



STACEY PIANKO, CSA

CASTING DIRECTOR

Los Angeles/Detroit

Stacey began her career in the Feature Film department at Disney/Touchstone Pictures, working on such films as Cool Runnings, Significant Other, The Three Musketeers, A Far Off Place and The Mighty Ducks. She then worked as a casting assistant on “The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air” and as an associate on many film and TV projects.

During her stint as **Director of Casting at Disney Channel**, stars such as **Shia LaBeouf, Hilary Duff, Kat Dennings, Lindsay Lohan, Kat Graham,** and **Kaley Cuoco** found their launching pad very early in their careers.

Stacey entered the independent casting world with her partner Orly Sitowitz, CSA and have cast many Independent Feature Films, including **VIOLET (2021 TIFF Premiere)** as well as having cast pilots and series for most major television networks.

She has had the pleasure of working with prominent directors/producers as James Cameron, Troy Miller, Adam Shankman, Jada Pinkett Smith, Marshall Herskovitz, Ed Zwick, Ed Harris, Matthew Carnahan and Howard Gordon among others.

Her recent credits include:

Currently **BLACK SPINES** with Orly Sitowitz, Independent Feature, Directed by Jordon Foss, Producers Bradley Gallo, Michael Helfant, Carl Rumbaugh
AVATAR: THE WAY OF WATER (coordinated Worldwide Kid search w/ Margery Simkin as CD) Feature film, 20th Century Studios, Directed by James Cameron, Producers, James Cameron and Jon Landau.

VIOLET, Feature film, Directed, Written and Produced by Justine Bateman, Produced by Loose Cannon Pictures. ****TIFF Premiere 2021 **ARTIOS AWARD NOMINATED**

A WRINKLE IN TIME (with Aisha Coley as CD) Feature film, Directed by Ana DuVernay, Produced by Legend3D, Catherine Hand, Jim Whitaker.

BREAKWATER, Feature film, Directed by James Rowe, Produced by Loose Cannon pictures. Starring: Dermot Mulroney, Mena Suvari and Darren Mann

ROCKYARD, Feature film, Directed and Written by Howard Reichman and Turhan Caylak (pre-production)

Stacey continues to enjoy the casting and coaching actors for auditions under her **Casting Fairy** Banner www.castingfairy.com

During the pandemic she also directed and produced a short film called **OLD MIDDLE SCHOOL**

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