

KAREN KICAK

WRITER



ABOUT

HOMETOWN: Lisle, Ontario, Canada (pop. 306)

FACTS:

- KICAK pronounced KEET-sack
- Kicak has published personal essays in major outlets included in the NY Times, LA Times, and Cosmopolitan. Links below.
- NEW YORK TIMES [I Used to Write Jokes About How Parenting Is Terrible. Then I Had My Daughter.](#)
- NEW YORK TIMES [My First Cigarette Was My Last. Thoughts on the coolest boy in Ontario.](#)
- NEW YORK TIMES [Modern Love Tiny Love Story: Missed Connection](#)
- HUFFPOST [My Shitty Boyfriend Became My \(For Real\) Incredible Husband](#)
- LOS ANGELES TIMES [L.A Affairs: A Healthy Distance. Would a Solo Trip Heal My Heart?](#)
- COSMOPOLITAN [She's Never Coming to Meet the Baby: On Being Friend-Ghosted After Giving Birth](#)
- COSMOPOLITAN [I Stopped Breastfeeding So I Could Actually Enjoy Sex Again](#)
- GLAMOUR MAGAZINE [Taking Your Husband's Name is Embarrassing. I Did it Anyway](#)
- TORONTO STAR / THE KIT [I Was a Writer on "Workin' Moms" & Wrestling With Motherhood Ambivalence](#)
- THE GLOBE & MAIL ["Are You Family?" Losing a Mother, Gaining a Wife](#)
- WEBSITE: www.karenkicak.com

PAST WORK

WORKIN' MOMS

WOLF & RABBIT ENTERTAINMENT / CBC / NETFLIX
Executive Producer / Co-Showrunner
Nominated for Best Comedy Series, International EMMY Awards 2019, 2018; Nominated for Best Comedy Series, Canadian Screen Awards 2019, 2018

MARY KILLS PEOPLE (SEASON 3)

EONE / GLOBAL / LIFETIME
Supervising Producer
Nominated for Best Drama Series, Canadian Screen Awards 2020

DETENTION ADVENTURE (SEASON 1)

LOCO MOTION PICTURES / CBC / HBO MAX
Executive Producer
Winner, Best Youth Series, Canadian Screen Awards 2023

ROOKIE BLUE (SEASONS 4-6)

ICF FILMS / SHAW / ABC
Story Editor
Winner, Golden Screen Award TV Drama/Comedy, Canadian Screen Awards 2015

VOLCANO (SHORT, TIFF '19)

LEILANI FILMS / CBS
Director/Executive Producer
World Premiere, 2019 Toronto International Film Festival, Nominated for Best Canadian Short Film; Nominated for Best International Short, Palm Springs Shortfest 2020

MUST KILL KARL (SHORT, AUSTIN FILM FESTIVAL '18)

BROKEN COMPASS FILMS / CBC
Producer
US Premiere, 2018 Austin Film Festival; Winner, Best Comedy, HollyShorts 2018; Featured on Short of the Week, Directors Notes