

LOU ELSEY

Prosthetic & Make Up Effects Designer

Lou's entire career thus far has been spent turning fantasy into onscreen reality through her designs for hair and makeup effects, animatronics, and costume. Working independently and alongside her husband, Dave Elsey, Lou has worked on multiple major studio pictures as well as episodic television and independent genre features.

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selected credits

production

features:

THE SUBSTANCE (prosthetics supervisor)
COLD STORAGE (special make up effects designer)
THE BEE KEEPER (sfx makeup designer)
AQUAMAN AND THE LOST KINGDOM (prosthetics supervisor)
JOHN WICK CHAPTER: 4 (special makeup effects supervisor – Scott Adkins)
GHOSTBUSTERS: AFTERLIFE (special costume - Gozer)
BEAUTY AND THE BEAST (special make up effects designer)
MR. HOLMES (prosthetics supervisor)
WOLVES (creature & makeup effects designer)
X-MEN FIRST CLASS (beast fabrication & hair designer)
THE WOLFMAN (creature fabrication & hair supervisor)
WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE (creature fabrication & hair supervisor)
MEN IN BLACK 3 (creature costume artist)
BLACK SHEEP (creature fabrication & hair supervisor)
GHOST RIDER (special effects hair & fabrication supervisor)
STAR WARS III: REVENGE OF THE SITH (creature fabrication & hair supervisor)
FIRST KNIGHT (makeup effects supervisor)
WORLD OF MOSS (creature fabrication & hair supervisor)
THE ETERNITY MAN (prosthetics hair supervisor)
BRAVEHEART (animatronic horse fabrication artist)
THE AVENGERS (fabrication artist)
THE MUMMY (creature effects fabrication designer)

television:

CHRISTMAS GHOST STORY: LOT NO. 249 (sfx makeup designer)
TRUE DETECTIVE: NIGHT COUNTRY (sfx makeup designer)
Nominated: Outstanding Prosthetic Makeup – Emmy Awards 2024
DRACULA (special make up effects designer)
IN A MAN'S WORLD (special make up effects designer)
THE WIZ, LIVE! (special make up effects designer)
MARTIN'S CLOSE (prosthetic makeup designer)
DERREN BROWN: PUSHED TO THE EDGE (makeup effects designer)
FARSCAPE: THE PEACEKEEPER WARS (creature costume designer)
FARSCAPE (88 episodes, creature effects supervisor)

director/production company

Coralie Fargeat / Working Title Films
Jonny Campbell / Paramount Pictures
David Ayer / Cedar Park Studios
James Wan / Warner Bros.
Chad Stahelski / Lionsgate
Jason Reitman / Columbia Pictures
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
Jerry Zucker / Columbia Pictures

Julien Temple / Goalpost Pictures
Mel Gibson / Icon Entertainment
Jeremiah S. Chechik / Warner Bros.
Stephen Sommers / Universal Pictures

Mark Gatiss / Adorable Media - BBC
Issa López / Anonymous Conten – HBO

various / Hartswood Films – BBC - Netflix
various / Lucky 8 TV – Bravo Channel
Kenny Leon / NBC Universal – NBC TV
Mark Gatiss / Adorable Media
Jon Richards / Vaudeville Productions
Brian Henson / Jim Henson Company
various / Jim Henson Company