

ALLAN A. APONE

Makeup Dept. Head/ Makeup Artist

IATSE local #706

Allan Apone's love of film began as a child when his family moved from New Jersey to Culver City and the back lots of MGM and Desilu became his playgrounds. Making amateur films in high school quickly led to P.A. work upon graduating. Allan later became a field producer for Bill Burrud Productions and shortly after he moved his career into special effects and makeup. Now CEO of Makeup & Effects Laboratories (MEL) Inc. and MEL Products, a highly regarded supplier of effects related makeup products. Allan was mentored by Oscar winning special effects wizard Stan Winston and has 170 films and 250 television episodes to his credit. He has done Personal makeup for Chris Evans, Samuel L. Jackson and Ben Kingsley and worked on many Marvel blockbusters as Dept. Head or Personal. Allan is a member of both the Television Academy and Motion Picture Academy and has been nominated for Emmy Awards and Hair & Makeup Guild Awards. Allan is Los Angeles based and always happy to travel.

Feature Films (Select) as Department Head (unless otherwise noted):

Production

LAST THING HE WANTED (*DH and Prosthetics for Anne Hathaway*)
 ALL-STAR WEEKEND (*Co-Dept. Head/ Prosthetic Makeup Designer*)
 DEN OF THIEVES (*Gerard Butler*)
 BEN HUR (*Personal for Nazanin Boniadi*)
 CAPTAIN AMERICA: CIVIL WAR (*Personal for Chris Evans*)
 AVENGERS: AGE OF ULTRON (*Chris Evans & Samuel Jackson*)
 LEARNING TO DRIVE (*Personal for Ben Kingsley*)
 22 JUMP STREET (*Assistant Dept. Head*)
 CAPTAIN AMERICA: WINTER SOLDIER (*Dept. Head*)

Makeup and Hair Stylists Guild Award Nomination – Best Contemporary Makeup

ROBOCOP (*Personal for Samuel L. Jackson*)
 THOR: THE DARK WORLD (*Personal for Chris Evans*)
 IRON MAN 3 (*Dept. Head*)
 DJANGO UNCHAINED (*Assistant Dept. Head*)
 BATTLESHIP
 AVENGERS (*Assistant Dept. Head*)
 WE BOUGHT A ZOO (*Assistant Dept. Head*)
 DINNER FOR SCHMUCKS
 CHANGING LANES (*Personal for Samuel L. Jackson*)
 UNTHINKABLE (*Samuel L. Jackson, Carrie-Anne Moss*)
 THE LOSERS (*Chris Evans, Zoe Saldana, Idris Elba*)
 SPHERE
 BLACK SNAKE MOAN (*Personal for Samuel L. Jackson*)
 UNBREAKABLE (*Personal for Samuel L. Jackson*)
 LAKEVIEW TERRACE (*S. Jackson, Patrick Wilson, Kerry Washington*)

Television as Department Head:

OUR LADY, LTD (*S1; Ben Kingsley, Jackie Weaver*)
 KILLING REAGAN (*Telefilm*)
 PUSHING DAISIES (*Special Makeup Effects Artist*)
 WESTWORLD (*S2 Key MU: Jeffrey Wright, Rodrigo Santoro*)

Feature Films as Key (Selected):

THIS IS IT (*Special makeup Effects Artist*)
 MACHINE GUN PREACHER
 RACE TO WITCH MOUNTAIN
 SANTA CLAUS 3: ESCAPE CLAUSE

Director/ Producer /Production company

Dee Rees / Cassian Elwes / Fizz Facility, Evolution
 Jamie Foxx / Foxx, Deon Taylor/ Lionsgate
 Christian Gudegast / Mark Canton / Relativity
 Timur Bekmambetov / Sean Daniel / Paramount
 Anthony & Joe Russo / Kevin Feige / Disney
 Joss Whedon / Kevin Feige / Disney
 Isabel Coixet / Dana Friedman / Broad Green
 Lord-Miller / Neal Moritz, Jonah Hill / Columbia
 Anthony & Joe Russo / Kevin Feige / Disney
 Jose Padilha / Marc Abraham / MGM - Columbia
 Alan Taylor / Kenneth Branagh, Feige / Disney
 Shane Black / Kevin Feige / Disney
 Quentin Tarantino / Reginald Hudlin / Weinstein
 Peter Berg / Sarah Aubrey, Brian Goldner / Universal
 Joss Whedon / Kevin Feige / Disney
 Cameron Crowe / Julie & Rick Yorn / 20th Fox
 Jay Roach / Laurie MacDonald / Paramount
 Roger Michell / Scott Rudin / Paramount
 Gregor Jordan / Caldecot Chubb / Sony
 Sylvain White / Akiva Goldsman / Warner Bros.
 Barry Levinson / Michael Crichton / Warner Bros.
 Craig Brewer / John Singleton / Paramount
 M. Night Shyamalan / Barry Mendel / Touchstone
 Neil LaBute / James Lassiter, Will Smith / Screen Gems

Steve Conrad / Todd Black / MGM TV / Epix
 Rod Lurie / Diana Sabatini / Scott Free
 Various / Bryan Fuller / ABC
 Various / JJ Abrams, Jonathan Nolan / HBO

Kenny Ortega / Paul Gongaware / Columbia Pictures
 Marc Forster / Robbie Brenner / Relativity
 Andy Fickman / Andrew Gunn / Walt Disney
 Michael Lembeck / Robert Newmyer / Walt Disney