



MADHU MAHANKALI

Profile

MADHU MAHANKALI, an experienced Cinematographer and Director, is a product of the FILM & TELEVISION INSTITUTE OF INDIA (**FTII, PUNE**)

- He worked as the **Director of photography for more than 15 feature films**, in various Indian languages from Assamese, Telugu and Hindi
- He also directed and produced **around 10 television serials** for Door Darshan and various TV Channels like Gemini TV, MAA TV, ETV
- He established the production house **DHRITI MEDIA PVT LTD**, under which he produced and directed **more than 100 advertisements and corporate films** for various public sector and private sector companies.

Filmography:

- **'THE JOURNEY'** (Short film)

He has produced & directed a short fiction film, which has participated in many international film festivals like

- **SHORT FILM CORNER at CANNES FILM FESTIVAL, 2007**
- **Won the Best Director award at the HYDERABAD INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL, 2007**
- **Won Special Jury award for Best short film at FESTIVAL DU CINEMA DE PARIS, 2007**

- **IN SEARCH OF BUDDHA** (Documentary film)

Produced and directed a Documentary short “**IN SEARCH OF BUDDHA**”, on the life and times of **Gautama Buddha**, shown at the **International Sambuddhathwajayanthi film festival, Sri Lanka in 2011**

- **PARAMPARA'** (Feature film)

- Produced and directed a feature film in the Telugu language titled '**PARAMPARA'** (2014), which was screened at many International film festivals and won the platinum award at the **International Movie Awards, Indonesia in 2014.**
- He participated in the **Hong Kong Asia Finance Forum (HAF-2016)** with his feature film script '**SOLITUDE'** as the official selection in 2016.