

# BRETT POPPLEWELL

## PRODUCER/LINE PRODUCER

Brett has worked in the Australian and International film and television industry for over 30 years, where he performed the role of Executive Producer/Producer and Line Producer on Emmy Award-winning shows such as Salem's Lot, Nightmares & Dreamscapes, The Starter Wife and many more . These represent over \$250 million worth of Australian and International productions, and 200 hours of award-winning high-end film and television drama. Brett also co-created and produced the acclaimed AFI winner Bastard Boys. His Producing and Assistant Director credits also include the award winning Water Rats, E Street, The Alice and was also associated with Daybreakers , Bait 3D, The Man from Snowy River II and Street Fighter just to mention a few. Brett has not only produced throughout Australia and New Zealand, but many other countries around the world; including the \$25 million dollar NBC/Power drama "Crusoe", filmed in South Africa, as consultant producer. Most recently Brett has Line/Co Produced the James Cameron 3D Feature Film "Sanctum" and Produced the 3D Feature Documentary James Cameron/Nat Geo "Deep Dive Challenge".

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2013	<b>Line Producer</b> <b>Jungle Boys</b> <b>Television Comedy Series</b> Production Company: Producer:	<b>‘Moody’s’</b>  Jungle Boys Chloe Richard
2013	<b>Producer</b> <b>NBC SERIES</b> <b>Television Series</b> Production Company: Executive Producer:	<b>‘Camp’</b>  Matchbox Michael Edelstein
2011/2012/13	<b>Producer</b> <b>Feature Documentary 3D</b> <b>Feature Film/Imax</b> Production Company: Executive Producer:	<b>‘Deep Dive Challenge’</b>  Wight Expeditions Pty Ltd James Cameron
2009/2010	<b>Co/Line Producer</b> <b>Feature Film (3D)</b> Production Company: Executive Producer: Producer:	<b>‘SANCTUM’</b> Sanctum Australia Pty Ltd James Cameron Andrew Wight
2007/2008	<b>Consultant Producer</b> <b>Television Series –</b> Production Company: Producer: South Africa	<b>‘CRUSOE’</b> NBC/Power Jeff Hayes

**2006/2007**                    **Producer**  
**Television Mini-Series –**                    **‘Starter Wife’**  
Production Company:                    NBC/Hay Pop Productions Pty Ltd  
References:                    John Avnet, Director/Executive Producer  
**\*\*Winner of 2 Emmys Nominated for 11\*\***

**2006**                    **Producer/ Co-creator**  
**Television Mini-Series –**                    **‘Bastard Boys’**  
Production Company:                    Flying Cabbage Pty Ltd  
References:                    Miranda Dear, ABC Executive Producer  
**\*\*Winner of 2 AFI’s Nominated for 6 AFI Awards including Best Mini Series\*\***

**2005/2006**                    **Producer**  
**Television Mini-Series –**                    **‘Nightmares and Dreamscapes’**  
Production Company:                    TNT/Coote Hayes Productions  
References:                    Mike Robe, John McMahon & Jeff Hayes  
**\*\*Winner of 2 Emmys Nominated for 5\*\***

**2004/2005**                    **Line Producer**  
**Television Mini-Series –**                    **‘Hercules’**  
Production Company:                    Hallmark/Coote Hayes Productions  
References:                    Jeff Hayes, Executive Producer  
*New Zealand*

**2003/2004**                    **Line Producer**  
**Television Movie –**                    **‘The Alice’**  
Production Company:                    Southern Star Entertainment  
References:                    Robyn Sinclair, Producer

**2003**                    **Producer**  
**Television Mini-Series –**                    **‘Salem’s Lot’**  
Production Company:                    Wolper Organization/TNT  
References:                    Mark Wolper, Executive Producer

**2002/2003**                    **Producer**  
**Television Movie –**                    **‘Evil Never Dies’**  
Production Company:                    Coote Hayes Productions /Warner Bros  
References:                    Mark Wolper, Executive Producer  
Jeff Hayes, Executive Producer

**2001/2002**                    **Executive Producer/Producer**  
**Television Series –**                    **‘BeastMaster series III’**  
Canadian/US/Australian Co-Production  
Production Company:                    Tribune/Coote Hayes Productions  
References:                    Jeff Hayes, Executive Producer

**Producer/Director**  
**Television Series –**                    **‘BeastMaster series II’**

2000                    **Producer**  
**Television Series –**                    **‘BeastMaster series II’**

**Producer**  
**Television series –**                    **‘BeastMaster series I’**  
Various budgets for television series

1998/1999            **Producer**  
**Television series –**                    **‘BeastMaster series I’**

**Producer**  
**Television series –**                    **‘Water Rats’**  
Production Company:                    Southern Star Productions  
References:                                Ted Roberts, Executive Producer

1997                    **Line Producer**  
**Television Series –**                    **‘Water Rats’**

**First Assistant Director**  
**Feature Film -**                            **‘Zeus & Roxanne’**  
Production Company:                    Paramount Pictures  
Director:                                    George Miller  
   Bahamas

1996                    **First Assistant Director/Line Producer**  
**Television Series –**                    **‘Water Rats’**

**First Assistant Director**  
**Mini Series –**                            **‘Thornbirds: The Missing Years’**  
Director:                                    Kevin Dobson

1995                    **First Assistant Director**  
**Feature film -**                            **‘Silver Strand’**  
Director –                                    George Miller

**Producer**  
Various commercials, corporate videos etc.

1994                    **Producer / First Assistant director**  
Various corporate videos, commercials etc.  
eg: Corporate videos for    AMP Society  
   Australia Post  
   Australian Meat Corp.  
Commercials for                            Kings Road Smash Repair  
   Australian Meat Corp.

                             Various budgets for Television drama, situation  
Comedy, corporate videos and commercials

<b>1994 cont.</b>	<p><b>First Assistant Director</b>  <b>Feature Film -</b>  Production Company:  Director:  References:</p>	<p><b>‘Streetfighter’</b>  Shadaloop Productions  Steven de Sousa  Grant Hill</p>
	<p><b>Producer</b>  <b>Television situation comedy -</b>  Production Company:</p>	<p><b>‘Norman is that you’</b>  Forrest Redlich Productions</p>
<b>1993</b>	<p><b>Producer</b>  Negotiated International sales of <b>‘E Street’</b>  Reformatted ‘E-Street’ for International sales  Pilot Program for ‘BBC’ – ‘Great Southern Land’  Infotainment lifestyle program  Pilot program for ‘BBC’ – ‘Off the Edge’ Live comedy program</p>	
	<p><b>Producer</b>  <b>Television series –</b>  Production company:  References</p>	<p><b>‘E-Street’</b>  Westside Television  Bob Delamont</p>
<b>1992</b>	<p><b>Line Producer / Producer</b>  <b>Television series –</b></p>	<p><b>‘E-Street’</b></p>
	<p><b>Line Producer</b>  <b>Television series –</b>  Production Company</p>	<p><b>‘Teen Queens’</b>  Westside Television</p>
<b>1991</b>	<p><b>First Assistant Director</b>  <b>Television drama –</b></p>	<p><b>‘E-Street’</b></p>
	<p><b>First Assistant Director</b>  <b>Mini series –</b>  Production Company:</p>	<p><b>‘Miraculous Mellops’</b>  Millennium Pictures</p>
	<p><b>First Assistant Director</b>  Television Drama –</p>	<p><b>‘E-Street’</b></p>
<b>1990</b>	<p><b>First Assistant Director</b>  Various commercials</p>	
	<p><b>First Assistant Director</b>  Television Drama –</p>	<p><b>‘E-Street’</b></p>
<b>1989</b>	<p><b>First Assistant Director</b>  Television series –</p>	<p><b>‘Family and Friends’</b></p>
	<p><b>First Assistant Director</b>  Television drama –</p>	<p><b>‘E-Street’</b></p>

1989 cont.	<p><b>Second assistant Director/ Second unit – First Assistant Director</b> Television movie – <b>‘The Saint’</b></p> <p><b>First Assistant Director/ Location Manager</b> Television series – <b>‘Australia’s Most Wanted’</b></p> <p><b>Second Assistant Director/ Relief First Assistant Director</b> Feature Film – <b>‘Hunting’</b></p>
1988	<p><b>Second Assistant Director/ Relief First Assistant Director</b> Feature Film – <b>‘Heaven Tonight’</b></p> <p><b>Second Assistant Director</b> Feature Film – <b>‘The Punisher’</b></p> <p><b>First Assistant Director/ Second Assistant Director</b> Mini Series – <b>‘Tanamera’</b></p> <p><b>Second Assistant Director</b> Television Movie – <b>‘Shooter’</b></p>
1987	<p><b>Second Assistant Director/ Relief First Assistant Director</b> Feature Film – <b>‘Outback’</b></p> <p><b>Second Assistant Director/ Relief First Assistant Director</b> Feature Film – <b>‘The Man From Snowy River II’</b></p>
1986	<p><b>Second Assistant Director</b> Mini Series – <b>‘Nancy Wake’</b></p> <p><b>Second Assistant Director</b> Television Movie – <b>‘Facts of Life Down Under’</b></p> <p><b>Second Assistant Director/ Relief First Assistant Director</b> Television series – <b>‘Willing &amp; Abel’</b></p>
1986	<p><b>First Assistant Director/ Production Manager</b> Documentary Drama – <b>‘Riding High’</b></p> <p><b>First Assistant Director</b> Feature Film – <b>‘Slate Wynne &amp; Me’</b></p>
1985	<p><b>Second Assistant Director</b> Mini Series – <b>‘Alice to Nowhere’</b></p>

<b>1985 cont.</b>	<p><b>Second Assistant Director</b>  <b>Relief First Assistant Director</b>  Mini Series – <b>‘Sword of Honour’</b></p> <p><b>Second Assistant Director/  Relief First Assistant Director</b>  Mini Series – <b>‘A Thousand Skies’</b></p>
<b>1984</b>	<p><b>Property Buyer</b>  Television Movie – <b>‘Glass Babies’</b></p> <p><b>Second Assistant Director</b>  Feature Film – <b>‘Starship’</b></p> <p><b>Third Assistant Director</b>  Feature Film – <b>‘Son of Alvin’</b></p> <p><b>Location Assistant</b>  Television Series – <b>‘Five Mile Creek’</b></p>
<b>1981-1983</b>	<p><b>Floor Manager/  Music Editor</b>  Various television shows inc. – <b>‘Prisoner’</b></p>
<b>Licences:</b>	<p>Motor vehicle  Pilot  Scuba diving  Boat</p>