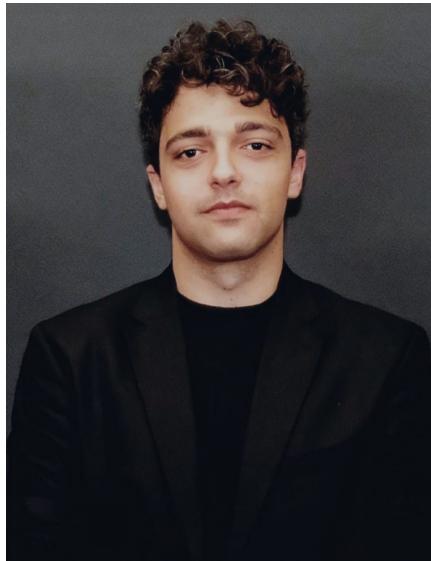


# Ameer Fakher Eldin

## Screenwriter and Director



## Film + TV

<b>2023</b>	<b>YUNAN</b> Screenplay, Director, Editor Cinema Company Red Balloon Film <b>Distributor</b> Intramovies <b>World Premiere</b> Berlinale Competition 2025
<b>2020</b>	<b>THE STRANGER</b> Screenplay, Director, Editor Cinema Company Red Balloon Film <b>Distributor</b> Intramovies <b>World Premiere</b> International Filmfestival Venice 2021, Giornate degli Autori
<b>2015</b>	<b>BETWEEN TWO DEATHS</b> Screenplay, Director, Producer Short

## In Development

## UNTITLED

Screenplay, Director, Editor  
Cinema **Company** Red Balloon Film

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## Awards + Nominations

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**2025**

### **YUNAN**

Arab Critics Awards for European Films **Award** Best Film  
Rotterdam Arab Film Festival **Award** Best Film  
Hong Kong International Filmfestival **Nomination** Golden Firebird Award, Young Cinema  
Berlinale **Nomination** Goldener Bär

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**2021 – 2022**

### **THE STRANGER**

Cairo International Film Festival **Award** Best Film and Best Arabic Film  
Asia Pacific Screen Awards **Nomination** Best Director  
Palestine's entry for Best International Feature Film at the 94th Academy Awards  
International Film Festival Venice 2021 **Award** Edipo Re Award **Nomination**  
Giornate degli Autori Award

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## Biography

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Born in Kyiv in 1991, Ameer Fakher Eldin is a writer and director of Syrian and Lebanese origin from the Golan Heights, based in Germany. His debut feature **THE STRANGER** premiered at the Venice International Film Festival 2021, where it received the Edipo Re Award. It was selected as Palestine's entry for Best International Feature Film at the 94th Academy Awards that same year. The film went on to win Best Film and Best Arab Film at the Cairo International Film Festival, as well as Best Cinematography at the Asia Pacific Screen Awards, where Fakher Eldin also received a nomination for Best Director. In 2025, his second film **YUNAN** premiered at the Berlin International Film Festival in competition, where it was nominated for the Golden Bear and went on to win Best Director and Best Actor at the Red Sea International Film Festival, the Arab Critics Award for European Films /Best Film), awards for Best Actor and Best Actress at the Hong Kong International Film Festival, among others.

Ameer Fakher Eldin speaks English, Arabic, Hebrew, German and Russian and mainly writes in English.

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