

# Nathan Grubbs

Actor and filmmaker Nathan Grubbs is living the American dream.

Born in New Orleans on February 28, 1975, Nathan is a realist who knew that the road to Hollywood was paved with the ghosts of those who did not have the drive to make it. The film industry is an extremely competitive realm and a profession in which talent alone is not nearly enough to make it. Grubbs' new he would have to reach deep into the heart of his being and apply himself in every possible way in order to perfect his craft and make it where so many others had tried and failed.

His breakthrough performance as Jack in "Down in New Orleans" shattered critic's expectations of the actor's abilities in the award winning film and opened the door to new projects for Grubbs, who now hangs his hat both in New Orleans and Los Angeles.

Nathan also still finds the time to fulfill his first life's ambition as well, that of a Mississippi River Pilot. Quite a feat, when you consider that at thirty one years of age he has already completed one feature film in which he both acted and produced, formed a successful motion picture production company (River Pirate Productions) and has inked the scripts to not one, but two new follow-up feature films - both of which he plans to produce and release in 2007.

He is also somewhat of a renaissance man. A hard working, determined yet gentle soul who today finds satisfaction in the pages of his most recent script "Anything Goes", a film noir modern day Robin Hood tale which Grubbs has penned with his friend and fellow actor Alex Petrovitch.

On meeting Nathan the first thing you might notice is how absolutely polite he is. Quite a breath of fresh air considering that the up and coming film mogul is almost always working. Even sitting in a Carrollton coffee shop you'll see the ubiquitous laptop which he has pulled out of its' case so he can continue his never ending script writing. The next thing you will notice about Grubbs is his respect for the craft, as he exhibits neither arrogance nor complacency.

For a man whose first job was as a deckhand on a small tugboat in New Orleans, Nathan Grubbs has certainly traveled a very long way in fulfilling his dreams, and his determination has made it possible for him to hold his destiny in his own two hands.

You can watch Nathan Grubbs in "Down in New Orleans" in stores this August 29, distributed by Anthem Pictures 818-597-2344. You can find out more about Nathan & River Pirate Productions at the company's website: [www.riverpirateproductions.com](http://www.riverpirateproductions.com) . You can also contact him at: River Pirate Productions, 7400 Hollywood Blvd. suite 614, Hollywood Ca 90046.

Nathan Grubbs, a rising star whose feet are firmly planted on solid ground.

