

= Kate Bosworth =

Catherine Ann " Kate " Bosworth (born January 2 , 1983) is an American actress and model . She made her film debut in The Horse Whisperer (1998) and appeared in Remember the Titans (2000) and new comers (2000) alongside Chris Evans , before landing a lead role as a teenage surfer in the box @-@ office hit Blue Crush (2002) . She also had roles in independent films , playing Dawn Schiller in the true crime film Wonderland (2003) , and as Sandra Dee in the Bobby Darin biographical drama Beyond the Sea (2004) . She also portrayed Lois Lane in Superman Returns (2006) , and has had roles in Straw Dogs (2011) and Still Alice (2014) .

= = Early life = =

Bosworth was born on January 2 , 1983 , in Los Angeles , California . She is the only child of Patricia (née Potter) , a homemaker , and Harold Bosworth , a former executive for Talbots . She was born with heterochromia iridum , and has a hazel right eye and a blue left eye . At the age of six , Bosworth 's family relocated from San Francisco to various parts of the country due to her father 's job . She was raised mainly on the East Coast , spending the rest of her youth in Massachusetts and Connecticut .

Bosworth developed an interest in competitive horse racing , and by the age of fourteen , she was a champion equestrian . She graduated from Cohasset High School , in Cohasset , Massachusetts , in 2001 .

= = Career = =

= = = Early work = = =

Bosworth 's first film role came after an open casting call in New York for the supporting part of Judith in the 1998 film , The Horse Whisperer . The film 's producers needed someone who was already an experienced horse rider , leading to Bosworth 's successful audition for the role . The film received positive reception from film critics . In 2000 , she starred in the television series drama Young Americans , in which she played Bella Banks . The series , however , was canceled . That same year , she had a small part in the film Remember the Titans . In 2001 , Bosworth moved to Los Angeles in hopes of obtaining easier access to auditions and better film parts .

= = = Initial Success = = =

The breakthrough role in Bosworth 's career came in the 2002 surfing movie Blue Crush , which she prepared for by working out with two separate trainers seven hours a day for months in order to add fifteen pounds of muscle to her frame . In his review of the film , Rolling Stone 's Peter Travers wrote : " Bosworth is a star in the making , but even she can 't outshine the surfing footage , which is flat @-@ out spectacular . " The film received positive reviews and grossed \$ 40 million at the United States box office . Following the success of Blue Crush , Bosworth took on the lead role in low @-@ budget Wonderland (2003) opposite Val Kilmer . Bosworth played the teenage girlfriend of porn star John Holmes .

In 2004 , she played the lead role in romantic comedy Win a Date with Tad Hamilton ! , opposite Topher Grace . The film was critically and financially unsuccessful . Also in 2004 , Bosworth depicted actress Sandra Dee in Beyond the Sea . The movie received mixed reception , and was a box office disappointment , though Bosworth received critical acclaim for her performance . The following year , Bosworth portrayed Chali , a Hare Krishna , in the film adaptation of Myla Goldberg 's novel Bee Season (2005) , about a dysfunctional Jewish family . She has appeared in several Revlon ads and ranked as number 60 in FHM 's " 100 Sexiest Women in the World 2005 " list . For two years running , she has placed on the Maxim Hot 100 List ? number 38 in 2005 and number 8 in

2006 .

= = = Later career = = =

Bosworth was cast as reporter Lois Lane in Bryan Singer 's superhero film Superman Returns (2006) . She starred along with her Beyond the Sea co @-@ star Kevin Spacey as Lex Luthor , as well as newcomer Brandon Routh as Superman . The film was a box office success and received mostly positive reviews . Bosworth 's performance however , was not well received among critics ; Anthony Lane of The New Yorker noted , " The new Lois Lane , Kate Bosworth , is not a patch on Margot Kidder , or , for that matter , on Teri Hatcher , in the TV series . " San Francisco Chronicle film critic Mick LaSalle felt that Bosworth , at the age of 22 years , was too young to portray Lois Lane , and the climax did not " match the potential of the tiring 154 minute long film " . Although Bosworth 's performance was ambivalently received , she herself loved the experience of working on the movie . As she told Teen Vogue in August 2006 , " You know how you have an experience , a time in your life when you feel you 've come into your own ? When you grow up a bit , and think , Now I get it ? [...] That 's how I feel . I feel a little bit more complete . " The movie grossed \$ 52 million during its opening weekend in North America and went on to earn \$ 391 million worldwide .

Bosworth starred as Louise in the psychological drama called The Girl in the Park with Sigourney Weaver , Alessandro Nivola and Keri Russell , written and directed by Pulitzer Prize winner David Auburn in his directorial debut . The film premiered at the 2007 Toronto International Film Festival , it has since been picked up by The Weinstein Company . Alissa Simon of Variety wrote that Bosworth " tries her best , but her character 's too extremely drawn . " Bosworth also filmed 21 , an adaptation of the book Bringing Down the House , in early 2007 in Boston , Massachusetts and Las Vegas , Nevada . This film reunites her with co @-@ star Kevin Spacey and director Robert Luketic . 21 garnered mixed reviews , with Joanne Kaufman of the Wall Street Journal concluding , " Very little adds up in 21 . "

In 2006 , she optioned the film rights to Catherine Hanrahan 's novel Lost Girls and Love Hotels and was set to produce the project alongside filmmaker Nadia Connors . As of 2016 , the project was at a standstill . In 2010 , she starred in the The Warrior 's Way , which was shot in New Zealand alongside Korean actor Jang Dong @-@ gun and Geoffrey Rush . The film was a one of 2010 's biggest box office flops , grossing only slightly more than \$ 11 @,@ 000 @,@ 000 worldwide , but costing \$ 42 million . She has said about her roles , " I just don 't do comfort zones . "

In January 2008 , Bosworth was named the new face for Calvin Klein Jeans and will be featured in the Calvin Klein Jeans campaign . She also takes on the role of spokesperson for American luxury bag brand Coach in Asia .

= = = 2010s : Fashion and acting = = =

In 2011 , Bosworth contracted to sing the television jingle for Cotton Incorporated 's " Fabric of My Life " advertisement . On 4 December 2012 , Topshop revealed that Bosworth was the " secret " women in the new Topshop Christmas Adverts .

Bosworth designed a jewelry line with friend and celebrity stylist Cher Coulter called JewelMint , which launched in October 2010 . JewelMint , the first vertical of MySpace co @-@ founder Josh Berman and Diego Berdakin 's social commerce company , BeachMint , has designs by Coulter and Bosworth .

Bosworth released ten films between 2011 and 2014 , moving away from the big @-@ budget Superman franchise into lower @-@ budget film roles like Still Alice with Julianne Moore . The short film Lov , which was filmed in Slovenia , featured Bosworth and launched fashion designer Vanessa Bruno 's Fall 2011 campaign .

= = Personal life = =

Bosworth was accepted to Princeton University in late 2000 , but because of continual deferral of

her attendance , her acceptance was later revoked . She is a member of the Appalachia Service Project .

From 2003 until September 2006 , Bosworth was in a relationship with English actor Orlando Bloom .

In July 2011 , Bosworth and her boyfriend , Swedish actor Alexander Skarsgard , parted ways after two years of dating . In mid @-@ 2011 , Bosworth began dating American director Michael Polish , whom she had met earlier that year when he directed her in the film Big Sur . Bosworth and Polish announced their engagement in August 2012 , and married on August 31 , 2013 in Philipsburg , Montana .

Bosworth is a fan of the Dallas Cowboys , as mentioned as part of her appearance on The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon in January 2015 .

She is a member of Soka Gakkai International , an organization of Nichiren Buddhism and Mahayana Buddhism .

= = Filmography = =