

PAYAM INALOUIE



PERSONAL INFORMATION

Payam Inalouie (born 1985, Iran) is an Iranian actor who began his career in 2005 with student theater productions. He transitioned into professional film and television in the early 2010s and has since built a solid reputation as a versatile performer among the emerging generation of Iranian actors.

He is known for his ability to portray a wide range of characters and for delivering nuanced performances that explore conflicting emotions in psychologically complex roles.

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ACTOR





Notable credits for **Payam Inalouie** include ***Frozen Heart 3*** and ***Wall to Wall*** (dir. Saman Moghadam), ***West Sky*** (dir. Mohammad Asgari), ***Fariba*** (dir. Mahmoud Moazzami), ***Cold Blooded*** (dir. Amirhossein Torabi), ***The Stranger*** and ***Wednesday*** (dir. Soroush Mohammadzadeh), and ***Laleh*** (dir. Asadollah Niknejad).

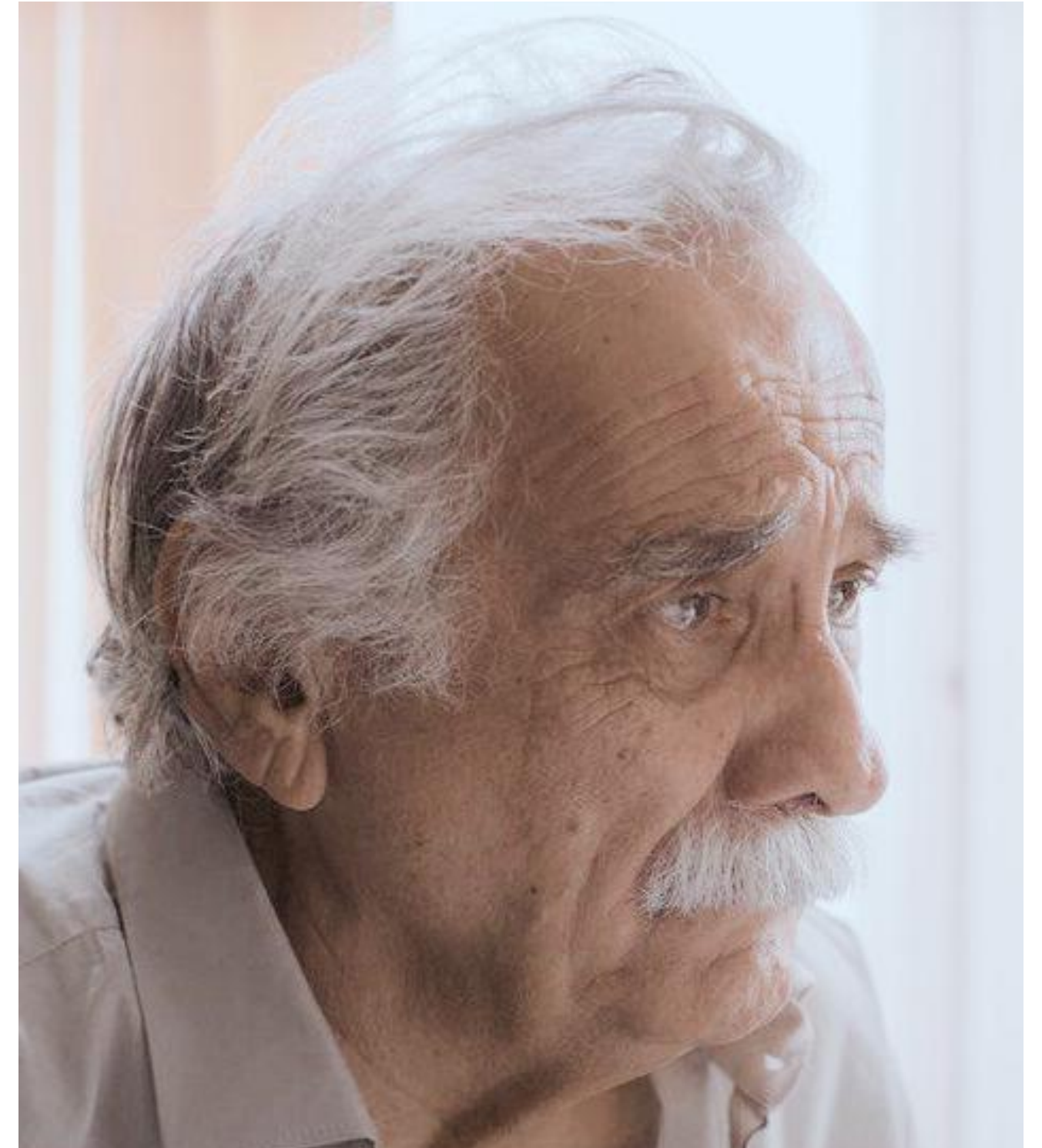
Several of these productions have received awards and honors, gaining popularity among Iranian viewers and further enhancing Inalouie's reputation in film and television.



PROFESSIONAL ACTING TRAINING

Payam Inalouie has received professional acting training under the guidance of some of the most prominent figures in Iranian cinema, including ***Shahab Hosseini***, ***Navid Mohammadzadeh***, ***Pantea Bahram***, ***Hooman Seyed***, and ***Saeed Roustae***. Learning from the insights and experience of these acclaimed artists has played a significant role in shaping his artistic vision and professional approach to acting, contributing to a focused and creatively driven path of growth.





MALINGERING

ORIGINAL TITLE: TAMARUZ - 2025

This **socially themed short film** explores the poignant and turbulent life of a lively yet lonely elderly man who, despite his inner vitality, gradually finds himself sidelined and unseen by those around him. *Tamaroz* offers a humanistic and realistic portrayal of the psychological challenges caused by social exclusion in old age. In addition to **writing** and **directing** the film, Payam Inalouie also appears in **one of the supporting roles**.



FARIBA

2024

Fariba is a popular Iranian **social drama** and **police** series **directed by Mahmoud Moazzami**, focusing on the life of a well-known female influencer. The story explores the psychological and social consequences of fame and its impact on personal identity and relationships.

Payam Inalouie plays one of the main roles as **Fariba's fake fiancé**, initially part of a publicity stunt. Gradually, his character undergoes emotional and psychological changes. He delivers a believable and layered performance, portraying the transformation of a simple man into a complex figure struggling with identity issues.



STRANGER

ORIGINAL TITLE: GHARIBEH
2024

Director: Soroush Mohammadzade
Genre: Crime, Drama, Romance
Role: Supporting Role





The West Sky is a heroic war drama that follows three Army Aviation (Havanirooz) pilots during the early days of the Iran-Iraq War, as they bravely stand against the Iraqi army's advance into western Iran. Based on true events, the film offers an intimate portrayal of the courage and sacrifice of Iranian pilots.

Payam Inalouie plays **Naser Sharifi**, one of the **three central pilots**, alongside Milad Keymaram as Martyr Ali Akbar Shiroodi and Amirhossein Arman as Martyr Edbiyan.



THE WEST SKY

**ORIGINAL TITLE: ASEMANE GHARB
2024**

Director: Mohammad Asgari

Genre: Biography, Drama, War

Production: Iran

Role: Supporting Role

Awards: 2 Wins & 7 Nominations
at Fajr Film Festival and Hafez
Ceremony.



Director: Amirhossein Torabi

Genre: Crime, Drama, Thriller

Production: Iran

Role: Supporting Role

Awards: 1 Nomination at Hafez Ceremony

COLD BLOODED

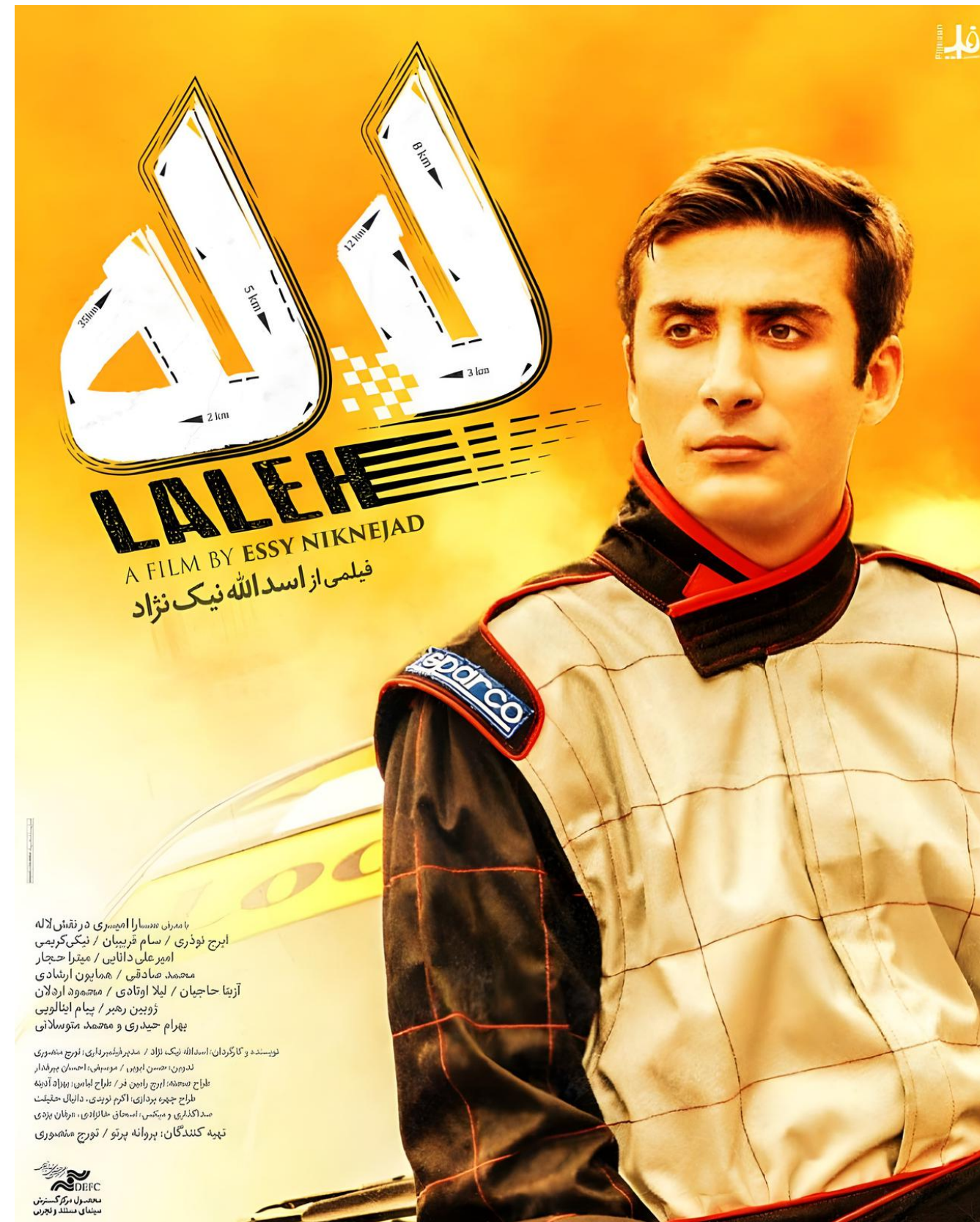
**ORIGINAL TITLE: KHOON SARD
2022**

Cold Blooded tells the story of Dr. Kasra Kia (played by Amir Aghaei), a forensic doctor who, following childhood trauma, turns into a self-appointed enforcer of justice, targeting those who have harmed women.

Payam Inalouie plays a supporting role as a **psychologist** and Dr. Kia's brother-in-law. His character secretly administers incorrect medication to his wife in an attempt to portray her as mentally unstable. While having an affair, he is ultimately killed by her.

Laleh is an Iranian **biographical drama** directed by **Asadollah Niknejad**, portraying the life of Laleh Seddigh, the first Iranian woman to compete in rally racing. Despite facing limitations, opposition, and sabotage from certain federation members and male athletes, Laleh bravely enters the male-dominated and competitive world of motorsports. With courage and by breaking gender stereotypes, she overcomes all obstacles and ultimately achieves championship.

In this film, **Payam Inalouie** plays one of **Laleh's main rivals**, who also dreams of becoming a champion. Throughout the story, he repeatedly tries to prevent her from reaching her goal. In the final race, he overtakes his own team captain and crosses the finish line in second place.



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LALEH

2022



Awards: 5 Wins at Sport Movies & Tv - Milano International FICTS Fest and International Independent Film Awards

Note: Screened in AMC Theatres across the U.S. and available internationally on Amazon Prime and Apple TV.

The Wednesday, directed by **Soroush Mohammadzadeh**, is a **drama-crime** film that explores the conflict between justice and forgiveness, set against the execution of a death sentence for the murderer of the family's father.

In this intense narrative, **Payam Inalouie** plays a man in love with the family's youngest daughter. Due to a misleading message sent by her brother, he loses the opportunity to marry her. Eventually, on her wedding day, the father is killed by one of the groom's relatives.

The film **won an award at the Fajr Film Festival**.

THE WEDNESDAY



**Original title: Chaharshanbeh
2016**



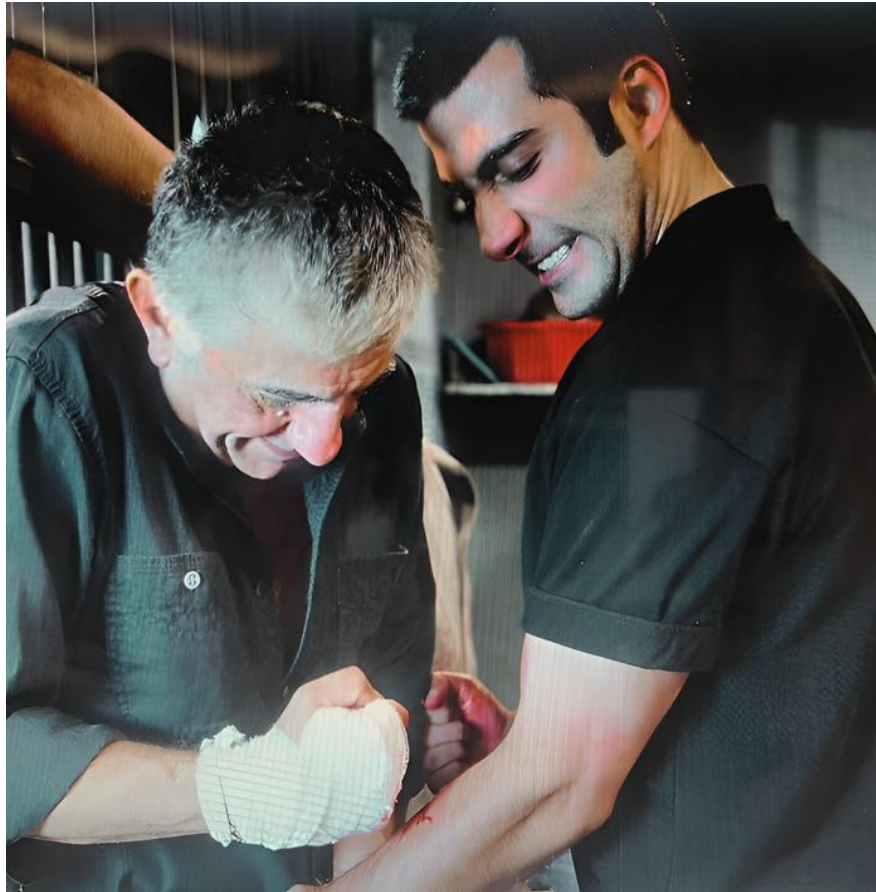
P22

2015

P22 is a **patriotic human drama** directed by **Hossein Ghasemi Jami**, centered on the heroic resistance of the Iranian Navy under the command of Commander Mohammadi in a naval confrontation with the enemy.

In this film, **Payam Inalouie** portrays the **son of the martyred Commander Mohammadi**, who sets out on an impossible mission to recover his father's body from the sunken warship P22, despite strong opposition.





FROZEN HEART 3

Original title: Ghalbe Yakhi
2012

Ghalbe Yakhi is an Iranian TV series in the **mystery, crime,** and **drama** genres, directed over three seasons by **Mohammad-Hossein Latifi and Saman Moghadam**. The series attracted a wide audience due to its star-studded cast and a storyline filled with secrets and suspense.

In this series, ***Payam Inalouie*** portrays a **hardened and experienced criminal**, who, while in prison, receives orders from an external mafia network and uses intimidation, violence, and coercion to force other inmates into collaborating with the organization.



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