

Biography

Mahdiah Zare Zardiny considers her duty as a filmmaker and researcher to shed light on stories untold or ignored. Most recently her first feature documentary film “Sardari’s Enigma,” tells the story of Abdul Hossein Sardari, the Iranian consul who saved many lives during World War II in France. The documentary sent a powerful message at the Aladdin UNESCO conference in 2018; and received press in multiple international media outlets.

With over 12 years experience of writing and directing documentaries along with narratives; her first short film, “An Iranian in Paris,” screened at the Cine-Rencontres de Prades Film Festival and broadcasted on Voice of America, a TV channel located in the U.S. In 2014.

Zardiny graduated with her Master degree in Filmmaking at the Royal Holloway University of London. There she also made a variety of short fiction films including; “Big Red J,” that was screened at the Cannes Corner Film Festival in 2013. After her graduation, She found Silver Pixels Film, as a platform for her projects.