Profile

Val Athanassiou

Vitals



Gender	Male
Pronoun	He Him
Age Range	50 - 60
Ethnicity	Greek, Italian
Height	180cm
Web	https://www.youtube.com/valathanassiou
Base Location	Melbourne
Available In	Adelaide, Auckland, Australian Capital Territory, Brisbane, Cairns, Christchurch, Dunedin, Gold Coast, International, Melbourne, Northern NSW, Northern Territory, Perth, Queenstown, Sydney, Tasmania, Wellington
Skills	Actor, Commercial Talent, Director, Voice Artist, Producer, Singer
Hair	Greying
Eye	Brown
Memberships	M.E.A.A
Distinguishable Features	

Agent

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Credits

Year	Role	Production	Company	Director
Television				
2026	Featured - Taylor's Paramedic	Dear Life	Gristmill	Robyn Butler & Wayne Hope

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2023	Guest - Finance Official	Utopia	Working Dog	Rob Sitch
2023	Featured - Parent	The Spooky Files	Matchbox Pictures	Craig Irvin
2017	Featured - Noregard Foreman	Glitch 2	Matchbox Pictures	Emma Freeman
2016	Co-Star - Charles Bezzina	Murder Calls S1 Ep2 Kelly Hodge	Screentime	Michael Venables
2015	Co-Star - Shipyard Foreman	Hello, This is Australia	Bombora Films & The Monkeys	Paul Clarke
2015	Co-Star - Frank Columbo (American Accent)	Deadly Women - S9 Ep2 - DIY Orphans - The Patty Columbo Story	Beyond Productions	John Mavety
2014	Co-Star - Robert Yesconis (Southern American Accent)	Deadly Women - S7 Ep20 - In The Family - The Jennifer Yesconis Story	Beyond Productions	Katie Hides
2014	Co-Star - Chris Soteriou	Inside Story	Channel Nine	Louise Meek
2013	Co-Star - Joshua Brewer (American Accent)	Dark Minds - S3 Ep5 - Long Island Serial Killer	Beyond Productions	John Mavety
2013	Co-Star - Stavros	Old School S1 Ep4 Her Weight in Gold	Matchbox Pictures	Peter Templeman
2013	Co-Star - Andrew Sanchez (American Accent)	Deadly Women - S6 Ep15 - Double Trouble - The Clarissa Sanchez Story	Beyond Productions	Katie Hides
2013	Co-Star - Larry Aylor (American Accent)	Behind Mansion Walls - S3 Ep13 - Blood Money - The Joy Aylor Story	Beyond Productions	James Knox
2011	Co-Star - Angelo Georgio	Four Corners - The Caroline Byrne Case	ABC	Robert Marchand
2010	Co-Star - Mr Vertzayas	As Australian As - Alex Perry	Bearcage	Serge Ou
2009	Featured - Bar Patron	False Witness	Screen Australia / ION Television	Peter Andrikidis
2008	Featured - Fire Investigator	Home and Away	7 Network	David Gould
2008	Featured - Nurse	All Saints- Ep 424 Beginnings	7 Network	Martin Sacks
2008	Featured - Memorial Guest	Home and Away	7 Network	Mark Piper
2008	Featured - Prison Officer	Home and Away	7 Network	David Gould
2008	Featured - Bar Patron	The Informant	Screen Australia / Roadshow	Peter Andrikidis
2007	Featured - Restaurant Patron	All Saints - Ep 393 Precious Moments	7 Network	Tony Krawitz
2007	Featured - Paramedic	All Saints - Ep 382 Back On Track	7 Network	Pino Amenta

Feature Film

2026	Featured - The Bidder	I Fall to Pieces	Identical Stranger	Charles Leversha
2026	Featured - Trucker	The Mongoose	Code Entertainment	Mark Vanselow
2013	Supporting - Henry Gein	Lead Me Astray	Bendy Spoon	Tom Danger
2008				

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	Supporting - Interpol Detective James	Deception	ByronBayFilmCo	Marcus Cloherty
2008	Featured - Restaurant Patron	Three Blind Mice	Dirty Rat	Matthew Newton
2008	Featured - The Boyfriend	Bachna Ae Haseeno	Yash Raj Films	Siddharth Anand

Short Film

2022	Lead - Dad	The Wokey Dad	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2021	Lead - Dad	Bittersweet Symphony	Greg Gould Productions	Greg Gould & Maria Mercedes
2021	Lead - Dual Roles	Lost in Oz'Merica-lation	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2020	Lead - Daddy Outlaw	Daddy Outlaw	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2020	Lead - Sal	Of Course God is Italian	Vociferous Productions	Rokk Lattanzio
2019	Lead - Papou (Greek Language)	Song of The Moon	Bailey Quinn	Nicholas Kehaidis
2019	Lead - Jake and his Brother	Brothers in Arms	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2019	Lead - Franco and Phil (French Language)	Franco et Phil	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2019	Lead - Satan	Of Course God is an Alien	Vociferous Productions	Rokk Lattanzio
2018	Lead - Mafioso (Greek Language)	Love Letter to Peter Andrikidis	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2018	Lead - Toni (Italian Language)	Taboo	Taboo	Olivia Altavilla
2017	Lead - Daniel	Daniel	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2015	Supporting - The Grocer	50 Dollar Apple	Tina A Wake	Tina A Wake
2015	Lead - Jake	Something About Bindis	Films4Change	Jerry Retford
2014	Lead - The Assassin (American Accent)	Grosse Pointe	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2014	Lead - The Sheriff (Boston American Accent)	Profiler	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2014	Lead - The Grunt (Southern American Accent)	The Grunt	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2014	Lead - Old Guy (American Accent)	Terror 101	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2012	Lead - Mutt	The Promise	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2011	Lead - Lawrence Ecnelav (American Accent)	The Adman	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2011	Lead - The Private (American Accent)	Running	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2010	Lead - Multiple Roles	The Actor	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2010	Lead - Ralph	This is Television	Jack Rozycki	Jack Rozycki
2010	Supporting - The Colleague	Come With Me Fly	U-Turn Productions	Brendon Flyyn
2009	Supporting - Driver	Infidelity	Troy Robertson	Troy Robertson
2009	Supporting - Egon Kitsch	Australis	TwoTwentyTwo	Shahn Devendran

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Stage

2011	Lead - Jake	Something About Bindis	Playhouse Newcastle	Annie Bilton
2010	Lead - The Writer	POMO	NIDA	Platon Theodoris
2010	Supporting - The Singer	Leader of the Pack	GMS Theatre	Anthony Howes
2009	Lead - Max	The Big C	Peninsula Theatre	Pam Campbell
2009	Supporting - Steve's Double	Double Take	Peninsula Theatre	Brendon Flynn
2008	Supporting - Multiple Roles	The Hour We Knew Nothing of Each Other	NIDA	Jennifer Hagan

Web Series

2023	Lead - Peter	No To Violence	Gozer	James Armstrong
2019	Featured - Hot Guy	Real Melbourne	Dexter Goes Woof Productions	Justin Edbrooke
2016	Lead - Joseph	It's Just a Choice - Episode 8 - Sexual Abuse	Films4Change	Jerry Retford
2016	Lead - Joseph	It's Just a Choice - Episode 9 - Generational Abuse	Films4Change	Jerry Retford
2016	Lead - Joseph	It's Just a Choice - Episode 5 - Physical and Child Intimidation	Films4Change	Jerry Retford
2016	Lead - Joseph	It's Just a Choice - Episode 6A - Psychological and Emotional Abuse	Films4Change	Jerry Retford
2016	Lead - Joseph	It's Just a Choice - Episode 6B - Psychological and Emotional Abuse	Films4Change	Jerry Retford
2016	Lead - Joseph	It's Just A Choice - Episode 7 - Psychological Abuse (Abusive Husband)	Films4Change	Jerry Retford
2016	Lead - Joseph	It's Just a Choice - Episode 4 - Physical and Verbal Abuse	Films4Change	Jerry Retford
2016	Lead - Joseph	It's Just a Choice - Episode 1 - Financial Abuse	Films4Change	Jerry Retford
2016	Lead - Joseph	It's Just a Choice - Episode 2 - Stalking and Harassment	Films4Change	Jerry Retford
2016	Lead - Joseph	It's Just a Choice - Episode 3 - Verbal Intimidation and Harassment	Films4Change	Jerry Retford
2016	Lead - Joseph	It's Just A Choice - The Miniseries	Films4Change	Jerry Retford
2014	All Voices	The Simpsons Parody	March Digital	Chris Walker
2014	Lead - Violent Dad	Bestforkids.org.au	eegenda	Norman Neeson
2012	Lead / Writer / Producer / Director / Editor	121212 Part 6 - The Photo Op	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou

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2012	Lead / Writer / Producer / Director / Editor	121212 Part 5 - The Dry Run	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2012	Lead / Writer / Producer / Director / Editor	121212 Part 4 - The Mutiny	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2012	Lead / Writer / Producer / Director / Editor	121212 Part 3 - The Takeover	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2012	Lead / Writer / Producer / Director / Editor	121212 Part 2 - The Setup	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2012	Lead / Writer / Producer / Director / Editor	121212 Part 1 - The Idea	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2012	Lead, Writer, Producer, Director, Editor	121212 The Webseries	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou

Commercial

2026	Father	Red Heart Movement	Finch	Lucy Knox
2026	Lead - Dad	OpenTable	OUTRO	Jordan Ruyi Blanch
2026	Lead - Husband	Australian Unity	The Royals	Riley Blakeway
2025	Lead - The Clown	Energy Misunderstood	Wildebeest	Julian Lucas
2024	Lead - Marty	Envirosuite Mining	Wildebeest	Robin Summons
2024	Lead - Brad	The Hairy Pill	Tamale Studios	Julian Lucas
2024	Featured - Dad	Deakin Sport - Think Beyond The Field	Truce Films	Jeff Johnson
2023	Featured -Father in Law	Flybuys Christmas	Division	Lula Cucchiara
2023	Featured - Dad	AGL - Join the Change	Flinders Lane	Adam Murfet and Jessie Oldfield
2023	Lead - The Farmer	NRMA Together	3RDSPACE	Rhys Day
2022	Featured - The Butcher	Jobs Victoria	ACCORDION PRODUCTIONS	Marty Moynihan
2021	Visual - Onlooker	Tennis Australia - Release the Player Within	Airbag	Ariel Martin
2021	Featured - Dad	Flybuys - Take More	Division	Sanjay De Silva
2020	Lead - Dad	Kmart Easter Egg Hunt	Otto Empire	Corrie Jones
2018	Featured - Gary Mehigan's Guest	Cadbury Chocolate	Absolute Content	Brad Sayers
2018	Lead - As Himself	You Never Forget The Flu	The Directors Group	Chris Sferrazza
2015	Lead - Francis the Patrolperson	NRMA Assist	Infinity Squared	Dan Reisinger
2015	Featured - Dad	KFC - Set Your Table Free	Ogilvy and Mather	Nick Robertson
2015	Featured - Finance Guy	Yahoo7	Finch	Alex Roberts
2015	Featured - Fan Paramedic	Volkswagen Fan Assist	Sergeant Major	David Jagoda
2015	Featured - Pool Waiter	Commbank	The Feds	Graeme Burfoot
2014	Featured - Head Waiter	Aussie Home Loans - Second Opinion	303Lowe	Paul Goldman

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2014	Lead - Fishmonger	Vicks Vapodrops	Photoplay Films	Andrew Lancaster
2013	Featured - Dad's Friend	Telstra-Foxtel	NOW	David Rechtman
2013	Featured - Dad	KFC - Family Feast	Ogilvy & Mather	Perry Westwood
2012	Featured - Dad	McDonalds -The Vow	Plaza Films	Nick Robertson
2012	Featured - Shipyard Foreman	Telstra 2020	FilmGraphics	Marc Furmie
2012	Lead - Dan the Awnings and Blinds Ma	CHOOSI - Income Protection Insurance - The Experts	Plump Films	Gary Cunliffe
2012	Featured - Doctor	Medecins Sans Frontieres	FilmGraphics	David Deneen
2011	Featured - Toilet Guy	Harpic - The Apology	Finch	Sean Kruck
2011	Featured - Used Car Salesman	CarHistory	Finch	Sean Kruck
2010	Featured - The Gardener	Pizza Hut - The Great Debate	Photoplay Films	Matt Kamen
2010	Featured - BBQ Man	Quit Smoking	Exit Films	Paul Goldman

Voice Over

2026	Dad	Deakin Sport - Think Beyond The Field	Rumble Studios	Liam Annert
2019	Creator and Narrator	Operation Veteran Assist	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou
2014	Voiceover	Suicide Awareness	St Vincent De Paul & March Digital	Chris Walker
2014	All Voices (American Accent)	The Simpsons Parody (Audio Only Version)	March Digital	Chris Walker

Photograph / Stills

2022	Injured Rider	TAC 'Protect Your Body On Every Ride'	Hart & Co	Cory White
2019	Husband	Early Settler	About Bob	Jules Tahan
2015	The Golfer	St George	Freeway Reps	Andreas Bommert
2014	Dad	Search Your NBN	The Kitchen Creative	Toby Burrows
2014	Doctor	Chris O Brien Lifehouse	Lifehouse	Fiona Forbes
2013	Dad	Meat and Livestock Australia	Freewayreps	Andreas Bommert
2010	The Vacationer	Tourism Australia	DDB	Todd Osborne
2010	The Admirer	Lexus	Sun Studios	Nick Bowles
2009	Office Male	CBD	Serge Kozak	Serge Kozak

Podcast

2021	Creator - Producer	My American Friend	Valman Productions	Val Athanassiou

Training

Dates	Institution	Course	Field of Study

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2026	Oakleigh Pistol Club	Handgun Proficiency and Certification - Gavin Horrigan	Weapons Training
2026	Howard Fine Acting Studio Australia	How to Be a Good Bad Guy	Character Development
2022	Film Armourer Victoria	Handgun Training for Actors - Cameron Douglas	Weapons Training
2021	MEAA	US Accent - Katherine Beck	Linguistics
2018	Howard Fine Acting Studio Australia	Actor Masterclass	Script Analysis, Scene Work, Acting Techniques
2018	Victorian College of the Arts	Bringing Yourself to the Role - Marilyn McIntyre	Character Development
2017	16th STREET	Character Based Improvisation - Robert Marchand	Character Development
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2015	ACTORS HUB	Character Based Improvisation - Robert Marchand	Character Development
2014	MEAA	Actor Masterclass - Miranda Harcourt	Character Development
2013	SCREENWISE	Actor Masterclass - Lynn Hegarty	Scene Study
2013	Sydney Stage and Combat School	Groundfighting Techniques - Kyle Rowling	Stage Combat
2013	MEAA	Actor Masterclass - Miranda Harcourt	Scene Study
2013	MEAA	Character Building and Movement - Nicholas Hope	Character Building and Movement
2012	ACTORS HUB	Character Based Improvisation - Robert Marchand	Character Development
2012	MEAA	Acting for Screen - Glenda Linscott	Scene Study
2010	SAE INSTITUTE	Director Masterclass - Bobby Roth	Directing for Screen
2009	NIDA	RP and Cockney Accents - Jennifer White	Accents
2009	MEAA	Actor Masterclass - Peter Andrikidis	Scene Study
2009	SCREENWISE	Screen Acting - Advanced - Kieran Darcy-Smith	Scene Study
2009	SCREENWISE	Actions In Action - Denise Roberts	Scene Study
2009	NIDA	General American Accents -	Accents

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Nick Curnow			
2009	MEAA	Musical Theatre Masterclass - Queenie Van de Zandt	Musical Theatre
2008	NIDA	Acting for Stage - Jennifer Hagan	Method
2008	SCREENWISE	Screen Acting - Kieran Darcy-Smith	On Camera Techniques
2007	NIDA	Acting for Screen - James Mitchell	Method & Stanislavsky
1990	Graham Corry School of Drama	Drama School	Acting, Theatre and Stage Management.

Notes

Val was born in Broken Hill, to parents of mixed heritage. Italian mother, a farmer. Romanian/Greek father, a surveyor; a job that saw the
family shift across Australia from Cootamundra to Sydney, all of which has contributed to giving Val a particular grounding and keen perspective into the immigrant way of life. Grass roots. Salt of the Earth. Family focused.

The Graham Corry School of Drama guided his professional acting debut in the modern day interpretation of Aristophanes 'The Birds',
acclaimed performances in numerous Short and Sweet productions followed. His love of singing and music culminated in performances
at the Sydney Opera House (he sports a strong Tenor), and he has relentlessly pursued his love of performance and training through NIDA,
Screenwise, 16th Street and Howard Fine with ongoing training and mentoring with Robert Marchand PhD, founder of the iconic CBI foundation.

A formidable Actor trained in a number of disciplines, Val's solid work ethic ensures he is in constant pursuit of training and personal development. Val has life experience as a rural firefighter, coast guard, justice of the peace and brandishes qualifications in scuba, boating, civil construction, shooting, and possesses a working with children check & is an accredited Victoria Police firearms safety instructor.

A keen voice actor, Val can call up numerous accents, speaks Greek and can throw in a smattering of Italian and French, all with solid reproduction and pronunciation.

Val is a father of four, which rhymes with 'no more', hence he tries to come to terms with the fact that his swarthy Mediterranean looks
may serve him for only so long, hence suited to the "loving Father", "harassed Dad" comedic persona, with the ability to turn it all the way up to eleven as the "furious parent" and "gun toting protector".

Val is suited to fierce, military and law enforcement characters. He is also befitting to darker underbelly roles as an assassin, adulterer and domestic abuser.

Val is known for his versatility and has no plan b.

Special skills: Firearms. SCUBA.
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