

# Moonika Põdersalu

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## OVERVIEW

Moonika Põdersalu is a freelance film editor based in Tallinn, Estonia. She has been actively engaged in the film industry since 2015, graduating with a Bachelor's degree from the Baltic Film, Media and Arts School in 2017. Over the years, she has had the privilege of collaborating on various forms of storytelling, spanning feature and short films, documentaries, music videos and commercials, working alongside individuals from diverse backgrounds. This multifaceted experience has enabled her to develop distinct 'working languages' and adeptly convey each person's narrative, ranging from seasoned filmmakers to individuals with no prior experience in audiovisual storytelling.

Her recent projects include a crypto-road-movie titled '*Free Money*' (2023, Tallifornia), a children's startup comedy '*Totally Boss*' (2023, Nafta Films), and the TV series '*Estonia*' (2023, Fisher King), chronicling the deadliest peacetime shipwreck in European waters which claimed the lives of 852 people. '*Estonia*' has also earned selection for the Primetime segment of the 2023 Toronto International Film Festival.

Currently, Moonika is working on Liina Trishkina-Vanhatalo's second full feature, '*Lioness*,' and Tõnis Pill's debut full feature, '*Frank*,' both produced by Ivo Felt, Allfilm.

Moonika Põdersalu has held membership in the Estonian Filmmakers Association since 2018 and serves as a guest lecturer at the Estonian Academy of Arts and the Baltic Film, Media and Arts School.

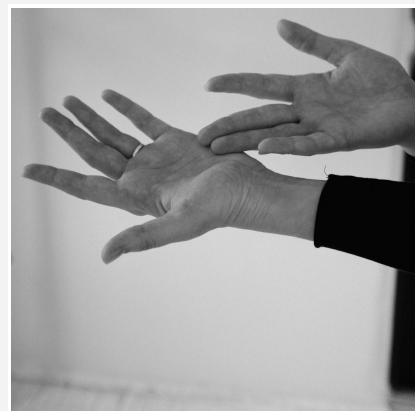


## TECHNICAL SKILLS

Adobe Premiere Pro CC  
Avid Media Composer

## LANGUAGES

Estonian — native  
English — fluent  
German — basic  
Russian — basic



## SELECTION OF WORKS

### FEATURE FILMS AS EDITOR

**Frank** (in production, Allfilm)  
**Lioness** (in post-production, Allfilm)  
**Totally Boss** (2023, Nafta Films)  
**Free Money** (2023, Tallifornia)  
**Child Machine** (2023, Tallifornia)  
**The Sleeping Beast** (2022, Stellar Film)  
**Chasing Unicorns** (2019, Tallifornia)  
**Chasing Ponies** (2016, Alarahastatud Filmikompanii)

director Tõnis Pill  
director Liina Trishkina-Vanhatalo  
director Ingomar Vihmar  
director Rain Rannu  
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director Jaak Kilmi  
director Rain Rannu  
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### TV SERIES AS EDITOR

**Estonia** (2023, Fisher King)  
**The Arctic** (season 2 / 5 episodes, Telia)  
**Traitor** (season 2 / 6 episodes, 2021, Elisa)  
**Anatomy of a Decision** (2020, Nafta Films)

directors Måns Månsson, Juuso Syrjä  
director Cristian Johannes Kask  
director Ove Musting  
director Johannes Veski

### DOCUMENTARY FILMS AS EDITOR

**Punk** (in production, Maagiline Masin)  
**Vseviiv** (2020, Maagiline Masin)  
**Kitchen Triptych** (2018, Allfilm)  
**Of Mosquitoes and Men** (2018, Davai Laama)

director Kristiina Davidjants  
director Elen Lotman  
director Marko Raat  
director Madis Ligema

### SHORT FICTION AS EDITOR

**Drifting Apart** (2022, Homeless Bob)  
**Blue** (2020, Stellar)  
**London** (2019, Puiduliim)  
**Julius** (2019, BFM,

director Rebeka Rummel  
director Tõnis Pill  
director Maria Reinup  
director Rebeka Rummel

### TRAILERS

**Totally Boss** (2023, Nafta films)  
**Homing Beyond** (2022, Cece Films)  
**Traitor** (2021, Elisa)  
**Life Is Just a Ride** (2020, Puiduliim)  
**Chasing Unicorns** (2019, Tallifornia)  
**Art and the Cold War** (2018, Maagiline Masin)  
**Soviet Hippies** (2017, Kultusfilm)

### MUSIC VIDEOS

**Vihje** (2021) nublu x Mikael Gabriel  
**Bloodline** (2021) Sam Tompkins  
**Disposable Society** (2021) WATEVA x Manna  
**Universum** (2020) nublu x Mikael Gabriel  
**Boys Don't Cry** (2020) Dan Owen  
**Entertainment** (2020) Lexsoul Dancemachine  
**You're The Love Of My Life** (2020) Sam Tompkins  
**Soledad** (2020) Erki Pärnoja  
**Eha** (2019) Erki Pärnoja  
**London** (2019) Sumra/Mick Pedaja  
**Tule koju** (2018) Miljardid