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Samuel Perriard (*1983) lives and works as an independent filmmaker in Zurich.

After an apprenticeship as a structural draughtsman and a design degree at the ZHdK, he studied film directing from 2006 to 2013 at the German Film and Television Academy Berlin (dffb). His graduation film **BLACK PANTHER** celebrated its world premiere in 2013 at the 31st Munich Film Festival, and the international premiere in 2014 at the 50th International Film Festival in Chicago and was nominated at the **FIRST STEPS Awards 2013** and the **STUDIO HAMBURG Young Filmmakers Award 2014** in the category of „First Feature Films“.

He is a participant of **BERLINALE TALENTS 2014** and **ZFF Master Class 2014**.

His second feature film **8 DAYS IN AUGUST**, a Swiss-Italian co-production starring Julia Jentsch and Florian Lukas, was filmed in autumn 2021. The film will go on festival tour in summer/fall 2023 and will be theatrically released in spring 2024.

In 2020, he co-directed the third season of the TV-series **WILDER**, and in winter 2023, he worked as 2nd Unit Director on **DAVOS** - a historical spy series.

His latest short film **QUEEN** had its world premiere in January 2023 in the short film competition of the **Max Ophüls Award**.

LUPUS - a dystopian movie set in the mountains - is currently in development.

Projects in development

- * **LUPUS**
100 min / Fic
Writer & Director: Samuel Perriard
Production: C-Films, Martin Joss

Filmography (Excerpt)

- 2023 **8 DAYS IN AUGUST**
90 Min / Fic
Writer & Director
Production: Catpics Ag & Helios Sustainable Films
*57. Internationale Filmtage Hof
- 2022 **QUEEN**
9 Min / Fic
Director
*44th Max Ophüls Filmfestival (D)
*20th In The Palace Short Film Festival (BG)
*17th Rome Filmfestival (IT)
*71st Trento Film Festival (IT)
*32nd Schwerin Film Art Festival (DE)
- 2019 **STARSHOT**
13 min / Fic
Writer & Director
Production: 0712 Film
*10th Oaxaca Filmfest (MEX)
*5th Minikino Week (IND)
*4th High Coast Filmfestival (SWE)
- 2013 **SCHWARZER PANTHER**
79 min / Fic
Writer & Director
Production: StickUp & dffb
*31th Filmfest München (D)
*50th Chicago International Film Festival (USA)
*49th Solothurner Filmtage (CH)
*10th achtung berlin Film Festival (D)
Nominiert für den **FIRST STEPS Award 2013**
Nominiert für den **Studio Hamburg Nachwuchspreis 2014**
- 2009 **DUNKELBLAU**
5 min / Fic
Writer & Director
Production: dffb & arte
*6th achtung berlin Film Festival (DE)