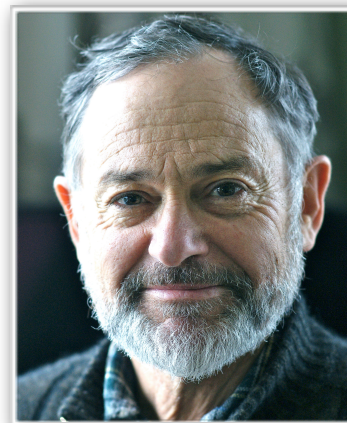


Arthur Ranford



Age Range : 56 - 64
Height : 167cm
Build : Slim
Hair : Brown
Eyes : Hazel
Accent : NZ Neutral

Film

2001 Crooked Earth	Hardware Store Owner	Communicado / Dir. Sam Pillsbury
1993 The Piano	School Hall Violin Player	The Australian Film Commission / Dir. Jane Campion
1983 Merry Christmas Mr Lawrence	P.O.W	Recorded Picture Company (RPC) / Dir. Nagisa Ohima
The First Step Along the Way		NZ Rail / Dir. by Geoff Steven
Mobil Training Film		Dir. Derek Morton
Its Your Child Norman Allenby		National Film Unit / Dir. Ian McDonald
Video Film		Installation piece by Sue Richter Elam

Television

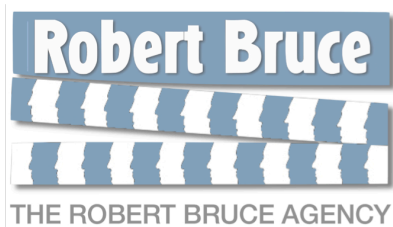
2009 Legend of the Seeker (US Series)	Merchant	The Walt Disney Company (New Zealand) Ltd / Dirs. Various
2009 Shortland Street (Series) Episodes 18.55. 18.54	Melvin Kendall	South Pacific Pictures / Dirs. Various
1997 Hercules The Legendary Journeys (US Series) 'Regrets..I've Had a Few'	Tidus	Pacific Renaissance / Dir. Gus Trikonis
1997 House of Sticks (Montana Seeries)	Klaus Gersen	South Pacific Pictures / Dir. Nicky Marshall
1990 The Return of Black Beauty (Series)	Salt	Isambard Productions Ltd / Dirs. Various
1990 The Aunties Kiwi Alphabet	Pason Tui	Dir. John Givins
1986 Terry and the Gun Runners (Series)		Finlayson-Hill Productions / Ddir. Chris Bailey
1985 Hanlon (Series)		Dir. Wayne Toyrell
1976 Monihan (Series)		TVOne / Dir. Brian Bell
1975 Close to Home (Series) 3 Episodes		TVNZ Avalon Studios / Dirs. Various
1974 Hightide (Series)		Stu Segall Productions / Dirs. Various
Crimewatch (Series)		

TVC

Various TVCs

Theatre

Professional since 1974
 Extensive throughout NZ including Centrepont, Court, Fortune, Maidment, Circa, Downstage, Tantrum and Mercury Theatres.
 Musicals in NZ, Australia and Hawaii touring with Evita.
 Dramadillo 2 year tour.



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Some plays included the following:

Charley Brown	Bully
Music Hall	One Day of the Year
Peter and the Wolf	Play without a Title
Great Expectations	Evita Tour
The Odyssey (musician)	The Hobbit
Fiddler on the Roof	etc..etc...

1994 Hemi Dances: NZ Puppet Theatre Dir. Sue Hill

Other Experiences / Skills

Actor. Specialist Performer

Accents	Standard American. Cockney. English. New Zealand.
Circus	Mime. Puppeteer.
Dance	Ballroom
Instrumental	Percussion. Piano/Keyboard. String.
Singing	Musical Theatre
Singing Range	Baritone
Sports	Sailing. Swimming. Tennis. Yoga.

1983 QEII Arts Council Travel/Study grant enabling four months work with movement/mask virtuoso Leonard Pitt at his studio in Berkeley, California.

Violin studies with Felix Millar and Noel Mann.

Grade III RSM Master classes with Alan Loveday and Carl Pini.

National Youth Orchestra Member 1967-1971.

Tutor for 3 Links programmes at Danceworks.

Mime and mask work.

Varied experience with musical training throughout NZ.

Arthur played with the National Youth Orchestra.

Involved in string playing seminars with the Auckland String Quartet Summer Music Schools

Licences - Car and Motorcycle.
