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COMPANY PROFILE:

NAMIB FILM TRUST

NAMIBIA'S MOST CAPABLE FILM PRODUCTION SERVICE COMPANY

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Namib Film was established in 2000 by our Executive Producer, Guy Nockels, and has since become an internationally known name in Film Production Service in Namibia. Our high standards and large international client base set the benchmark for Namibia. In our 17 year existence we have more than "85" years of film experience amongst our internationally travelled team – this makes for a highly diverse and very up to date service. Namib Film has brought major international feature films to Namibia's shore and is the only Namibian company that has serviced a major Hollywood studio picture, from beginning to end in Namibia. This was for 20th Century Fox's "Flight of the Phoenix" directed by John Moore. Please do not hesitate to visit our website www.namibfilms.com to view our global clients. [John Moore Quote – Director of "Flight of the Phoenix": I cannot speak highly enough of Namib Film: they are the real deal and no one can touch them in that part of the globe.](#)

Our head quarters are situated on the Skeleton Coast, in a very European influenced town called Swakopmund, surrounded by the beautiful but harsh Namib Desert, with a rich history dating back to before 1900's, which makes us more than irresistible in the colonial aspect. Namib Film is committed to assisting clients worldwide with their unique needs by providing them with comprehensive, value-added solutions, and professional & personal service. We specialize in producing, co-ordinating and servicing award nominated feature films to hit TV channel documentaries. Namib Film is also the first to delve in 3D filming in the Namib Desert, as well a contributing list of internationally acclaimed Directors, Producers and Screenwriters.

At Namib Film we have a proven history of gaining access to exclusive and almost impossible locations. We can handle anything – from the Namib Desert to the Caprivi Wetlands to the red zone of large corporate industries, to all the unique corners of Southern Africa and its cultures and cuisines. We are known to deliver on time and within the budget.

We would be nothing without our extremely professional & efficient team. Our Executive Producer, talented staff of Production Manager, Coordinator, Researcher, Director, Cameramen and Location support personnel are truly the best in the business.

Their creative genius is matched only by their enthusiasm and passion to please. [Jane E. Durkee Quote – CEO & Vice-President of Tremendous! Entertainment: We have worked with dozens of](#)

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production companies around the world and can tell you without a doubt that Namib Film is one of the very best. During story development and pre-production, they understood our needs and helped us make wise decisions according to our budget. In the field, they kept us on schedule and provided incredibly detailed local expertise. Our production needs were thought of and taken care of at every turn. On top of that, the entire staff at Namib Film was a joy to work with.

Namib Film supplies the following first class production service to our clients, to ensure that their productions run smoothly:

- Budgeting.
- Location scouting and logistics – by working through Namib Film you can qualify for discounted rates on location fees.
- Filming permission and work visas – Namib Film will assure that your filming permission and work visa applications will be submitted and approved on your behalf.
- Crewing.
- Casting.
- Production office and warehouse space.
- Payroll and production accounting.
- Set construction, props, fabrication, wardrobe, etc.
- Equipment supply and aviation requirements.
- Vehicle rental.
- Catering and Unit support.
- Accommodation.
- Animals and wranglers
- Location rehabilitation (Ministry of Environment and Tourism approved)

Namib Film has established trusted relationships with the national government and continues to have the complete backing of the Namibian Ministry of Information and Communication Technology, the Namibia Film Commission, the Ministry of Finance, the Ministry of Environment and Tourism and the Namibia Investment Centre.

The wealth of the experienced local crew is still on the increase. This means Namib Film enjoys a full back up of local experts, people who combine their in-depth knowledge of the film industry with their intimate knowledge of our vast country. This has proven time and again that you can never underestimate the advantage of local knowledge.

With a comprehensive Film Producer's Insurance Policy under written by Lloyd of London, Namib Film is fully equipped and capable of being your service company on your production in Namibia.

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Namib Film Crew

- Guy Nockels - Executive Producer 42 Years
- Alex Horinsch – Director / DOP 30 Years
- Bernd Curschmann – DOP 18 Years
- Nadia van den Heever – Production Coordinator 6 Years
- Craig Moreland – Location Manager 17 Years
- Santa Pearson – Chief Financial Officer 11 Years
- Stella Onesmus – Production Secretary 3 Years
- Markus Haobeb – Unit Manager 2 Years

Feature Film Titles Includes:

NAME	INT. COMPANY	COUNTRY	DIRECTOR
• Flight of the Phoenix	20 th Century Fox	USA	John Moore
• 10 000 BC	Rich Films Take 2	USA	Roland Emmerich
• Dhoom II	Yash Raj Films	INDIA	Sandjay Gadhvi
• Gallowwalker	Sheer Films	USA	Andrew Goth
• Drona	Rose Movies	INDIA	Goldie Behl
• Magic Journey to Africa 3D	Orbita Max	SPAIN	Jordi Llopart
• Ghajini	Geetha Arts	INDIA	AR Muragadoss
• Luck	Shree Ashtavinayak Ltd.	INDIA	Shoham Shah
• Tirza	DO Productions	NETHERLANDS	Rudolf van den Berg
• Jackie	SRI Poornima Ent.	INDIA	Suresha Ramswamy
• Transformers 5	Paramount Pictures	USA	Michael

Committed TV Channels Includes:

CHANNEL NAME	COUNTRY
• BBC	UK (Universal & History & Science & Food Channel)
• ITV	UK (ITV 1 & 2 and ITV Anglia)
• Travel Channel	USA (Travel & Food Channel)
• Discovery	UK
• One Planet	France
• Al Jazeera	UAE

TV Productions Includes:

PRODUCTION NAME	Company	COUNTRY	Production Type
• MTC	Y&R Advantage	Namibia	Commercial
• Trans World Sport	IMG Productions	UK	Sports Program
• Divas hit the Road	Hunan TV	China	Reality Program

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• Dude you're screwed	Highnoon Entertainment	USA	Reality Program
• Naked and Afraid	Renegade 83	USA	Reality Program
• Tribal Survival	Icon Films	UK	Reality Program
• Black Berry	Farm Film Productions	SA	Commercial
• Phil's World Wide Cook Out	I TV	UK	Reality Program
• Quicksilver	Quicksilver Europe	France	Commercial
• Battle of the Season	Road Rules Productions	USA	Reality Program
• Lotto Max	The Big Picture	Canada	Commercial
• Tafel Lager	DV8	Namibia	Commercial
• Yamaha	Mercurio	France	Commercial
• Bizarre Foods	Tremendous Entertainment	USA	Reality Program
• Audi	Contra	Germany	Commercial
• Coke	Cinergy	SA	Commercial
• Nissan	RSA Films	SA	Commercial
• Land Rover	Webber	UK	Commercial
• Altes Gelt	Superfilms	Austria	TV Film
• Ness in Namibia	Pioneer Films	UK	Reality Program

Documentary Titles Include:

NAME	INT. COMPANY	COUNTRY	PRESENTER
• Wonders of the Universe	BBC	UK	Brian Cox
• 7 Wonders of the Solar System	BBC	UK	Brian Cox
• RED	BBC	UK	Brian Cox
• Hairy Bikers	BBC	UK	Sim & Dave
• A2B	BBC	UK	Richard Hammond
• Ultimate Elephants	Mike Birkhead & Ass.	UK	Mike Birkhead
• Survival	ITV	UK	Ray Mears
• Trails of the Unexpected	ITV	UK	Lamb Father & Son
• Cheetah Country	ITV	UK	
• Africat	ITV	UK	
• Animal Eden	ITV	UK	Stephen Leonard
• Bizarre Foods	Tremendous! Entertainment	USA	Andrew Zimmern
• Life After People	Flight 33	USA	
• Himba Babies	TBC Productions	France	
• Rough Nature	Triosphere	SA	
• People of the South	Hot Spot Films	UAE	
• Bunker 77	Endangered Spirit	Switzerland	
• Ticket to the Tribes	Eyeworks	Netherlands	
• Storm Worlds	YAP Films	Canada	
• Strictest Parents in the World	Blue Eyes Productions	Germany	
• Between Heaven and Earth	Point Du Jour	France	
• Fascination Earth	ZDF	Germany	
• QQ X Project	QQ	China	