

## **Director's Biography**

Florian Karner, born in Germany in 1989, began creating short films at the age of 12. In 2010, he gained professional experience as an assistant on the ZDF feature film „*The Great Comeback*“. Since 2015, he has been studying Documentary Film Directing at the Filmakademie Baden-Württemberg. His short documentary „*Dubito ergo sum*“, produced during his studies, won the Student Jury Prize at the 26th dokumentART Festival in 2017. Working as a freelance editor, cinematographer, and video artist, Karner focuses on emotionally engaging storytelling grounded in empathy.