

About me

Award-winning and nominated writer/director with hands-on experience producing my own films and working on set across dozens of commercials and several television shows. Highly efficient, enthusiastic, and a natural connector with strong networking skills. As a past 48HFP winner and multi-time nominee, I bring a deep understanding of the festival's energy, structure, and creative spirit. As well as great PR skills to succesfuly plan and execute events.

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Raúl Acosta

WRITER, DIRECTOR, PRODUCER

As Director / Producer

Short-Films

Duelo (2015) - national finalist / best student film nominee Crisis (2016) - national broadcasted Una nuova opportunita (2017) - first place best film The Surgery (2018) - first place best film / exhibited at Filmapalooza 2018 The Dish (2024) - best film & director nominee 48th hours films project NYC 2024 Double Booked (2025) - currently in post-production

Documentaries

The history of my life (2017) Riders without borders (2018)

As Assistant Director

20+ commercials with Tunche Films (2016-2019) 5 episodes TV Show "Esperancita" (2017) 1st season of Los Otros Libertadores (2021)

Valuable Related Experience: Art Gallery Manager at Park West Gallery

Managed gallery operations and curated exhibitions onboard for Park West Gallery, the world's largest art dealer. Planned and executed themed art shows and live auctions, while coordinating cross-promotional efforts with internal departments and guest services. This experience developed my strengths in event coordination, audience engagement, public speaking, and high-pressure logistics — all directly relevant to producing dynamic, time-sensitive events like the 48 Hour Film Project.

Skills

- Event Planning & Live Production Management
- Community Outreach & Sponsorship Coordination
- Cross-Promotion & Marketing Strategy
- Tech-Savvy: Zoom, Dropbox, Canva, Google Workspace
- Team Leadership & Bilingual Communication
 (English & Spanish)

Languages

Spanish Native

English Native

Italian Intermediate