



Special Effects Australia Pty Ltd

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I'm a special effects supervisor with 35 years experience in film, television, and theatre. I have experience within the following fields, design and manufacture of mechanical rigs, atmospheric effects, and pyrotechnics. Combined with a proven ability to project manage large-scale events. My crew and I can deliver award winning special effects to your production on time and on budget.

Credits

2023 **Planet of The Apes-Forbidden Zone** Special Effects Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Heartbreak High Special Effects Supervisor Stan TV Series Australia

2022 **Planet of The Apes-Forbidden Zone** Special Effects Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Lost Flowers of Alice Hart Special Effects Supervisor Prime TV Series Australia

2021 **Lost Flowers of Alice Hart** Special Effects Supervisor Prime TV Series Australia
Poker Face Special Effects Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Pieces of Her Special Effects Supervisor Netflix TV Series Australia

2020 **Shang Chi** Pre-Rig Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Dan Oliver
Peter Rabbit 2 Lead Senior Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor Dan Oliver

2019 **Tenent** Pyrotechnics Supervisor Feature Film International
Supervisor: Andy Williams
Peter Rabbit 2 Lead Senior Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor Dan Oliver

2018 **Terminator: Dark Fate** Pyrotechnics Supervisor Feature Film U.K
Supervisor: Neil Corbould

2017 **Nekrotronic** Special Effects Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Underbelly Files: Chopper Special Effects Supervisor TV Series Australia
Wrecked Season 2 Special Effects Supervisor TV Series Fiji

2016 **Pacific Rim: Uprising** Pyrotechnics Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Dan Oliver
Aliens: Covenant Pyrotechnics Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Neil Corbould (UK)

2015 **Hacksaw Ridge** Pyrotechnics Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Dan Oliver
Pirates of The Caribbean 5 Pyrotechnics Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Dan Oliver

- 2014 **Gods of Egypt** Special Effects Senior Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Dan Oliver
- 2013 **Fury** Special Effects On-Set Foreman Action Unit Feature Film UK
Supervisor: Andy Williams
Old School Special Effects Supervisor TV Series Australia
- 2012 **Bob Katterpult** Project manage construction of worlds most powerful trebuchet for Nova
96.9 Live Event Australia
Fury Road Senior Special Effects Technician Feature Film Namibia
Supervisor: Dan Oliver/Andy Williams
Halo Manufacture components for Public Art Installation Australia
- 2011 **Rescue Special Ops** Special Effects Supervisor TV Series Australia
- 2010 **Rescue Special Ops** Special Effects Supervisor TV Series Australia
Opening Ceremony Vancouver Winter Olympics Special Effects Supervisor Live Event
Australia/Canada
- 2009 **Don't Be Afraid of the Dark** Special Effects on Set Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Angelo Sahine
Tomorrow When the War Began Workshop Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Dan Oliver
- 2008 **Wolverine** Senior Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Dan Oliver
Pacific Senior Special Effects Technician TV Miniseries Australia
Supervisor: Joss Williams/Peter Stubbs
- 2007 **Justice League** Special Effects on Set Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Brian Cox
Nim's Island Special Effects Coordinator Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Dan Oliver
Australia Special Effects on Set Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Brian Cox
- 2006 **Fred Claus** Senior Special Effects Technician Feature Film UK
Supervisor: Neil Corbould
Blood Diamond Senior Special Effects Technician Feature Film Sth Africa
Supervisor: Neil Corbould
- 2005 **Superman Returns** Workshop Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Neil Corbould/Dave Young
- 2004 **Stealth** Special Effects Assistant Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: John Frazier/Dave Young
- 2003 **Son of The Mask** Special Effects Assistant Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Brian Cox
Star Wars Episode 3 Special Effects Assistant Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Dave Young
Future Tense Senior Special Effects Technician Television Australia
Supervisor: Chris Murray
Preservation Special Effects Supervisor Feature Film Australia
- 2002 **The Great Raid** Senior Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Brian Cox
Temptation Senior Special Effects Technician Television Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley

- 2002 **Matrix Revolutions** Special Effects Assistant Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
- 2001 **Matrix Reloaded** Special Effects Assistant Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
Farscape Senior Special Effects Technician Television Australia
Supervisor: Chris Murray
The Quiet American Senior Special Effects Technician Feature Film Vietnam
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
- 2000 **Queen of the Damned** Special Effects Assistant Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Brian Cox
Sydney Olympics Special Effects Supervisor Event Australia
Construction Supervisor: Jeremy Sparkes
Moulin Rouge Senior Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Brian Cox
Farscape Senior Special Effects Technician Television Australia
Supervisor: Chris Murray
- 1999 **Red Planet** Senior Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Tad Pride
The Monkeys Mask Senior Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
Airtight Senior Special Effects Technician Television Australia
Supervisor: Chris Murray
Mission Impossible 2 Senior Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Brian Cox
Anna and the King Special Effects on Set Supervisor Feature Film Malaysia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
- 1998 **The Matrix** Special Effects Workshop Supervisor Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
Wildside Special Effects Supervisor TV Series Australia
- 1997 **The Sugar Factory** Senior Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
Kings in Grass Castles Senior Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
In the Winter Darkness Senior Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
Wildside Senior Special Effects Technician TV Series Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
Tomorrow Never Dies Senior Special Effects Technician Feature Film Thailand
Supervisor: Chris Corbould
- 1996 **Dark City** Senior Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Tad Pride
Oscar and Lucinda Senior Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
Hart to Hart Senior Special Effects Technician TV Series Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
- 1995 **The Phantom** Special Effects Technician Feature Film Thailand
Supervisor: Al Lorimer/Steve Courtley
Race the Sun Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Tad Pride
- 1994 **Mighty Morphin Power Rangers** Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
Street Fighter Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Brian Cox

- 1993 **Rapa Nui** Jr Special Effects Technician Feature Film Easter Island
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
- 1991 **Reckless Kelly** Jr Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
Year of the Dragon Jr Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
- 1990 **Home and Away** Jr Special Effects Technician TV Series Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
Ring of Scorpio Jr Special Effects Technician TV Series Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
- 1989 **Quigley Down Under** Jr Special Effects Technician Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley
- 1988 **The Punisher** Special Effects Buyer Feature Film Australia
Supervisor: Steve Courtley

Trade Qualifications

- Diploma of Screen & Media: Special Effects
- Explosives Users Permit (endorsed for Special Effects) –NSW, Australia
- General Fireworks Permit –NSW, Australia
- Unsupervised Handling Certificate-NSW, Australia
- Elevated Work Platform Ticket –Australia, UK
- Forklift Drivers Ticket –Australia, UK
- Truck Drivers License (MR) -Australia
- Engineering Drafting Certificate –Australia
- Certificate of Competency –Electrical testing (plug in) –Australia
- Boat Drivers License –Australia
- Open Water Diving Certificate –PADI
- Telescopic Handler to 3t Gold Card-Australia