

# Vijay Bhaskar Saddala

DIRECTOR OF PHOTOGRAPHY



## **ABOUT ME**

## Creative Vision and Passion

I am Vijay Bhaskar Saddala, a passionate cinematographer driven by a relentless vision to redefine storytelling through the power of visuals. I find deep purpose in crafting emotionally resonant, visually compelling narratives that go beyond the ordinary to create unforgettable cinematic experiences. My work reflects a commitment to creativity, precision, and innovation values I hold close in every frame I compose.

## **Educational Excellence**

I hold a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Photography & Visual Communication and a Master of Fine Arts (Gold Medal) in Photography & Media Communication, both from Jawaharlal Nehru Architecture and Fine Arts University. This academic foundation shaped my visual language one that blends intellectual depth with poetic nuance.

## **Mentorship and Early Career**

My journey was profoundly shaped under the mentorship of the legendary Madhu Ambat (ISC), one of India's most revered cinematographers. Working on prestigious projects across Malayalam, Telugu, Tamil, and Kannada cinema, I developed a strong command over my craft—honing both technical excellence and artistic expression. This experience taught me to adapt and excel across genres, styles, and storytelling traditions.













## **Professional Experience**

## **Director of Photography**

Panchatantra Kathalu (Telugu)

Tantra (Telugu)

Mr. Arjun (Telugu; post-production)

Mi Casa Su Casa (Telugu; post-production)

#### Second Unit DOP

Shivaji Surathkal 2 (Kannada)

## **Operative Cameraman**

Parannu Parannu Chellan (Malayalam)

Jora Kaiya Thattunga (Tamil)

Pinvathil (Malayalam)

## Assistant / Associate Cinematographer

Pani Fever (Malayalam)

And The Oscar Goes To (Malayalam)

Itlu Amma (Telugu)

#### Non-Fiction & Commercial Work

I believe truth can be cinematic, and reality can be deeply moving. My documentary and commercial portfolio includes:

Cop vs Covid (Documentary): A tribute to frontline workers, capturing courage and compassion in unflinching frames.

Medaram Jatara (Festival Documentary): Translating Asia's largest tribal gathering into poetic, immersive visuals.

Telangana Government & Tourism Campaigns: From temple towns to tribal terrains, crafting COVID-awareness films and cultural documentaries that celebrate heritage.

Miss World Promotions & High Impact PSAs: Elevating global campaigns with purpose driven, aesthetically compelling imagery.



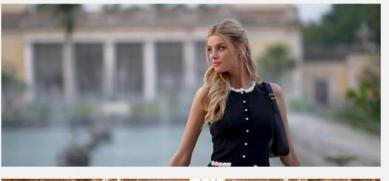






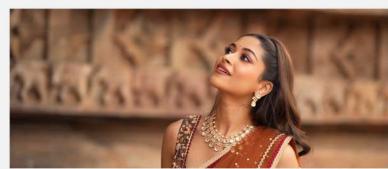










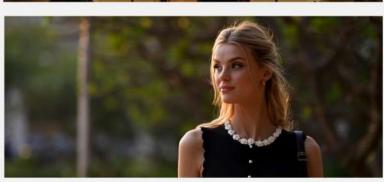








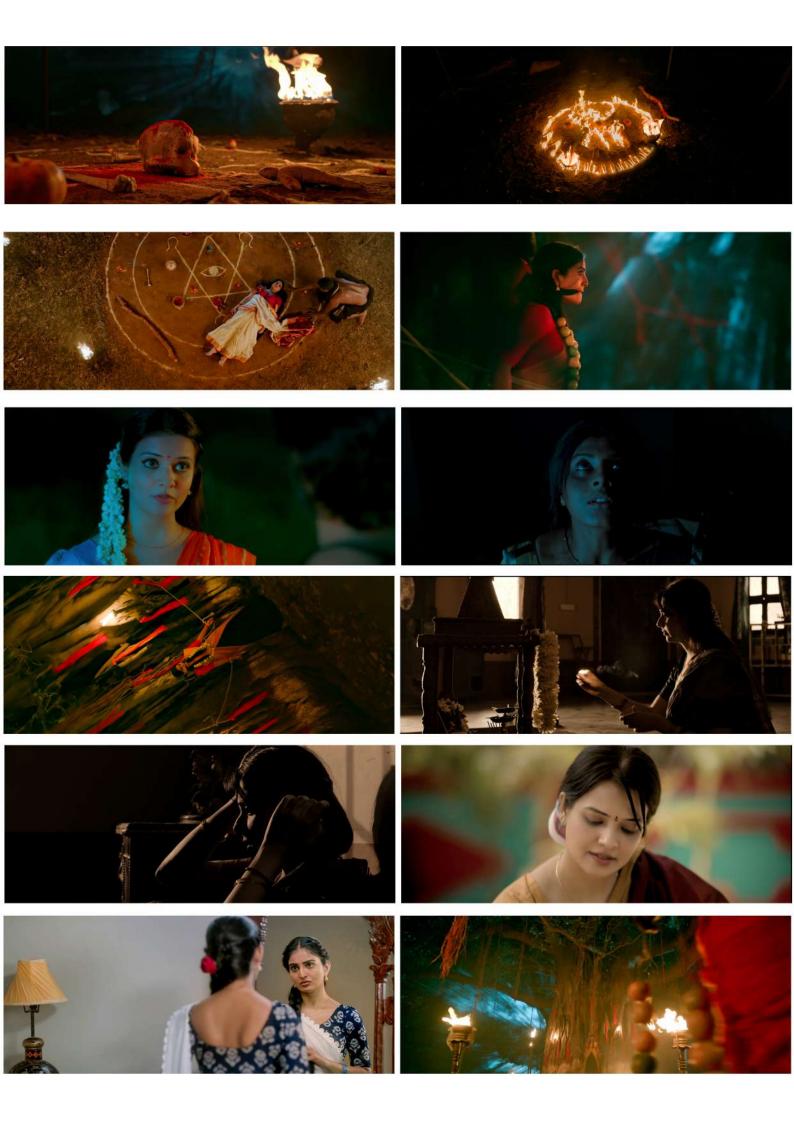
















































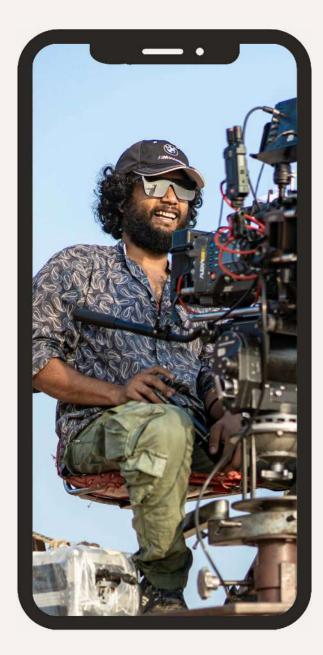








## Let's work together



### Signature Style & Strengths

Painterly Light & Shadow: Soft highlights and organic shadows that sculpt emotional depth.

Textured Composition: Layered foregrounds, midgrounds, and backgrounds converge in poetic harmony.

Rhythmic Visual Language: Choreographing lighting and movement like a dance.

Emotional Resonance: Crafting images that linger in the heart, marrying technical rigor with poetic flair.

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