

**DAVE ELSEY***Prosthetic & Make Up Effects Designer*

*From creating fantastical creatures in the TV series Farscape, thru plant-wrangling skills in The Little Shop of Horrors to the Broadway stage, Designer Dave Elsey has demonstrated an extraordinary ability to create memorable characters using make up and animatronics. His work on Star Wars: Episode III: Revenge of the Sith garnered an Oscar nomination. Collaborating with Rick Baker for The Wolfman, Elsey won the coveted Academy Award (and a Saturn Award). From conceptual designing characters and make up effects through the manufacture and operation of effects and animatronics characters, Dave is able to take the director's vision successfully to the screen. Based in Los Angeles with permanent USA & UK residency, Elsey is available for work worldwide.*

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selected credits as make up effects supervisor:**production**

JOHN WICK 4 (prosthetics supervisor)  
 BEAUTY AND THE BEAST (special make up effects designer)  
 MR. HOLMES (Sir Ian McKellen) (make up designer)  
 WOLVES (creature effects creator/supervisor)  
 X-MEN FIRST CLASS  
 THE WOLFMAN (creature effects supervisor)

**Academy Award (shared) for Achievement in Make up**

WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE (creature effects supervisor)  
 MEN IN BLACK 3 (creature conceptual artist)  
 BLACK SHEEP (creature effects supervisor)  
 GHOST RIDER  
 STAR WARS III: REVENGE OF THE SITH

**Academy Award nomination (shared) for Achievement in Make up**

MISSION IMPOSSIBLE 2  
 FIRST KNIGHT  
 MUTANT CHRONICLES (creature effects supervisor)

**director/production company**

Chad Stahelski / Lionsgate  
 Bill Condon / Walt Disney Pictures  
 Bill Condon / See-Saw Films  
 David Hayter / Copperheart Ent.  
 Matthew Vaughan / Universal Pictures  
 Joe Johnston / Universal Pictures

Spike Jonze / Warner Brothers  
 Barry Sonnenfeld / Columbia Pictures  
 Jonathan King / NZFC – IFC Films  
 Mark Johnson / Columbia Pictures  
 George Lucas / Lucas Film

John Woo / Paramount Pictures  
 Jerry Zucker / Columbia Pictures  
 Simon Hunter / Edward R. Pressman

television

DRACULA (special make up effects designer) various / Hartswood Films – BBC - Netflix  
 IN A MAN'S WORLD (special make up effects designer) various / Lucky 8 TV – Bravo Channel  
 THE WIZ, LIVE! (special make up effects designer) Kenny Leon / NBC Universal – NBC TV  
 FARSCAPE: THE PEACEKEEPER WARS (creature effects supervisor) Brian Henson / Jim Henson Company  
 FARSCAPE (88 episodes, creature effects supervisor) various / Jim Henson Company  
 SILENT WITNESS (8 episodes) various / BBC – A&E Networks

commercials & music videos

YELLOW PAGES 'clown'  
 McDONALDS 'cavemen'  
 USPS 'monster'  
 NIKE 'Good vs Evil' (demon creature effects supervisor)  
 PIRELLI TIRES 'goddess' (creature effects supervisor)  
 MASSIVE ATTACK 'teardrop' (creature effects supervisor)  
 APHEX TWIN 'come to daddy' (make up effects supervisor)