



**Kieran Darcy-Smith** is a director, writer and actor who co-founded the successful Australian Filmmaker Collective 'Blue-Tongue Films' which has received multiple awards both in Australia and internationally. In 2010 the group was awarded The GQ Award for 'Creative Force of the Year', and in 2013, in Los Angeles, they were honoured with the prestigious AIF/Fox Studios, 'Orry-Kelly International Award' for services to the Australian film industry

Most recently, Kieran Darcy-Smith's co-wrote and directed *Last King of the Cross*; a 10x1hour crime and drama series which is currently streaming on Paramount+.

Darcy-Smith's debut feature film as director and co-writer *Wish You Were Here* was selected as the opening night film for the 2012 Sundance Film Festival where it was nominated for the grand jury prize. As well as winning 'Best Original Screenplay' and 'Best Supporting Actor' at the 2013 AACTA's, *Wish You Were Here* took out the 'Best Film' and 'Best Screenplay' award at the Australian Film Critics Circle Awards.

Darcy-Smith's acting career includes over 30 credits in television and film. In his multifaceted career, Darcy-Smith has collaborated with some of Australia's most loved artists including Paul Kelly, Powderfinger and Kasey Chambers.