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KELVIN TAYLOR

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New Zealand-American Kelvin Taylor is a SAG-AFTRA and Equity New Zealand Actor. Fresh off work on **Operation Red Sea 2** (China), he'll co-star alongside *Jeremy Piven* in **"Fight For Your Life"** by acclaimed Aussie director *Luke Sparke*.

Kelvin's entertainment career began with breakdancing, DJing and modelling in Virginia Beach for **Pharrell Williams** clothing line **Billionaire Boys Club x Clothing Shmack**. As a events promoter with talents such as **Big Sean, Mike Posner, Common, LMFAO, Pusha T, Chris Brown** placed him in Australia through **MySpace**.

Scouted off the street, 2 days after arriving in New Zealand by an agency, his global commercial appearances began for **Milka Chocolate, Samsung, Meta** and **Toyota**. Kelvins versatile screen journey began at **Pacific Renaissance Studios**. Put into **Spartacus Bootcamp** for the hit Television Series **"Spartacus"** by **STARZ** as they were seeking African Talent. Playing *George Kerr* in the **International Emmy Nominated** film **"The Golden Hour"** reaffirmed his dreams and became a household name on Reality TV with **Warner Brother's Discovery NZ "Come Dine With Me New Zealand"**. His appearances from **"Power Rangers", "Ash Vs. Evil Dead", "The Shannara Chronicles", Murder is Forever** and **much more!** With multiple appearances and **voice work** on **Adult Swim / Cartoon Network** to Award Nominated Music Videos including **"Post Malone's - Goodbyes feat. Young Thug", "Maala - Kind of Love"**. Dozens of hit international music videos from K-Pop band **ITZY**, Italy's **Andrea Bocelli**, Bollywood's **Diljit Dosanjh** to Latin America's **Ozuna x P Diddy** it is clear his commercial viability is stellar and evidently global.

Training with top acting coaches in NZ to LA with **Michael Saccente** (*Karl Urban & Anthony Starr*), **Miranda Harcourt** (*Nicole Kidman, Dev Patel*), Stunt Training with **Dayna Grant** (*Madmax Fury Road, WW 1984*) & Choreography by **Jacob Tomuri** (*Tom Hardy Stunt Double*), **Clint Elvy** (*Game of Thrones*) & **Andy Stehlin**.

Today, this multi-hyphenate Virginia Native transcended into the Business side of "ShowBizness" with **"Kiirokuro Productions"** and non-profit **"Pacific African TV & film Collective"**. Absorbing all aspects of the arts, as he did with Hip-Hop in a untraditional path, he is a hybrid artist with the comedic timing of Jim Carey, showmanship of Elvis, conviction of Denzel Washington, heart of Matthew McConaughey, bohemian coolness of Johnny Depp. **Watch His Video** to the left!



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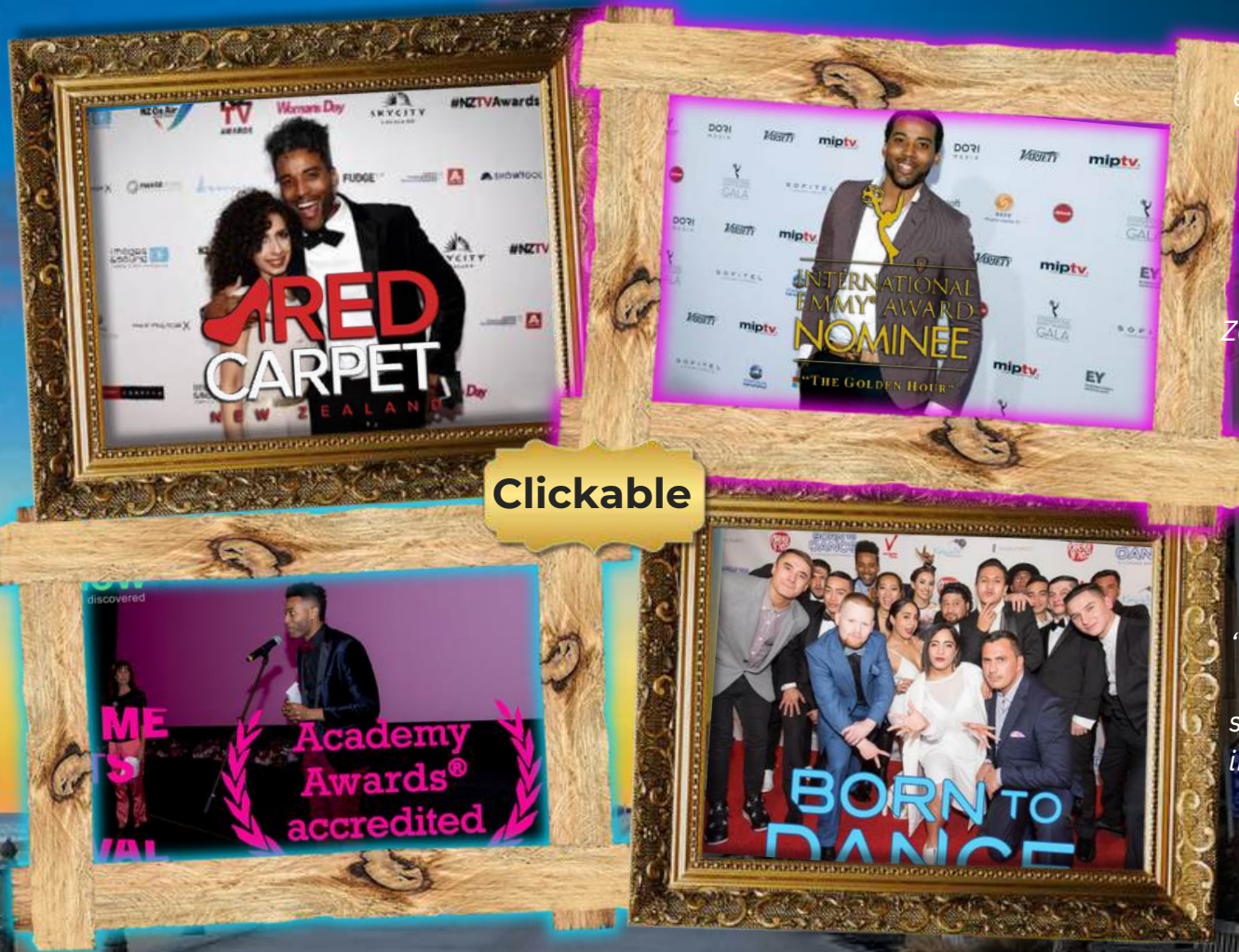
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"With a Los Angeles market saturated with actors, Taylor's unexpected success could easily be mistaken for a well thought out plan. He has a body of work behind him that many aspiring actors would shed a limb for."

- Dan Light, *The Huffington Post*

"Being donned as The Fresh Prince of New Zealand by WBA Oceania Heavyweight Champion and Chef Julius

Long, Kelvin's voyage placed him from being local icon to having a role in an Emmy Nominated production

that would solidify a preview of success to come." - Amir Bakian, *LA Weekly*

"The journey of renaissance man Kelvin Taylor from a former model, comedian, actor and stuntman has been a world wind with 14 years in the entertainment business. Poised to be the Byron Allen of Asia-Pacific, he's working his way from Non-profit organiser into Media Mogul." - IBT Desk,

International Business Times

"Auckland & Melbourne-based actor Kelvin Taylor has the Jazz, Swagger and presentation of an electro-pop artist from Sweden. This is the story of a Breakdancer turned actor and how the music industry never seems to escape him, even while in Aotearoa." - *LA Guestlist*



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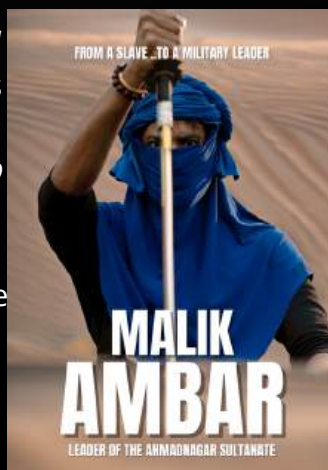


Kiirokuro Productions is the next wave of Cinema entertainment. Kelvin Taylor is a part of the forefront of the **Content Creator-turned-Director** revolution! **Conceptualised** as hybrid-pop culture film and tv production company, it infuses the trends of social media into fearless original IP for movie theatres. Recent productions include the upcoming film "**Camp 10-A**", "**Passport Bros**", "**Malik Ambar**" & "**Blursian**". Kelvin working as a producer showcases versatility and business acumen beyond a powerful screen presence to understand the global film market. **Watch His Video** to the upper right!

"Asua Han and Kelvin Taylor are proof repetition equals destined for greatness"

Panos Kotzathanasis, Asian Movie Pulse

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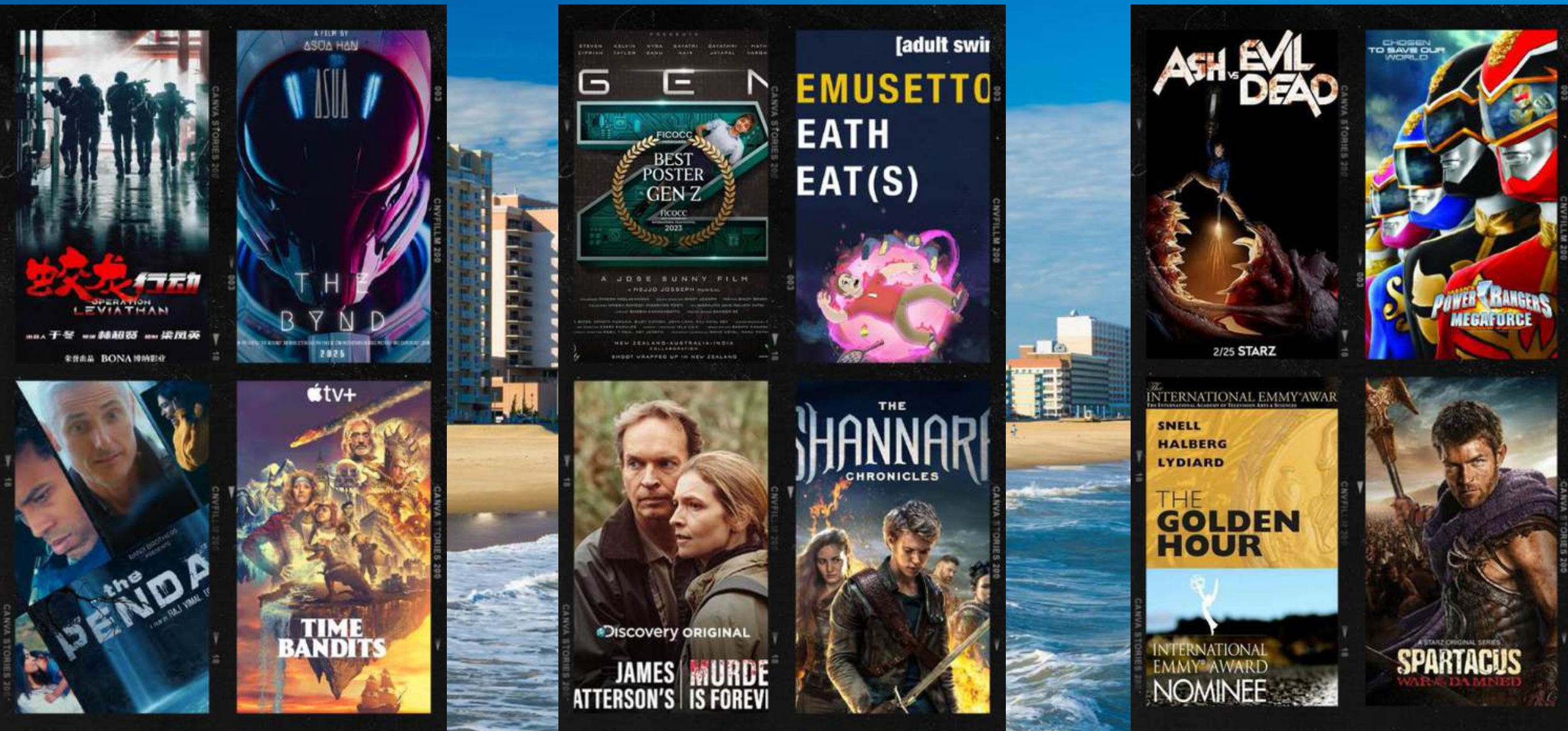


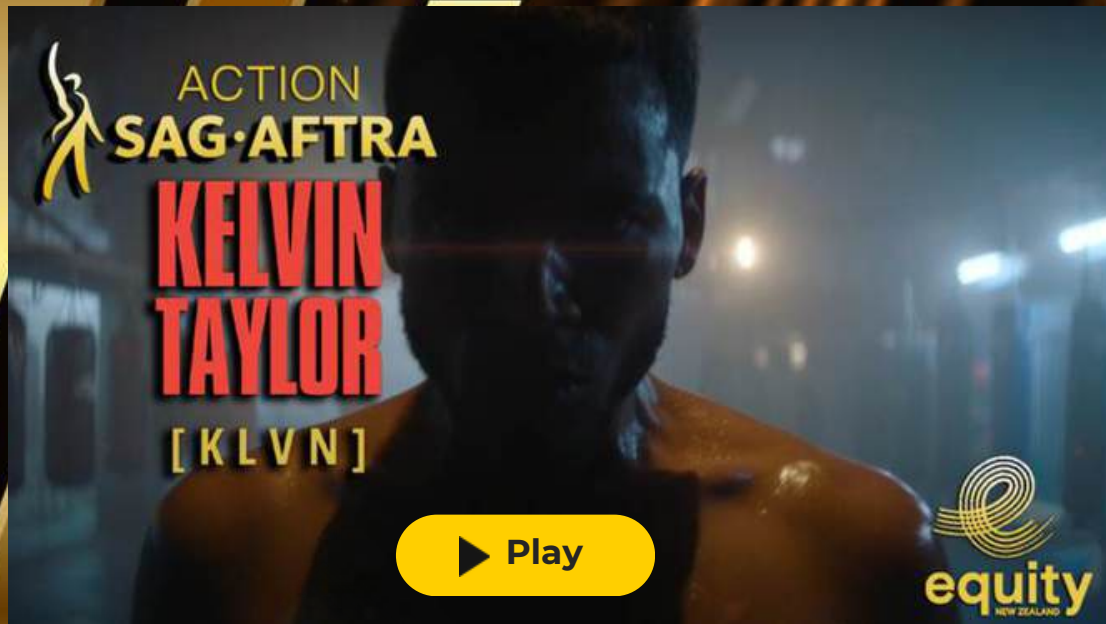
Charitable Contributions, Kelvin has been active in several initiatives including **Mr & Miss Africa New Zealand**, Mentoring youth as a acting coach for **IPOP LA (Asia-Pacific)**, presented on the behalf of **StarNow for Rising Talent in Australia and New Zealand**. Keynote Speaker for **Fuck-Up Nights x TedEx Auckland** and his non-profit **The Pacific African TV & Film Collective (PATFC)** promoting not just African Stories, but championing **"Inclusion without exclusion"**. Watch His Video above to see him acting coaching youth, ages 4-22!

From Melanesia, Europe to Lagos, we are here for all human+kind, not just "tokenism with DEI", but avoiding divisiveness and tribalism. **"Business and the global market requires us to open our hands with value, not demands and we can get a handshake"**. We need each other and common+unity, no matter your ethnicity.

• Kelvin Taylor, PATFC Chairman

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A promotional image for an action scene featuring Kelvin Taylor. He is shirtless, looking intensely at the camera in a dark, industrial setting. The background shows some blurred lights and structures.

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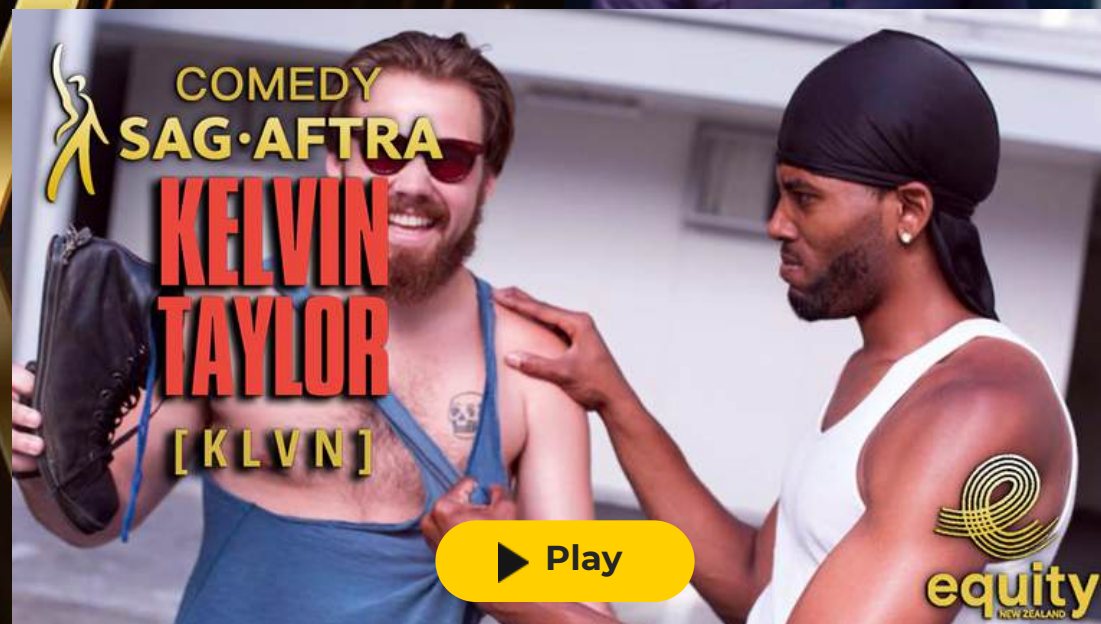


A promotional image for a drama scene featuring Kelvin Taylor. He is wearing a brown jacket over a red shirt, looking off to the side with a serious expression. The background is an outdoor setting with trees and a building.

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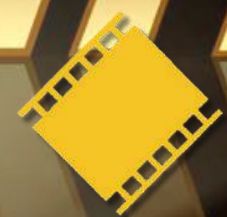
A promotional image for a comedy scene featuring Kelvin Taylor. He is wearing a blue tank top and sunglasses, smiling while holding a black shoe. Another man in a white tank top and black headband is standing next to him, looking at the shoe. The background is an outdoor setting with a building.

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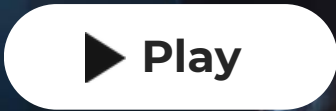
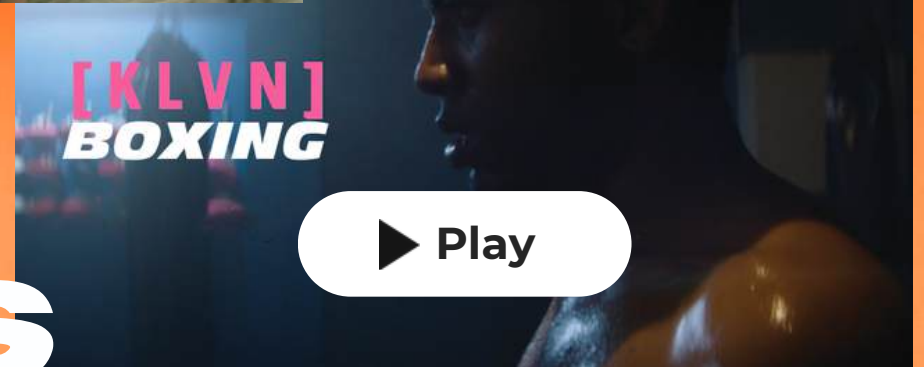
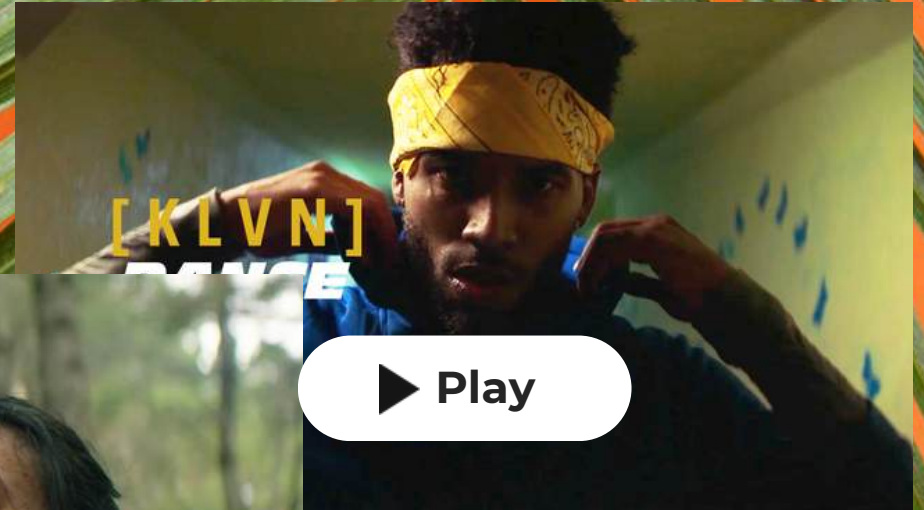

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Presenter to YouTuber: working in the Music Industry from 2005-10 as an event's promoter for **2PM Records** in Perth Western Australia, Kelvin transitioned into a Presenter. Working for **SnapStarLive** from 2011-12 in New Zealand lead him in 2013-2018 to start a YouTube channel "**LightItUpTV**". By 2022, he founded "**Dudes Brewing**" to share grounded takes on love, relationships, pop culture and film.

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- **LA Guestlist**



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- Teri Hatcher, Hatching Change

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- Guy Williams, Come Dine With Me NZ

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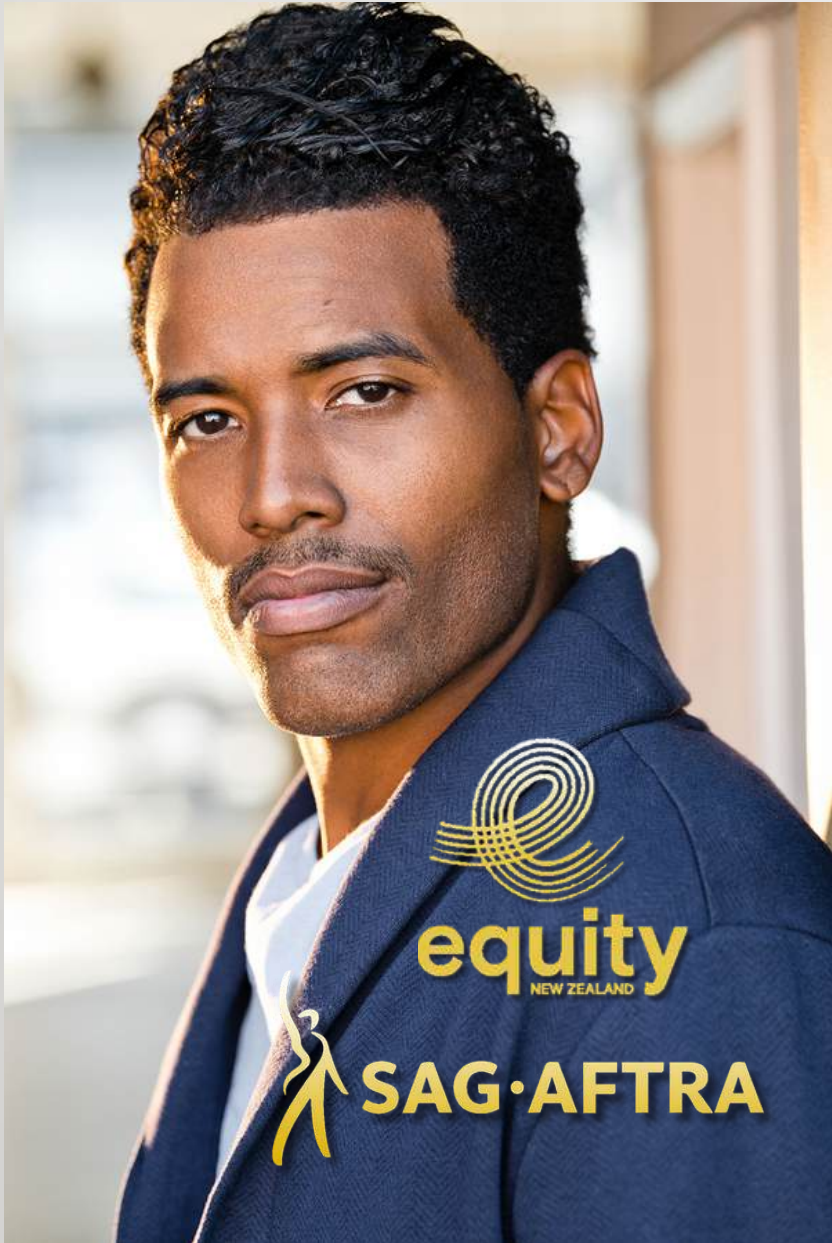


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