LILLO PETROLO

ACTOR

Nationality: Italian
Place and date of birth: Rome, 27 August 1962
Age range: 55-65
Height: 170 cm (5'7")
Hair: brown
Eyes: brown
Languages: Italian
Accents & dialects: Romanesco (Roman dialect)

CINEMA

2026 “Agata Christian - Delitto sulle nevi” directed by Eros Puglielli
2025 “Tutta colpa del rock” directed by Andrea Jublin
2024 “Cortina Express” directed by Eros Puglielli
2024 “Gli addestratori” directed by Andrea Jublin
2023 “Elf Me” directed by YouNuts!
2023 “Grosso guaio all'Esquilino - La leggenda del kung fu” directed by YouNuts!
2022 “Con chi viaggi” directed by YouNuts!
2022 “Gli idoli delle donne” directed by Lillo & Greg and Eros Puglielli
2021 “Una famiglia mostruosa” directed by Volfango De Biasi
2021 “Il mostro della cripta” directed by Daniele Misischia
2021 “Tutti per Uma” directed by Susy Laude
2020 “D.N.A. - Decisamente non adatti” directed by Lillo & Greg
2019 “Modalità aereo” directed by Fausto Brizzi
2019 “Attenti al gorilla” directed by Luca Miniero

2019 “Detective per caso” directed by Giorgio Romano

2019 “Il grande salto” directed by Giorgio Tirabassi

2017 “Nove lune e mezza” directed by Michela Andreozzi, role: Gianni

2016 “Forever Young” directed by Fausto Brizzi, role: Diego DJ

2016 “Natale a Londra” directed by Volfango De Biasi

2015 “Natale col boss” directed by Volfango De Biasi, role: Alex

2015 “Tempo instabile con probabili schiarite” directed by Marco Pontecorvo, role: Ermanno

2014 “Un Natale stupefacente” directed by Volfango De Biasi, role: Remo

2013 “Colpi di fortuna” directed by Neri Parenti, role: Felice Mammola

2013 “La grande bellezza” directed by Paolo Sorrentino

2012 “Mi rifaccio vivo” directed by Sergio Rubini, role: Biagio Bianchetti

2012 “Colpi di fulmine” directed by Neri Parenti, co-leading role with Greg

2012 “Come è bello far l’amore” directed by Fausto Brizzi, role: Pharmacist

2011 “Nessuno mi può giudicare” directed by Massimiliano Bruno, role: Enzo

2010 “Cacao” directed by Luca Rea

2007 “Lillo & Greg The Movie” directed by Luca Rea

2006 “Per non dimenticarti” directed by Mariantonia Avati, role: Eugenio

2005 “Fascisti su Marte” by Corrado Guzzanti, role: Pini

2001 “Blek Giek” directed by E. Caria, role: Gigino

1998 “Bagnomaria” directed by Giorgio Panariello

TV SERIES & TV MOVIES

2023-2024 “Sono Lillo” - TV series,

2023 “Gigolò per caso” - TV series, episode 1x04

2020 “Permette? Alberto Sordi” directed by Luca Manfredi - TV movie

2016 “Grazie al Klaus” directed by Zero, role: Lillo

2012 “Te piasse un colpo di fulmine” directed by Luca Severi, role: Teacher

2012 “Aniene 2 - Molto rigore per nulla” directed by Maurizio Cartolano

2012 “Una notte da paura” directed by Claudio Fragasso, role: El Muerto

2011 “Lola & Virginia - Live Action” directed by A. Celli, role: Johnny Fargo

2010 “L’ispettore Coliandro” directed by Manetti Bros., role: Bertoni

2008 “Amiche mie” directed by Paolo Genovese and Luca Miniero, role: Filippo

2008 “NormalMan” directed by Enzo Taglialatela, role: NormalMan

2007 “Un medico in famiglia 5” - Lillo & Greg

2001 “Via Zanardi 33” directed by A. De Leo, guest star with Lillo & Greg

WEB SERIES

2023 “Prime Games”

2022 “Generazione LOL - Chi ride è fuori”

2014-2019 “Pupazzo criminale”

TELEVISION & STREAMING

2026 “Pechino Express” (Sky Uno) - correspondent in Indonesia

2026 “La pelle del mondo” (Rai 3)

2026 “Festival di Sanremo” (Rai 1) - co-host, second night

2025 “Lip Synch Battle” (Canale 5)

2025 “Alessandro Borghese - 4 Ristoranti” (Sky Uno) - 10th anniversary special

2021-2024 “LOL - Chi ride è fuori” (Prime Video)

2022 “LOL - Chi ride è fuori - Generazione LOL” (Prime Video) - host

2022 “LOL - Chi ride è fuori - XMAS Edition” (Prime Video) - contestant

2022 “Lillo e Greg Comedy Show” (Prime Video) - writer and actor

2022 “Danza con me” (Rai 1) - co-host and actor

2021 “Concerto del Primo Maggio” (Rai 3)

2017 “Facciamo che io ero” hosted by Virginia Raffaele, Rai 2

2016 “Nemicamatissima” with Heather Parisi & Lorella Cuccarini, Rai 1

2013 “David di Donatello” - hosted by Lillo & Greg

2013 “Neri Poppins” - Rai 3

2012 “The Show Must Go Off” hosted by Serena Dandini, La7

2012 “Serata per voi” - created and hosted by Lillo & Greg, Rai 2

2009 “Very Victoria” hosted by Victoria Cabello, La7

2008 “Video di Ienissima” for “Le Iene”, with Lillo & Greg

2008 “Parla con me” by Serena Dandini, Rai 3

2008 “Greg-Anatomy” - parody with Lillo & Greg

2006 “School of Rap” - GXT

2005 “Takeshi’s Castle” - commentary by Lillo & Greg, GXT

2005 “Bla Bla Bla” by Marco Giusti - hosted and written by Lillo & Greg, Rai 2

2003-2004 “B.R.A. - Braccia rubate all’agricoltura”

2003 “Stracult” and “Cocktail d’amore” by Marco Giusti, Rai 2

2003 “Il caso Scafroglia” by Corrado Guzzanti

2002 “Mmmhh” - Lillo & Greg co-host with Neri Marcorè and Rosalia Porcaro

2001 “L’ottavo nano” by Serena Dandini and Corrado Guzzanti - Lillo & Greg

2000 “Telenauta ’69” - Lillo & Greg, Italia 1

1997-1999 “Le Iene” - Lillo & Greg among the founding cast, Italia 1

THEATER

2025-2026 “MOVIe ERCULeO” by Lillo & Greg, directed by Lillo & Greg, co-directed by Claudio Piccolotto

2023 “Il mistero dell’assassino misterioso” by Lillo & Greg, directed by Claudio Piccolotto

2019-2020 “School of Rock - Il Musical” directed by Massimo Romeo Piparo, role: Dewey Finn

2019 “Gagmen” written and directed by Lillo & Greg

2016 “Work in Regress” directed by Lillo & Greg

2015 “Il mistero dell’assassino misterioso” directed by Lillo & Greg

2014 “La fantastica avventura di Mr. Starr” directed by Mauro Mandolini, Teatro Olimpico, Rome

2014 “Occhio a quei due” - Teatro Ambra Jovinelli, Rome

2013 “Chi erano i Jolly Rockers” - musical comedy, Teatro Olimpico, Rome

2012 “Chi erano i Jolly Rockers” - musical comedy, Teatro Ambra Jovinelli, Rome

2011 “L’uomo che non capiva troppo” directed by Mauro Mandolini, Teatro Olimpico

2010 “Intrappolati nella commedia” written by Greg, Teatro Brancaccio, Rome

2009 “Far West Story” written by Greg, directed by Lillo & Greg, Teatro Brancaccio, Rome

2006-2008 “La baita degli spettri” written by Greg, directed by Lillo & Greg

2005 “The Blues Brothers, Il Plagio” - musical comedy, Lillo & Greg

2004 “Work in Regress” written by Greg, directed by Lillo

SHORT FILMS

2006 “Moto perpetuo” directed by Lillo Petrolo

MUSIC VIDEOS

2023 “Cringe” - Salmo & Noyz Narcos

2021 “La mia felicità” - Fabio Rovazzi feat. Eros Ramazzotti

2019 “Scusa se non piango” - Daniele Silvestri

2009 “Mamma Maria” directed by Manetti Bros.

2009 “Mamma mia” directed by Manetti Bros.

VOICE ACTING

2025 “Il Baracchino” - TV series

2022 “DC League of Super-Pets” directed by Jared Stern

2021 “Ron - Un amico fuori programma” directed by Peter Baynham and Sarah Smith

2019 “Pets 2 - Vita da animali” directed by Chris Renaud

2016 “Pets - Vita da animali” directed by Chris Renaud and Yarrow Cheney

2013 “Epic - Il mondo segreto” directed by Chris Wedge

2010 “Humpday - Un mercoledì da sballo” directed by Lynn Shelton

COMMERCIALS

2026 Reale Mutua - “So’ Socia” advertising campaign, lead/testimonial

2026 Gocciole Pavesi - “Ti sei svegliato storto?” campaign, testimonial with Chiara Francini

2025 Reale Mutua - “So’ Socio” advertising campaign, lead/testimonial

2025 Gocciole Pavesi - TV, digital and social campaign, testimonial with Chiara Francini

2024 Gocciole Pavesi - “E tu da che lato stai?” / Gocciole Finger campaigns, testimonial with Chiara Francini

2023 Prime Video - 2023 catalogue advertising campaign

2023 Gocciole Gelato (Pavesi / Algida) - advertising campaign, testimonial

2023 Gocciole Pavesi - TV and digital campaign, testimonial with Chiara Francini

2022 Prime Video - “#UnSorrisoOvunque” advertising campaign

2022 Gocciole Pavesi - “La vita è una giungla” campaign, testimonial with Chiara Francini

2007 ICA Foods advertising campaigns with Lillo & Greg

RADIO

2023 “610 (Sei Uno Zero)” - 20th anniversary special, Rai Radio 2

2012 voice of Burt in “Tex - Mefisto!” (Rai Radio 2)

2011 “610 in 2D” (Rai Radio 2) - writer and host

2003-present “610” (Rai Radio 2)

PUBLICATIONS

2022 “Posaman & Friends” - art by L. Usai, cover by Gabriele Dell’Otto, story and script by Lillo Petrolo, Rizzoli

2022 “La banda delle mezze calzette” - illustrations by Caterina Fratalocchi, with Lorenzo La Neve, De Agostini

2021 “Biografia. Non autorizzata da Lillo. Non autorizzata da Greg” - Gremese, Rome; ISBN 978-88-6692-135-6

2012 “Tutti contro Normalman” - art by L. Usai, story and script by Lillo Petrolo, Salani

2011 “Normalman - Le Origini” - art by L. Usai, story and script by Lillo Petrolo, Salani

2011 “La scomparsa di Zero” - illustrations for the children’s book by Baeli/La Vigna, Gruppo Albatros Il Filo

2007 “Questo libro cambierà la vostra vita... non necessariamente in meglio. 365 idee per un’autodistruzione consapevole” - RAI-ERI/Rizzoli

2005-2008 “Greg e Lillo Travel” - column published in La Repubblica’s Thursday travel supplement “I Viaggi”

1993 “Stinco & Laido”, “Topo Martino”, “Normalman” - published in the magazine “LSD - Latte e i Suoi Derivati”

AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS

2025 Commander of the Order of Merit of the Italian Republic (Commendatore OMRI)

2025 Italian Global Series Festival - nomination for Best Leading Actor in a Comedy Series for “Sono Lillo”

2025 Festival del Cinema di Spello - Special Recognition for artistic versatility and support for young talent

2019 Premio Flaiano - Musical Award for “School of Rock”

2016 Best Supporting Actor Award at the Sabaudia Film Festival for the role of Diego DJ in “Forever Young”

2015 Nino Manfredi Award at the Nastri d’Argento for “Un Natale stupefacente”

2015 Cariddi Award for Comedy to Lillo & Greg at the Taormina Film Fest

2014 Nastro d’Argento Special Award to the supporting cast of “La grande bellezza”

2013-2014 Biglietto d’Oro Award to Lillo & Greg for “Colpi di fortuna”

2012-2013 Biglietto d’Oro Award to Lillo & Greg for “Colpi di fulmine”

2004 Premio Satira Politica, Forte dei Marmi - Radio category, for “610” on Rai Radio 2

2004 Premio Flaiano - Radio category, for “610” on Rai Radio 2

TRAINING / ARTISTIC BACKGROUND

From 1987 to 1992 he collaborated with the publishing house ACME as a comic-book artist and writer. He created humorous comics for the magazine “Animal Comic” and wrote for “Lupo Alberto” and “Cattivik”; together with Michelangelo La Neve and Francesco Coniglio he created “La Clinica dell’Orrore”. At ACME he met Greg and, combining their musical and comedy ideas, they founded the group “Latte e i Suoi Derivati” in 1990. Their first album, “Greatest Hits”, was released in 1992.