

ERYN KRUEGER MEKASH

Makeup Designer / Makeup Dept. Head / SFX MU / Producer

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Eryn Krueger Mekash started her career in the Special Makeup Effects field in Los Angeles. She now has over 35 years of Television and Feature experience as a Makeup Artist working in Beauty, Character, Makeup Effects and Makeup Design over a diverse range of genres. Her exceptional Special Effects and Prosthetic work has been seen in *Nip/Tuck*, *American Horror Story* and *911* to name a few. Her film directors include Steven Spielberg, Ron Howard and Ryan Murphy. Eryn has won eight Emmy Awards, seven for Makeup and one for Producing. She has a recent Oscar nomination, 11 Artisan Award wins and 38 Emmy Nominations. A member of PGA / AMPAS / BAFTA, Eryn is based in Los Angeles and happy to travel for work.

Feature Films as Makeup Department Head unless otherwise noted (Partial list):

Production

Director / Producer / Production company

THEY LISTEN	(John Cho, Katherine Waterston)	Chris Weitz / Jason Blum / Dept of Field, Blumhouse
THE FABELMANS	(Michelle Williams, Paul Dano, Gabrielle La Belle)	Steven Spielberg / Tony Kushner, Spielberg / Universal
7 Oscar Nominations, Golden Globe Winner Best Picture & Best Director, Critics Choice Award Nominee – Best Picture DGA Nomination Best Director, PGA Nomination Best Picture, SAG Award Nomination Outstanding Cast		
THE PROM	(Tracey Ullman, Ariana DeBose, Keegan-Michael Key)	Ryan Murphy / Murphy, Dori Berinstein / Netflix
Hollywood Makeup Artist & Hair Stylist Guild Ward Nomination - Best Contemporary Makeup - Feature-Length Motion Picture 2 Golden Globe Nominations including Best Motion Picture – Musical or Comedy		
HILLBILLY ELEGY	(Amy Adams, Glenn Close)	Ron Howard / Brian Grazer / Imagine / Netflix
Academy Award Nomination & BAFTA Nomination– Best Makeup & Hair Styling Makeup Artists & Hairstylists Guild Nomination – Best Period And/Or Character Hairstyling, Motion Picture Critic’s Choice Award Nomination – Best Hair & Makeup		
WAKEFIELD	(MU Head/ MU Designer; Bryan Cranston, Jennifer Garner)	Robin Swicord / Bonnie Curtis / Mockingbird, IFC
THE NORMAL HEART	(Matt Bomer, Mark Ruffalo, Taylor Kitsch)	Ryan Murphy / Scott Ferguson / HBO
Emmy Winner – Outstanding Makeup for a Mini-series or Motion Picture (Non-Prosthetic) + Prosthetic MU Nomination Hollywood Makeup Artist & Hair Stylist Guild Award Nomination - Best Period Makeup Mini-Series or Motion Picture Winner Producers Guild of America – Outstanding Producer of Long Form Television Three Golden Globe Nominations including Best Miniseries or Motion Picture Made for Television		
EAT, PRAY, LOVE	(Viola Davis, Billy Crudup & Julie Roberts’ MU Effects)	Ryan Murphy / Dede Gardner, Murphy / Columbia Pictures
MY SISTER’S KEEPER	(Jason Patric, Alec Baldwin, Cameron Diaz MU FX)	Nick Cassavetes / Mark Johnson / New Line
RUNNING WITH SCISSORS	(Brian Cox, Gweneth Paltrow, Evan Rachel Wood)	Ryan Murphy / Dede Gardner, Brad Pitt, Murphy / Tristar

Television as Makeup Department Head unless otherwise noted (Partial list):

STRANGER THINGS	(Final season as Dept. Head)	Duffer Bros. / Shawn Levy, Dan Cohen / 21 Laps / Netflix
BROTHERS SUN	(MU Designer and Dept. Head)	Kevin Tancharoen / Brad Falchuk / Netflix
HOLLYWOOD	(MU Designer & Dept. Head)	Various / Ryan Murphy, Ian Brennan / Netflix
Hollywood Makeup Artist & Hair stylist Guild Award Nomination – Best Period and/or Character Makeupup, Limited Series Emmy Award Nomination – Outstanding Period and/or Character Makeup (Non-Prosthetic)		
RATCHED	(S1, 8 eps)	Various / Ryan Murphy, Ian Brennan / FX
Emmy Award Nomination – Outstanding Period and/or Character Makeup (Non-Prosthetic)		
AMERICAN CRIME STORY: ASSASSINATION OF VERSACE		Various / Ryan Murphy, Brad Falchuk / FX
Emmy Award Winner – Outstanding Makeup for a Limited Series or Movie (Non-Prosthetic) 16 Emmy Wins total including Outstanding Limited Series. PGA Winner for Outstanding Limited Series or Movie.		
AMERICAN CRIME STORY: PEOPLE VS. O.J.		Various / Ryan Murphy, Brad Falchuk / FX
9 Emmy Nominations including Outstanding Makeup for a Limited Series of Movie (Non-Prosthetics) Winner – Golden Globe Award – Best Limited Series or Motion Picture		
AMERICAN HORROR STORY (Makeup Designer, Dept.Head 2011-2021)		Various / Ryan Murphy, Brad Falchuk / FX
<i>Actors include: Jessica Lange, Sarah Paulson, Lily Rabe, Evan Peters, Billie Lourd, Finn Wittrock, Matt Bomer</i>		
Series won 16 Primetime Emmy Awards, another 112 Wins and over 300 nominations first ten seasons Winner 4 Emmy Awards: Outstanding Prosthetic Makeup for Series, Limited Series or Motion Picture for TV 12 Emmy Nominations: Outstanding Makeup & Prosthetic Makeup and Outstanding Makeup for Single Camera Series Winner - 7 Hollywood Makeup & Hair Stylist Guild Awards – Special FX MU/ Period Character / Contemporary Makeup		
911	(Ongoing as Producer & MU Designer S1)	Various / Ryan Murphy, Brad Falchuk / Fox
2019 Emmy Nomination for Outstanding Limited Series, Actress and Hairstyling for a Limited Series or Television Movie		
FEUD: BETTE AND JOAN	(MU Designer & Dept. Head, Limited Series)	Various / Ryan Murphy, Dede Gardner / FX
Winner – Hollywood Makeup & Hair Stylist Guild Award – Best Period and/or Character Makeup, Mini Series or Motion Picture 17 Emmy Nominations total for series		
SCREAM QUEENS	(MU Designer & Dept. Head S1)	Various / Ryan Murphy, Ian Brennan / Fox
GLEE	(S1 & 2, 30 episodes)	Various / Ryan Murphy, Brad Falchuk / Fox
NIP / TUCK	(2 seasons as Dept. Head)	Various / Ryan Murphy / Hands Down Ent. / FX