location Marshal for Hulu** November 2021  
**Feature 'Living' | Location Marshal, prod. Stephen Woolley** July 2021

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