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Kym Jackson

happening in la

AUSSIE ACTORS ARE HOT PROPERTY AT THE MOMENT. ALANA LOWES CATCHES UP WITH EX-BRISBANE RESIDENT KYM JACKSON AND FINDS OUT HOW HER CAREER IS TAKING OFF IN LA.

FROM THE TIME she was in Year 1 and had the audience in stitches when she forgot her lines and ran across the stage for a copy of the script, Kym Jackson has loved performing.

Although she may have displayed (unintentionally) natural comedic flair early on, Kym says she loves playing the tough chick.

"I did an indie film last year called *Knifepoint* and played a real gritty, dirty character, and there was substantial competition from more experienced actresses around Hollywood," she says from her apartment in LA.

"I'd kill to do a film like *Underworld* or *Gabriel* where you've got the amazing visuals and characters who are fighting for freedom or survival."

Kym's film debut at age 21 was a one-liner in 2002's *Scooby-Doo*, filmed on Brisbane and the Gold Coast.

Her move to LA almost six years ago proved to be the right decision when her first audition landed her a small guest spot on US TV drama *Criminal Minds*.

"It was a really big deal at the time for me because it was a really emotional dramatic role," Kim says.

"It was also my first US TV audition, which got me thinking it was going to be easy, but it isn't." Based on her experiences in LA, Kym is writing a book called *Hollywood Survival Guide* designed to help Aussie actors break into the industry.

Kym has also landed a role in the thriller *Silver Cord*, starring Val Kilmer, which goes into production this year.

See Kym in *Knifepoint*, which will be out on DVD later this year, as well as Aussie indie film *Sleeper*, which was shot in and around Brisbane.