

FERİT KARAHAN

Ferit Karahan was born in Mus in **1983**, Turkey. He is Kurdish film director living in Istanbul. He started working as an first assistant director on feature films.

His short films Before the Flood and Yusiv's Dream have been screened at numerous festivals and have won awards and honorable mentions.

His feature debut The Fall From Heaven premiered at the Antalya Golden Orange Film Festival and won Best Film. Also won Best first Film Prize at the Ankara Internatioanal Film Festival, and was later screened at more than 15 festivals and won more the 10 awards.

The Death of Black Horses which is **won 2. Prize from The Jerusalem Film Lab.** will be Ferit's second feature film.

FILMOGRAPHY

MOVIE

THE FALL FROM HEAVEN 2013, 88 min, fiction - **Director & Writer**

AWARDS

- **Best Film Prize-** Antalya Golden Orange Film Festival-2013-Turkey
- **Best First Film Prize** Ankara internatioanal Film Festival-2014 – Turkey
- **Special Mention** - 50th Pesaro Film Festival
- **Best Juri Prize-** Antalya Golden Orange Film Festival-2013-Turkey
- **Best Actress Prize** – Silk Road Film Festival – Dublin, Irlanda
- **Best Supporting Actress Prize-** Antalya Golden Orange Film Festival-2013-Turkey
- **Most Promising Writer** - Ankara internatioanal Film Festival-2014 - Turkey
- **Most Promising Actor** - Ankara internatioanal Film Festival-2014 - Turkey

FESTIVALS

- Antalya Golden Orange Film Festival-2013-Turkey
- International İstanbul Film Festival-2014-Turkey
- Silk Road Film Festival –2014- Dublin, Irlanda
- 32. International film festival of Uruguay- 2014
- 50th Pesaro Film Festival-2014-Italy
- Petaluma International Film Festival-2014-USA
- Duhok International Film Festival-2014-Irak
- Ankara internatioanal Film Festival-2014 – Turkey
- Ferfilm International FF – 2014- Kosova-

- Red Tulip Film Festivali-Netherlands

SHORTS / DOCUMENTARY FILMS

YUSIV'S DREAM 2011 14,30 Min short film, **HD Director**

AWARDS:

- **Best Fiction Film**- 2. Yılmaz Güney Film Festival-2011-Turkey

FESTIVALS

- 33. CİNEMED Festival international du cinéma méditerranéen de Montpellier-FRANCE
- FİERİ International Film Festival- 2011-ITALY
- 7th Zurich International Film Festival- SWITZERLAND
- 10. Festival of Mediterranean Short Film of Tangier-MOROCCO
- 2. Yılmaz Güney Film Festival-2011-Turkey
- 11th AFM International Independent Film Festival (!F İSTANBUL) -2012-Turkey
- LA Turkish film festival- 2012-USA
- V. SİNEPARK Film Festival-2011-Turkey

BEFORE THE FLOOD 2010 15 min. Short film, HDV **Director**

AWARDS:

- **Best Fiction Film**- 22st Istanbul International Short Film Festival- Turkey

FESTIVALS

- 17th Golden Boll Film Festival, International Mediterranean Countries Short Films Competition-2010-Turkey
- 22st Istanbul International Short Film Festival- 2010-Turkey
- Cineposible film festival-2010- Spain
- I've Seen Films International Film Festival -2010 Milano/ İtalya
- Brno Sixteen International Film Festival – 2010-Czech Republic
- River film festival- 2011-Italy
- 13th Randevu İstanbul International film festival- 2010- Turkey
- JCI İstanbul Crossroads 5th International Short Film Festival-2010- Turkey
- 10th AFM International Independent Film Festival (!F İSTANBUL) -2011-Turkey
- Yılmaz Güney Kurdish Film Festival-2010-Turkey
- 3th Süleymaniye International Short Films Festival –2010-Iraq

- Turkish Stand at the Berlin Film Festival -2010- Almanya
- IV. SİNEPARK Film Festival-2010-Turkey
- Sinemardin film festival- 2011- Turkey
- International Dersim Film festival- 2011-Turkey
- 3th Paris Kurdish Film Festival-Paris-2010- France