

**HEIGHT:** 178cm  
**HAIR:** black  
**EYES:** brown  
**WEB:** [vimeo.com/81471409](https://vimeo.com/81471409)



**BACKGROUND**

Mayen is a South African born New Zealander. He has a genuine Passion for the film & television industry. Mayen has worked as an actor & voice over artist. He is a self-motivated, persistent & reliable actor, with an adaptable range of character work. "I will launch myself with vigor at any assignment".

D.O.F.T.	ROLLOVER	PRODUCT	ROLE	TERRITORY	COMPANY/VENUE	DIRECTOR
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**AWARDS & NOMINATIONS**

2016 - Fresh As Flick Comedy Competition Winner - NZ International Comedy Festival  
 2016 - Finest Creation - Grand National Finalist - 48 Hour Film Festival  
 2016 - Boom Warrior - Finalist for Best Comedy - My Rode Reel Film Competition  
 2016 - Cabbie - Ignite Award Winner - Vancouver International Film Festival  
 2017 - RAW Comedy Quest - Grand Finalist - NZ Comedy festival  
 2017 - Best Picture & Best Ensemble (Parasites) - Illinifest Student Film Festival  
 2017 - Best Actor Nomination - V 48 Hour Film Festival - "Stand Up"

**TV COMMERCIALS**

08 / 2017		AIR NZ	Doctor	UK	Plaza Films	Paul Middleditch
12 / 2016	2017	STATE INSURANCE	Hero	NZ	Finch	Yianni Warnock
10 / 2016		MCDONALDS	Karl	NZ	The Sweet Shop	Nick Kelly
06 / 2013		Meridian Energy	Featured	New Zealand	Perendale Productions Ltd	Paul Casserly

**TRAINING**

ACTING - Thiago Maraes Bastos - 2010  
 2010 FILM ACTING & AUDITION WORKSHOP - Andrea Kelland and Vicky Yiannoutsos  
 2012 AMERICAN ACCENT WORKSHOP - Jacque Drew  
 2012 - Screen Acting Workshop with Miranda Harcourt  
 2012-2013 - The Actors Program - Diploma of Achievement  
 2015 - ACTORS EQUITY CASTING HOTHOUSE - Matt Skrobalak, Marissa Ross, Kerry Barden, Nikki Barrett & Stu Turner

**RELEVANT SKILLS**

HOCKEY, ICE SKATING, KAYAKING, ROLLER BLADING, RUGBY, TENNIS, MUSIC COMPOSITION, KEYBOARD/PIANO (Trinity College Grade 5), ACOUSTIC GUITAR, SINGING (Baritone/Tenor).  
 Stage Combat, Animation Voice Over, Comedy, Improvisation; Impersonations, Presenting, Resistance Training, Full Driver's License  
 ACCENTS - American, Middle Eastern, South African, Indian, Scottish, RP, Italian, Russian, Mexican, French & Australian.  
 IMPRESSIONS  
 LANGUAGES: Basic Hindi and Farsi