



Faris Batayneh

فارس البطاينة

American Jordanian actor working in English and Arabic, raised in Amman, trained in Boston.

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HEIGHT

6'1" / 185 cm

WEIGHT

190 lbs / 86 kg

PLAYING AGE

25 to 35

HAIR

Black

EYES

Brown / Hazel

NATIONALITY

Jordanian, American

LANGUAGES

English, Arabic, basic Spanish

UNION

Non-union

LOCATIONS

Boston, New York, Los Angeles, Amman

FILM

Silver Jubilee

Dir. Christian Rath · **Young Man**

Short marking the 25th anniversary of His Majesty King Abdullah II's assumption of constitutional powers.

CAC

Dir. Katrina Lillian & Cassandra Giraldo · **John, lead**

C'est La Vie

Dir. Hana Mufti · **Adam, lead**

★ Winner, London Independent Film Awards · Winner, Los Angeles Film Awards

The Last Friday

Dir. Yahya Alabdallah · Produced by the Royal Film Commission of Jordan · **Bully**

★ Special Jury Prize, Dubai International Film Festival · Special Jury Award, Fribourg International Film Festival · Cinema in Motion, San Sebastián · World Cinema Amsterdam

Spiritual Warriors

Dir. David Raynr · **Young Joe**

The Long Road to School

Jordan Television with the European Broadcasting Union · **Malik, lead**

THEATRE

The Crucible

Dir. Judy Braha · C. Walsh Theatre, Boston · **Willard**

Private Lives

Noël Coward, dir. Jana Zeineddine · King's Academy · **Elyot, lead**

A Page Out of Order: Hold the Clock Jordan

Choreographed and directed by Yoshiko Chuma, School of Hard Knocks, New York · **Dancer, lead**

Faris is American

Written and directed by Ryuji Yamaguchi and Faris Batayneh · **Faris, lead**

Liz Lerman International Institute, Baltimore · Books@Café, Amman · Zarqa refugee camp · Model United Nations, Dead Sea.

A Midsummer Night's Dream

Dir. Tristen Chireco · King's Academy · **Thisbe**

Peter and the Wolf

Dir. Saad Abbas · National Music Conservatory with the Amman Symphony Orchestra · **The Wolf, lead**

TELEVISION

Al Jazeera Children's Channel

Documentary series *How to Study* · **Selected to represent Jordan**

National campaign, Higher Population Council

Five spots produced by Jordan Television

Happy Eid

Three episodes, Jordan Television

TRAINING

Boston University, Theatre Institute

Suffolk University, BA, Theatre minor

National Center for Culture and Arts

Liz Lerman Exchange, Certificate

SKILLS

LANGUAGES

English (native), Arabic (native), Spanish (basic)

MARTIAL ARTS

Boxing, Muay Thai, Jiu Jitsu, Wrestling

FIREARMS

Skeet, Rifle, Pistol

ACCENTS

American, Arabic, British, Indian, Spanish

HORSEBACK RIDING

Polo, Galloping, Basic Jumping

ATHLETICS

Swimming, Volleyball, Basketball, Football, American Football, Tennis, Track and Field
