

# HUGO METSERS

## Biography

Hugo Metsers was born and raised in Amsterdam and studied dramatic arts at the theatre school Studio Herman Teirlinck in Antwerp, Belgium.

During ten years of acting and directing in several different disciplines such as theatre, film, television, radio and musical, he also developed his skills as an independent producing filmmaker.

In the nineties he became a well-known actor and participated in Dutch and foreign films (*Little Sister, Casque Bleu, Wasted in Amsterdam! Siberia, Band of Brothers*). Standing in front of the camera Hugo discovered the magic of filmmaking, by observing the other disciplines on set. He started writing film stories and developed his writing skills at the International Maurits Binger Film Institute.

At the start of this century, he made his come-back as well-known actor on television in The Netherlands, with the dynamic role of Marcus Sanders in Holland's most popular soap opera *Good Times, Bad Times* by Endemol Shine Productions.

Also, he starred in the international Dream Works production *Band of Brothers* as the leader of the Dutch resistance. He met Steven Spielberg, Tom Hanks, acted back-to-back with Damien Lewis and was directed by Philip Norton (director of the X-files). From that time on he continued acting, but also made a career in coaching and directing.

The following years Hugo directs different commercials and corporate films. In the same period, he raises schooling for film actors, an up till then non-existing form of education in the Netherlands. His foundation, faaam (film actors academy amsterdam: [www.faaam.nl](http://www.faaam.nl)) still initiates the only and now well-known education for camera acting in The Netherlands.

He directed three features with the graduating students (*RAW, Estafette d' Amour* and *Arjuna*), all screened at the film festival Film by the Sea in 2012, 2013 and 2015. Also, he produced many features for the school, such as *Free Game, Broken, Lust, Capsule, Me You He She, Project Fear, No Future, Where the Devil Sleeps, Generation Z, Swipe me!* and *K*.

In 2019, Hugo founded the Film Actors Agency ([www.filmactorsagency.nl](http://www.filmactorsagency.nl)) through which he represents upcoming film actors who are at the start of their careers as professionals in film.

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## Writer/Director credits

<b>Film</b>	2019	CHICKEN! (18 minutes, comedy)
	2015	ARJUNA (90 minutes, dramedy)
	2013	ESTAFETTE D'AMOUR (81 minutes, drama)
	2012	RAUW (88 minutes, social drama)
	2008	SPEEDDATE (45 minutes, light drama)
	2005	CASTINGX (88 minutes, psycho-thriller)
	2004	RIVALS (17 minutes, thriller)
	2002	BACKSTAGE (27 minutes, documentary)
	2001	BLANCO (21 minutes, melodrama)
	2000	HOLY TREE DAY (6 minutes, social drama)

## **Television**

	2021	HYPE
	2019	CAN YOU FIX IT?
	2018	THE SOCIAL BUBBLE
	2014	CAN YOU FIX IT?
	1998	ESSENCE

## **Theatre**

	2009	GUILT(y) by Hugo Metsers	rZpkt
	2006	DAGGOE DAYS by Dick van den Heuvel	rZpkt
	2002	SILVER JUNGLE by Marco Gerris	ISH
	1994	A BRIDE IN THE MORNING by Hugo Claus	K-teater

## Actor credits

### **Film**

	2020	FOMO Syndrome by <b>Morgan Grunefeld</b>	The Film Creator
	2015	ARJUNA by <b>Hugo Metsers</b>	Riverpark Films
	2006	BLACKBOOK by <b>Paul Verhoeven</b>	A-Film
	2000	BAND OF BROTHERS by <b>Tom Hanks</b>	DreamWorks/HBO
	1998	SIBERIA by <b>Robert Jan Westdijk</b>	Warner Bros
	1997	WASTED! by <b>Ian Kerkhof</b>	Polygram
	1996	LITTLE SISTER by <b>Robert Jan Westdijk</b>	Meteor Film
	1993	CASQUE BLEU by <b>G�rard Jugnot</b>	CIBY 2000

### **TV &**

### **Internet**

	2021	HUMAN SUPERFOOD	NPO 3LAB
	2019	SWIPE ME	DIVE TV
	2017/8	GOOD TIMES, BAD TIMES	ENDEMOL
	2007/8	THE HOUSE ANUBIS	Studio100
	2001/2	GOOD TIMES, BAD TIMES	ENDEMOL
	1996/7	WHITECHURCHES	D&D productions
	1994/5	DIAMOND	RTL4

<b>Agent</b>	2019	Start-up <b>Film Actors Agency</b> ( <a href="http://www.filmactorsagency.com">www.filmactorsagency.com</a> )
<b>Coach</b>	2005	Founder of the <b>film actors academy amsterdam</b> ( <a href="http://www.faaam.nl">www.faaam.nl</a> )

<b>Director</b>	2004	Graduated writer-director at the Maurits Binger Film Institute
<b>Actor</b>	1992	Graduated as theatre actor at the Studio Herman Teirlinck Antwerp

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## SIZES

Confection size 51/52

Shoe size 11 (European: 45/46)

*All sizes beneath are in centimeters:*

Head 61

Neck 42

Shoulders 50

Back (neck-but) 70

Chest 105

Arm (from neck) 87

Wrist 18

Taille 93

Hips 99

Leg (inner side) 90

Knee-tale 71

Foot-tale 114