# THEODORE SIMMONS CV 2024

#### Education

2020: BA: English Language & Literature, St Johns College, University of Oxford

# **Filmmaking**

2016: Reverence, short film, Writer - Director, DP

2017: **Insanity**, short film, Writer-Director, Oxford University Film Foundation award & screening

2019 - present

Founder: Upper Air ltd, Branding, Producer, Writer - Director, Editor

2021: The Object, short film, Upper Air, Producer, Writer - Director, Editor

2022: Upper Air, short film, Upper Air, Producer, Writer - Director, Editor

Festival Selections:

Manchester International Film Festival
Hinterlands International Rural Film Festival
Lonely Wolf International Film Festival
Montreal Arthouse Film Festival
Stockholm City Film Festival
London Indie Shorts Festival
Berlin Indie Film Festival
Keswick Film Festival

**Spotify & Social Visuals,** web content, Nicola Claudine, *Intimations* Album Launch

2024:

The Trace: a portrait of street photography,
Documentary Upper Air, Producer, Writer - Director, Editor

#### Bañeras / Bathtubs

Documentary, Upper Air X Taskscape Media, Producer, Writer - Director, Editor

# Video Art / Installations

2017: **Disrupt The Narrative**, video installation, Taskscape Media, | Nottingham Contemporary Gallery

2019: **Thoughts In Series**, video installation, Taskscape Media, The Guild Of St George, Sheffield Millennium Gallery, Brantwood Ruskin Museum Cumbria, online [C-19 rescheduling]

2020: **A Place In Time**, video installation, Taskscape Media, Arbikie Distillery Scotland, Matt Carmichael Music, British Council Event, COP26 Stand & Online

2024: The Stopping Machine, Video installation, Upper Air

### **Work with Taskscape Media**

Education 2022:

CPD: Digital Marketing - Disruptive Strategy, Oxford Future of Marketing Initiative, University of Oxford Saïd Business School

# **Commercial Projects**

2016 - present

Co-Founder: Taskscape Media, Branding and Web, Producer - Director, Editor

2017 - 2024 work for Taskscape Media:

### The Three Pillars Of Sustainability

web documentary, Taskscape Media for EU Erasmus+ programme / GRAMPUS, Journalist - Director, Edit Assistant, Script writer

**The Leaves of Southwell**, web series, Taskscape Media for Southwell Minster / Heritage Lottery, Producer - Director, Edit Assistant, Script writer

### It Takes A Village • Good Looking • Same Difference

web series, Taskscape Media for EU Erasmus+ programme / GRAMPUS, Producer - Director, Edit Assistant, Script writer

No Wealth But Life?, web series, Taskscape Media for The Guild of St George, Producer

**Diversify Kenya: Agriculture for an uncertain future**, web series, Taskscape Media for the EU H2O2O DIVERsify Project, Producer-Director, 2nd Cam

# 2017-2024 Taskscape Work Continued:

**Growing Beyond Monoculture**, web series, Taskscape Media for the EU H2020 DIVERSify project, Producer - Director, Editor, Script writer, Narrator

*Creating Nàdar*, web content, Taskscape Media for Arbikie Distillery & the TRUE Project, Producer, Writer - Director, 2nd Camera, 2nd Editor

Framework Project Communications, Knowledge Exchange + Participation Platform - Design, launch & support, MS Teams, Taskscape Associates for the EU H2020 Framework Project

**Foodlands Podcast Series,** Taskscape Media for the EU H2020 Framework Project, Producer-Writer, Audio Editor, Co-creator, Co-host

Framework Project (2020-2025) Digital Outreach, Consultancy Team, Taskscape Media / Associates

Recodo Information Hub Branding + Digital Outreach - consulting & agency work, Taskscape Associates for the Framework Project

Framework Project Video Content, Taskscape Media Producer-Director, Co-Editor

### Outputs:

- Citizen Science Bioblitz, Luxembourg
- Monitoring Farmland Birds, Luxembourg
- Framework Moving Forward Annual Meeting Luxembourg '22
- Biodiversity In Virtual Reality Framework at the Royal Highland Show
- Ecosystem Services Success Framework at ESP Europe 2022
- Project Landing Page / Trailer Film
- The Home of Farmer Clusters AGM23 Salisbury
- Science and Legacy AGM23 Salisbury
- Olives On The Edge: Framework in Spain
- x8 Farmer Cluster Profile Films
- Recodo Youtube Channel Content

### Researcher, author, presenter:

 Navigating communication around Natural Capital to support sustainability and wellbeing benefits in Farmer Clusters - considerations for the agricultural transition, Ecosystem Services Partnership Europe Conference, Greece