LAURENT TANGY, AFC

Cinematographer

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BIOGRAPHY

Laurent Tangy is a French cinematographer from Paris. He began his career as an assistant camera operator, first on documentaries and then on feature films, a formative period that allowed him to gain extensive on-set experience. During this time, he notably worked alongside Tetsuo Nagata, who would become one of his mentors within the AFC (French Association of Cinematographers).

He quickly distinguished himself through a precise eye, a strong command of light, and a narrative approach to imagery, always in service of emotion and storytelling.

Since becoming a cinematographer, Laurent Tangy has collaborated with both established and emerging directors in contemporary French cinema, including Cédric Jimenez (La French, BAC Nord, Chien 51), Gilles Lellouche (Le Grand Bain, L'Amour Ouf), Audrey Diwan (L'Événement, Emmanuelle), Nicolas Bedos (Mascarade), and Valérie Donzelli (L'Amour et les Forêts). He notably served as director of photography on L'Événement, a film awarded the Golden Lion at the Venice Film Festival in 2021.

Laurent's work is regularly recognized by his peers, with multiple nominations for the César Award for Best Cinematography — in 2019 for Le Grand Bain and in 2025 for L'Amour Ouf — confirming his position among the leading cinematographers of his generation. He now moves effortlessly between auteur cinema and large-scale productions, maintaining an active career on both French and international projects, including the upcoming American series Assassin's Creed, directed by Johan Renck.

Alongside his cinematic work, he also works on commercials and music videos for major luxury brands and international artists, a practice that continues to enrich his sense of framing, rhythm, and visual aesthetics.

BIOGRAPHIE

Laurent Tangy est un directeur de la photographie français originaire de Paris. Il débute sa carrière comme assistant opérateur, d'abord sur des documentaires puis sur des longs-métrages, une période formatrice qui l'amène notamment à travailler aux côtés de Tetsuo Nagata, qui deviendra l'un de ses parrains au sein de l'AFC.

Il se distingue rapidement par un regard précis, une grande maîtrise de la lumière et une approche narrative de l'image, toujours au service de l'émotion et du récit.

Depuis ses débuts comme directeur de la photographie Laurent Tangy collabore avec des réalisateurs tantot majeurs tantot émergents du cinéma français contemporain. parmi lesquels Cédric Jimenez (La French, BAC Nord, Chien 51), Gilles Lellouche (Le Grand Bain, l'Amour Ouf), Audrey Diwan (L'Événement, Emmanuelle), Nicolas Bedos (Mascarade) ou encore Valérie Donzelli (L'Amour et les Forêts). Son travail sur L'Événement contribue à la puissance du film, couronné par le Lion d'Or à la Mostra de Venise en 2021.

Le travail de Laurent est régulièrement salué par la profession, avec plusieurs nominations aux César de la Meilleure Photographie (2019 pour Le Grand Bain et 2025 pour l'Amour Ouf), confirmant sa place parmi les chefs opérateurs les plus importants de sa génération. Il navigue aujourd'hui avec aisance entre cinéma d'auteur et productions ambitieuses, poursuivant une carrière active sur des projets français et internationaux, notamment avec le réalisateur Johan Renck pour la série américaine Assassin's Creed, actuellement en préparation.

En parallèle de sa carrière cinématographique, il travaille sur des projets de publicité et clips musicaux, pour de grandes marques de luxe et des artistes internationaux, ce qui nourrit son sens du cadre, du rythme et de l'esthétique.

FEATURE FILMS

FORTY LOVE
Directed by Pierre-Ange Carlotti
(2024)ChiFouMi Productions
Paul Kirsher, Guillaume Canet, Bastien Bouillon, Catherine Deneuve

DANTZIG
Directed by Thomas Lilti
(2024)31 Juin Films
François Civil, Léa Drucker, Karim Leklou

CHIEN 51
Directed by Cédric Jimenez
(2024) Chi Fou Mi & Trésor Films
Adèle Exarchopoulos, Gilles Lellouche, Xavier Dolan

EMMANUELLE
Directed by Audrey Diwan
(2024) Rectangle Productions
Noémie Merlant, Naomi Watts, Will Sharpe
/SAN SEBASTIAN FILM FESTIVAL 2024

L'AMOUR OUF
Directed by Gilles Lellouche
(2024) Trésor Films & Chi Fou Mi
François Civil, Adèle Exarchopoulos, Benoît Poelvoorde
/CANNES FILM FESTIVAL 2024 - OFFICIAL SELECTION
IN COMPETITION
/NOMINATION MEILLEURE PHOTOGRAPHIE CÉSAR 2025

L'AMOUR ET LES FORÊTS
Directed by Valérie Donzelli
(2023) Rectangle Productions
/CESAR 2024 - MEILLEURE ADAPTATION
/CANNES FILM FESTIVAL 2023 - OFFICIAL SELECTION
IN COMPETITION

MASCARADE
Directed by Nicolas Bedos
(2021) Films du Kiosque
Pierre Niney, Marine Vacth, Isabelle Adjani , François Cluzet
/SÉLECTIONNÉ HORS COMPÉTITION ET FILM DE CLÔTURE -
FESTIVAL DE CANNES 2022

JULIA
Directed by Olivier Treiner
(2021) WY Production
Lou de Laâge, Grégory Gadebois, Denis Podalydès

FEATURE FILMS

L'ÉVÈNEMENT
Directed by Audrey Diwan
(2021) Rectangle Productions
Anamaria Vartolomei
/LION D'OR, MOSTRA DE VENISE - 2021

OSS 117 - ALERTE ROUGE EN AFRIQUE NOIRE
Directed by Nicolas Bedos
(2021) Mandarin
Jean Dujardin, Pierre Niney
/SÉLECTIONNÉ HORS COMPÉTITION ET FILM DE CLÔTURE - FESTIVAL DE CANNES 2021

BAC NORD
Directed by Cédric Jimenez
(2021) Chi-Fou-Mi
Gilles Lellouche, François Civil, Karim Leklou, Adèle Exarchopoulos

#JESUISLÀ
Directed by Eric Lartigau
(2020) Rectangle Productions
Alain Chabat, Doona Bae

FURIE
Directed by Olivier Abbou
(2019) 22h22
Adama Niane, Stéphane Caillard, Paul Hamy

LE GRAND BAIN
Directed by Gilles Lellouche
(2018) Chi-Fou-Mi Productions
Mathieu Amalric, Virginie Efira, Benoît Poelvoorde, Guillaume Canet, Marina Foïs, Jean-Hugues Anglade, Philippe Katerine, Leïla Bekhti
/CANNES FILM FESTIVAL NOMINATION, BEST CINEMATOGRAPHY - 2018
/NOMINATION MEILLEURE PHOTOGRAPHIE CÉSAR 2019

HHHH
Directed by Cédric Jimenez
(2016) Adama Pictures
Rosamund Pike, Jack O'Connel, Mia Wasikowska, Jason Clarke, Kack Reynor

LA FRENCH
Directed by Cédric Jimenez
(2014) Légende Films
Jean Dujardin, Gilles Lellouche, Céline Sallette

FEATURE FILMS

20 ANS D'ECART
Directed by David Moreau
(2013) Echo Films
Virginie Efira, Charles Berling, Pierre Niney

THE PYRAMID
Directed by Grégory Levasseur
(2012) Fox
Ashley Hinshaw, Denis O'Hare

RADIOSTARS
Directed by Romain Levy
(2012) Les Productions Du Trésor
Manu Payet, Douglas Attal, Clovis Cornillac, Pascal Demolon

THE INCIDENT
Directed by Alexandre Courtès
(2011) WY Production
Rupert Evans, Ashley Madekwe, Kenny Doughty
/OFFICIAL SELECTION, TORONTO FILM FESTIVAL - 2011

ET SOUDAIN TOUT LE MONDE ME MANQUE
Directed by Jennifer Devoldere
(2011) Vertigo
Mélanie Laurent, Michel Blanc

MIKE
Directed by Lars Blumers
(2009) Cassidy
Marc-André Grondin, Christa Théret, Eric Elmosnin

REPORTERS
Directed by Jean-Marc Brondolo
(2009) CapaDrama

SPACE CAKE
Directed by Pierre Rambaldi
(2009) Big World

SHORT FILMS

PAUL RONDIN EST PAUL RONDIN
Directed by Frederick Vin
(2008) 1/33 Productions
/FUJIFILM AWARDS - 2009
/GAGNY FESTIVAL, VELIZY FESTIVAL, AGDE FESTIVAL, VALLOIRE FESTIVAL, DIJON FESTIVAL, SARLAT FESTIVAL, MEUDON FESTIVAL, VALENCIENNES FESTIVAL

LA CONSULTATION
Directed by Frederick Vin
(2007) Hurricane Films

SLEEPWALKER
Directed by Adel Ben Bella
(2007) De Films En Aiguilles

AFFECTION
Directed by Frederick Vin
(2006) PAS Films

BOURREAU
Directed by Frederick Vin
Carson

SIDACTION 2009
Directed by Fabrice Laffont
(2006) Hurricane Films

LULUBOY
Directed by Martial Schmeltz
(2005) BTK-Make

PRINTEMPS DE VIE
Directed by Igor Trifunovic
(2004) BAT Productions

TOM FORD IS MISSING
Directed by Cyril Guyot
(2004) KevinKrier Films

LE PERSONNAGE
Directed by Frederick Vin
(2003) Les Films à Fleur De Peau

SACRIFIÉ
Directed by Adrien Aumont
(2002)

SHORT FILMS

THE AGING DINER
Directed by Cyril Guyot
(2002) MoodFilms

CADEAU
Directed by Corentin Decourt
(2001) Entropie

FRAGILE
Directed by Nicolas Bary
(2001) Les Elegiaques Associés

ART&ACT PRODUCTION
Directed by Farid DMS Benha
(2001)

FRIGOZPHRÉNIE
Directed by Fred Rall
(2000)

FERIA
Directed by Cyril Guyot
(1999)

2BS, PAS MAL, COSMOS
Directed by Firouz Farman
(1999)

DOCUMEN-TARIES

ENFANTS & ACTEURS
Directed by Eric Guirado & Keren Merciano
(2012) Les Films Du Poisson

C'EST QUOI TON SPORT? (FORMAT COURT TF1)
Directed by Ivan Ratkine
(2005) Label Tele

THE RUN OF SHOW
Directed by Firouz Farman
(2002) Remfeki Productions

TRACKS ARTE
(2000) Program 33

THE GNAWA TRAIL 1&2
Directed by Firouz Farman
(1998) Theotihucan

TV SHOWS

ASSASSIN'S CREED
Directed by Johan Renck
(2026)
Toby Wallace, Lola Petticrew

PANTHERS SEASON 1-2
Directed by Johan Renck
(2015)
Tahar Rahim - Samantha Morton - John Hurt

BRAQUO - SEASON 3/EP 1-2-3-4
Directed by Frédéric Jardin
CAPA
Jean-Hugues Anglade - Karole Rocher - Nicolas Duvauchelle

KALI
Directed by Richard Johnson
La Parisienne d'Images - Canal +

MUSIC VIDEOS

TEAM GHOST - DEAD FILM STAR
Directed by Simon Cahn
Frenzy

SÉBASTIEN TELLIER - COCHONVILLE
Directed by Alex Courtès
(2012) Division

TAME IMPALA - EXPECTATION
Directed by Clemens Habocht
(2010) Division

SNOW PATROL - TAKE BACK THE CITY
Directed by Alex Courtès
(2008) Partizan Londres

MIDNIGHT JUGGERNAUTS - INTO THE GALAXY
Directed by Rozan&Schmeltz
(2008)

JUSTICE - WE ARE YOUR FRIEND
Directed by Rozan&Schmeltz
(2006) Partizan Midi / Minuit
/BEST MUSIC VIDEO - MTV MUSIC AWARDS - 2006

COMMER-CIALS

Laurent Tangy has worked on many commercials in particular with directors like Johan Renck, Gary Freedmann, Katia Lewkovitcz, Thierry Poireau, Vincent Lobel, Adrien Armanet, Can Evgin, Karim Sadli, Koerner Union, Matthieu Mantovani, Jan Kounen, WAFLA, Matthew Frost, Keith Bearden, Michael Gracey, Jonas&Francois, for brands like Louis Vuitton, Chanel, EDF, Lancome, YSL, H&M, J-P Gaultier, Citroen, Renault, Garnier, BNP, Cartier, Hermes, L'Oréal, Vichy, Dior, Coke, TedX, Lacoste, Mc Donald, Armani, Nokia, Peugeot, Schweppes, American Apparel, D&G, Martin Margiela, Nike, Orange, Marlboro, Levi's, Diesel, Sony, Evian, Intermarché.

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