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## North Finland Film Commission

**North Finland Film Commission (NFFC)** is your first link to the local authorities and the film infrastructure in Northern Finland. NFFC has offices in Oulu, the business hub of Northern Finland, easily reachable by plane, train, or car. Oulu is an insightful and down-to-earth city that lives and breathes on the terms of the northern nature.

The City of Oulu offers a regional incentive up to 10%. Adding this to the Finnish cash rebate makes the incentive as much as 35%.

The area offers variable seasons and versatile options for filming locations. Whether it is urban / industrial or woods / wilderness that you are looking for, we have it!

Welcome to film in Northern Finland!

Check [www.nffc.fi](http://www.nffc.fi) to find out more.



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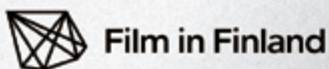


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**She will  
make it  
work**





**Lady Finland is efficient,  
digital and has a beautiful  
character.**

**Cast her and make your  
production a success.**

**[filminfinland.com](http://filminfinland.com)**

# Stay ahead of the pack

**Finland operates the  
most efficient incentive  
in the world:**

-  25% cash rebate
-  Average paytime 10 days
-  Reply in 24h
-  Payments during production

Finns are trustworthy, pragmatic and no-nonsense partners. Our production incentive is the most efficient in the world, just like our crews. The Finns work hard, deliver superb quality and speak fluent English.

Our Nordic home has the world's leading mobile gaming sector. Animation and VFX are growing strongly. Digital competitiveness in Finland is the highest within the EU. We walk the tech-talk.

Finterested? Visit our website and drop us a line: [info@filminfinland.com](mailto:info@filminfinland.com). We'll guide you through the coolest companies, freshest productions, stand out content and the Finnish melancholy. Let Finland show you how to excel your production!



**Mika Ronkainen** is an award-winning film director and screenwriter from northern Finland.

Ronkainen started directing documentary films at the age of 26. After having created internationally successful documentary films that premiered at international film festivals like Sundance, Tribeca Film Festival, IDFA, and Karlovy Vary, Ronkainen ventured into the world of scripted drama in 2017.

Ronkainen's latest work, psychological crime drama TV series **All the Sins** which he directed and co-created with Venla Aakko, has been highly successful both in his native country and around the world. The third and final season of All the Sins will be released in late 2022.

Ronkainen is one of the founders of Air Guitar World Championships which has been organized annually in his hometown Oulu, Finland, since 1996. In 2013, Variety magazine selected Ronkainen as one of the ten up-and-coming European directors to watch.





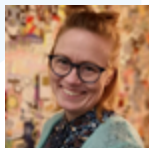
**NTRNZ media** is an Arctic award-winning creative house. We create international TV-formats and documentaries, which have won four Golden Venlas (Emmy's of Finland), the Best History Documentary in World Media Festivals Hamburg and were jury's selection in Berlin TV-series festival. Our latest production Untold Arctic Wars is sold to all Nordic Broadcasters, the Walt Disney Company in Benelux countries, Al Jazeera, National Geographic and several streamers in China and South-Korea.

Our company is based in Northern Finland in Oulu. We are proud to create strong Northern stories and we are also extreme professionals in producing programs in the Arctic area. We are searching for new partners, distributors, funding, channels and platforms for our upcoming productions such as: Untold Arctic Wars - The Cold War (History documentary series 6 x 52 min, 4K, English) Are You F\*cking Dead Yet? (Documentary movie / miniseries on Alexi Laiho and Children of Bodom).



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A 6-PART DOCUMENTARY SERIES ABOUT THE LEAST KNOWN  
EVENTS OF THE COLD WAR IN THE ARCTIC

# UNTOLD ARCTIC WARS

- THE COLD WAR -

Narrated by Peter Franzén

NEW SEASON OF THE GROUNDBREAKING DOCUMENTARY  
SERIES "UNTOLD ARCTIC WARS"





## WHATEVERGROUP

**Whatevergroup** is a TV and Film production company based in Northern Finland. Established in 2011, the company is owned by three writing producers Antti Kaarlela, Antti Kairakari and Aleksi Puranen. Whatevergroup works on productions on a wide slate ranging from quality scripted features and TV series to high class documentaries.

Whatevergroup's unique crew of business-minded and artistically accomplished producers is a great combination of talent and insight on both sides of the entertainment industry – the business and the arts. Whatevergroup brings to life bold narratives that enthrall and draw in audiences. Coming from the unbeaten paths of the small Northern Finnish town of Oulu, Whatevergroup's content development team looks at the world from a different angle.

Currently in the Whatever realm: Evilside thriller series commissioned by Elisa Viihde, Roi The One and Only family feature for Cmore/MTV3 and K-Point, a mini-series in development for YLE about a Somali ski jumper.



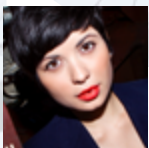
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Leverage from  
**the EU**  
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