

Marcello Mazzarella

Spoken Languages: english, french

Studies and Seminars:

- Piccolo Teatro School, Palermo
- Cinelife School, Milan
- Piero Mazzarella Theatre School
- Strasberg-Stanislavisky Method Lab by F.De Sapio
- Stage by J.Malina (Living Theatre)
- -Laboratory with M. Margotta

Professional Experiences:

Marcello Mazzarella, Sicilian, born in 1963 is an international actor as well as a successful screenwriter and director. He divides his time between theatre, cinema and television. He lives between Italy and France. He began his career at the "Gebel Hamed" theater in Erice directed by C. Quartucci and C. Tatò, then in Milan, as a pupil of the comedian P. Mazzarella. A student of the Piccolo Teatro in Palermo, after moving to the Lombard capital to perfect his acting at the "Cinelife" film school, he followed the workshops on the Stranberg-Stanislavsky method. He studied with F. De Sapio and then with M. Margotta. He made his film debut in 1990 with "Everyone is fine" by G. Tornatore, with whom he will also work in "Baaria". He gets a David di Donatello nomination for Best Supporting Actor. He obtained international recognition with the film "The time found" by R. Ruiz, in the lead role of M. Proust, presented at the Cannes Film Festival in 1999. Then comes the success with the film Placido Rizzotto presented at the Venice Film Festival. He proceeds his training in Paris. He works with many prominent French authors. In 2014 he signs the subject of the film "Biagio" by Scimeca which he plays in the lead role. He acts with directors such as C. Calligari ("L'odore della notte"), M. Calopresti, M. S. Puccioni, P. Scimeca (he is the protagonist ("Placido Rizzotto") in the homonymous film), L. Guadagnino ("Melissa P ."), M.Risi ("Fortapàsc"), M. Amenta ("The Sicilian rebel"), M. Fituoussi ("Pauline Détective"), V. Martorana ("Signes de vie"), Francisco Athié ("El Baile de San Juan"), D. Marengo ("Notturno Bus"), P. Greenaway ("Walking to Paris"), K. Scott (" The Extraordinary journey of the Fakir"), P. Martinez ("Viktor"), C. Quatriglio ("L'Isola"), and also with G. Salvatores in ("Nirvana"), ("La Siciliana Ribelle") by M. Amenta. Even the TV craves it. He takes part in fictions such as, for example, ("Ultimo - L'infiltrato") directed by M. Soavi,



("La omicidi") and ("Cefalonia") by R. Milani, ("The scandal of the Roman bank") by S. Reali, ("Nero Wolfe") by R. Donna, ("Il Restauratore 2") by E. Oldoini, ("Il commissario Montalbano") by A. Sironi, ("1994") directed by C. Noce, ("The promised life") by R. Tognazzi and, most recently, ("The hunter 2 and 3") by D. Marengo and F. Paladini where he plays the Sicilian boss B. Provenzano. Modern actor and researcher M. Mazzarella is also an Acting Coach and screenwriter. He created the Trapani Film Factory in his hometown helping the young actors of his city, he also produces theater shows and directs his films with the Elimi Dei Mulini aps and StoryHunter srl production.

Theatre:

- "Girone 41 bis" directed by M. Mazzarella
- "La divina ballata" directed by M. Mazzarella
- "L'Iliade" directed by M. Mazzarella
- -" Dunque Lei Ha Conosciuto Tenco" by R. Marengo and D. Paganini
- -" La Patente" by L. Pirandello
- "L'uomo Dal Fiore In Bocca" by L. Pirandello
- -" Il Nuovo Inquilino" by E. Jonesco
- "La Lezione" by E. Jonesco
- "Compagnia La Zattera Di Babele" by C.Quartucci
- -" Laboratorio/Spettacolo"
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- "Macondo" by R.Fucks
- "Compagnia Marco Solari" by M. Solari
- "La Cimice" by V. Majakowskij and S. Licata
- -" Sorveglianza Speciale" by J. Jenet and U.Cantone
- "Compagnia Magopovero" L. Nattino and A. Catalano
- "Il Natale Di Harry" by S. Berkoff
- "Compagnia Teatro Sempre" by R.Silveri and P. Mazzarella
- "Compagnia Shakespeare & Company" by M. Navone
- "Eva Peron" by Copy M.Belli
- "Ione" by Euripide M. Belli
- "Lutero" by J. Osborne M. Gagliardo
- "L'inferno" by D.Alighieri V.Liguori and A. Bianco
- "Cave Canem " V. Liguori and A. Bianco
- -" Gamblet" V. Liguori and A. Bianco
- -" Olà" V. Liguori and A. Bianco
- "Musik" V. Liguori and A. Bianco

Cinema:



2023

- "Giorni felici" directed by S. Petralia 2022
- "Il caso Dragonterre" directed by G.P. Cugno
- "Rumore" directed by N. Telesca

2021

- "Una preghiera per Giuda" directed by M. Paolucci
- "Il mio nome è vendetta" directed by C. Gomez
- "Una boccata d'aria" directed by A. Lauria 2018
- "The Extraordinary Journey of the fakir" directed by K. Scott 2017
- "L'ombra delle muciare" directed by M. Mazzarella 2016
- -"Walking to Paris" directed by P. Greenway
- "L'Ami" -directed by R. Fely and A. Louvet
- "Il traduttore" directed by M.Natale 2014
- -" Biagio" directed by P.Scimeca (Leading role)
- "Viktor " directed by P.Martinez
- "La trattativa" directed by S.Guzzanti 2012
- "Come il vento" directed by M.S.Puccioni 2012
- "Convitto Falcone la mia partita" directed by P.Scimeca 2011
- "Pauline detective" directed by M.Fitoussi
- "Breve storia di lunghi tradimenti" directed by D.Marengo 2010
- "La strada di Paolo" directed by Salvatore Nocita (Leading role) 2009
- -" Il buio" directed by M.Coppola
- "Una canzone per te" directed by H. S.Paragnani
- "Laria" directed by V.Jalongo 2008
- "Baaria" directed by G.Tornatore
- "Fortapàsc" directed by M.Risi

- "Rosso Malpelo" directed by P.Scimeca
- "II matrimonio negato" directed by A.Ciano
- "Made in Italy" directed by S.Giusti (Prod.Fr.)



- "La siciliana ribelle" directed by M.Amenta
- "Sono viva" directed by D.e F.Gentili
- "Mare nostro" directed by M.Mazzarella (shortfilm) 2006
- "Il pugile e la ballerina" directed by F.Suriano (Leading role)
- "Notturno bus" directed by D. Marengo 2005
- "Melissa P" directed by L.Guadagnino
- "Lampedusa" directed by V. Martorana (Protagonista)
- "Perl oder pica" directed by P. Cruchten 2004
- "Il fantasma di Corleone" directed by M. Amenta
- "La passione di Giosuè l'ebreo" directed by P.Scimeca 2003
- "L'isola" directed by C. Quadriglio
- "Gli indesiderabili" directed by P.Scimeca 2001
- "Signes de vie" directed by V. Martorana
- "Quello che cerchi" directed by M. Puccioni (Leading role) 2000
- "Preferisco il rumore del mare" directed by M.Calopresti
- "Placido Rizzotto" directed by Pasquale Scimeca (Leading role)
- "Christie Malry's own double-entry" P. Tickell 1999
- "Le temps retrouve" directed by R. Ruiz (Leading role) 1998
- "I Fobici" directed by G. Scarchilli
- "L'odore della notte" directed by C. Calligari
- 1997
- "Nirvana" directed by G.Salvatores
- "Stanno tutti bene" directed by G.Tornatore
- "CFPT cortometraggi" directed by M.Mazzarella (shortfilm)

Television:

- "L'arte della gioia" directed by V. Golino 2021
- "From Scratch" various director 2020
- "Il cacciatore 3" directed by D. Marengo and F. Paladini



2019

- "Inchiostro contro piombo" directed by P.Messina, C.D'Emilio e S. Lorenzi
- "Il cacciatore 2"directed by D.Marengo e S.Lodovichi
- "Bentornato Nero Wolfe" directed by R.Donna 2010
- "L'Isola" directed by A.Negrin 2009
- "Lo scandalo della banca romana" directed by S.Reali
- "Des gens qui passent" " directed by A.Nahum
- Crimini 2- Neve sporca" directed by D.Marengo (Leadig role)
- "Anno zero"- directed by M.Santoro RaiDue 2008
- "L'uomo che cavalcava nel buio" directed by S.Basile (Leading role) 2007
- "L'ultimo dei Corleonesi" directed by A.Negrin (Leading role)
- "In fuga con Marlene" drected by A.Peyretti
- "La vita rubata" directed by G.Diana (Leading role) 2006
- "I mille" directed by S.Reali
- "In gabbia" directed A.Negri 2005
- "Qual n°1: Freres d'armes" directed by A. Robillard
- "Joe Petrosino" directed by A.Peyretti 2004
- "Cefalonia" directed by R.Milani
- "Il cuore nel pozzo" directed A.Negrin 2003
- "Ultimo III" directed by M. Soavi (Leading role)
- "La omicidi" directed by R.Milani (Leading role)
- "Lui e lei" directed by L. Mannuzzi
- "Una donna per amico" directed by R.Izzo
- "Più leggero non basta" directed by E. Lodoli
- "Il commissario Raimondi" directed by P. Costella

Short:

- "Cani" directed by M. Guiducci and A. Banfi 2002
- "Il naso storto" direted by A.Ciano (Leading role)



Awards:

- Bari "BIFEST Tonino Guerra Award (Best original story for Biagio", directed by P. Scimeca) 2013
- Efesto d'oro Festival Award for "Un Mare di Cinema" Lipari 2008
- Best Actor Award "Ecovision Palermo festival internazionale" ("Mare nostro")
- Best Actor award "Marsala Film Festival" ("Mare nostro") 2003
- Actor's Special Award "Nastri del Corto" ("Il naso storto") 2001
- Napapijri Award as Best Noir Actor at " Courmayer Festival" ("Quello che cerchi")
- Best Actor Award "Sannio Film Festival" ("Placido Rizzotto")