

## PEOPLE LIKE US...

Every week, "Kosmos" newspaper will be presenting stories of Greeks in Australia. If you would like to share your story with us, send us an email and your favourite photo at: [kosmos@kosmos.com.au](mailto:kosmos@kosmos.com.au)



### Two words about me:

Passionate, loyal

### Where was I born:

Sydney Australia

### Date of birth:

17/08/73

### Family status:

Not married, no kids

### My origins:

Greek

### Two words about my family:

Loving but nuts

### About my work:

I am very passionate about storytelling be it film or theatre. Through our stories, we have an opportunity to examine our lives and question and feel like we are not alone and whatever it is we are going through. Bulldog Theatre Company has put on 7 plays, the most recent, ALEX & EVE THE WEDDING and it was extremely gratifying seeing so many people of d-

# Alex Lykos

## passionate about storytelling

ifferent ages attend. And in addition, so many first time theatergoers. This was one of our missions when we first started the company.

### My interests:

Aside from film and theatre, I love rugby league and follow the Bulldogs of course. Love to read and play a bit of golf.

### About my life in Australia:

When I was 18, I left for America. I used to play tennis and lived in America for 9 years. Since returning, I have enjoyed getting stuck into the arts and writing and watching the theatre company grow.

### My relationship with Greece:

I have not been to Greece since I

was 14. I am looking forward to going there some time soon. I'd like to spend some time there exploring Greece.

### What I like about living in Australia:

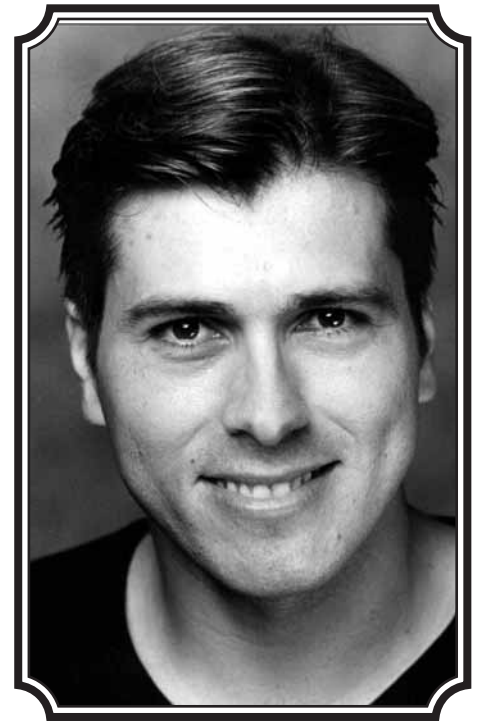
The freedom we have to follow our dreams...and the great weather

### What I don't like about living in Australia:

We are becoming obsessed with status.

### My personal big dream:

Is to continue to grow the Bulldog Theatre Company whereby we put on shows that are relevant to all Australians. In addition to theatre, make movies. The movie version of Alex & Eve is getting closer and closer to be-



coming a reality.

### My life philosophy:

Follow your passions whatever they are. Lead a life of integrity and try and make a difference.



# Greek Film Festival Opens in Melbourne

Christine Crokos' romantic comedy, Bang Bang Wedding, starring Alex Dimitriadis will launch the 2009 Greek Film Festival in Melbourne's Palace Cinema Como from September 2.

Festival highlights include the Winner of the Audience Award and FIPRESCI Prize at the International Thessaloniki Film Festival PVC-1, Spiros Stathouloupoulos' directorial debut inspired by a true story about a pipe bomb improvised explosive device secured around the neck of an extortion victim; Stella: A Woman's Way, a drama about an extraordinary relationship set in the seedy nights of Athens; Panos Karkanevatos' Well Kept Secrets, a story about the unravelling of lies; and Athanasia, which won the critics' FIPRESCI Prize at last year's Thessaloniki Film Festival.

Australia provides a great mix of short films including Bombshell, directed by Kim Farrant and starring Tony Nikolakopoulos and Zoe Carides; AFI Award winning Spike Up, directed by Anthony Maras; Pontos by Peter Stefanidis; while Sotiris Dounoukos presents with two shorts Mona Lisa and Paper & Sand.

The festival will continue screenings later in Fall in Sydney, Brisbane, and Adelaide.



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### • Παρακλήσεις:

7, 10, 11, 12 & 13 Αυγούστου, από 5.00μμ. έως 6.00μμ.

### • Παρασκευή 14 Αυγούστου 2009

Παραμονή της Εορτής της Κοιμήσεως της Θεοτόκου

Όρθρος και Θεία Λειτουργία από 8.30 – 11.00πμ

Μέγας Πανηγυρικός Εσπερινός μετ' αρτοκλασίας με την συμμετοχή όλων των ιερέων της Κοινότητός μας από τις 6.30 – 8.30μμ.

Θα ακολουθήσει η τέλεση του μυστηρίου του Ευχελαίου και μετά το πέρας αυτού θα ψαλλεί η παράκληση της Θεοτόκου.

Καλούνται όλοι οι Ορθόδοξοι Χριστιανοί της Πόλης μας να λάβουν μέρος στον εσπερινό στον Άγιο και Ιστορικό Ναό της Κοιμήσεως της Θεοτόκου.

Καθ' όλη τη διάρκεια της νύχτας ο Ιερός Ναός θα μείνει ανοικτός και θα διατίθεται καφές και λουκουμάδες.

### • Σάββατο 15 Αυγούστου 2009

Εορτή της Κοιμήσεως της Θεοτόκου.

Όρθρος και Θεία Λειτουργία μετ' αρτοκλασίας από 8.00 – 11.00πμ

Μετά το πέρας της Θείας Λειτουργίας θα γίνει η περιφορά της Ιεράς Εικόνας της Θεοτόκου.

### • Κυριακή 16 Αυγούστου 2009

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