

Claude, the Movie Director

How the three THE DROP scenes were directed: Claude writes Seedance 2.0 prompts like a film director — six blocks that control the shot, camera, lighting, grade, pace and sound. The exact structure inside.

01

Cast your lead firstStep 1

Generate ONE character still with **Nano Banana 2** (outfit, age, face, one prop like the messenger bag). Then pass that image as a **reference** into every scene and repeat the outfit description. Same actor in every shot.

02

Direct in six blocksStep 2

Ask Claude to write each Seedance prompt as a director's shot card: **SHOT** (what happens), **CAMERA** (movement + one signature move), **LIGHTING** (sources, not adjectives), **GRADE** (palette + contrast + grain), **PACE** (the energy), **AUDIO** (3-4 concrete sounds). Structure beats adjectives every time.

03

Sound is half the movieStep 3

Turn **audio generation ON** and name the exact sounds in the AUDIO block: engine roar, scattering fruit, one heartbeat at the apex of the jump. Seedance composes them synced to the action, free.

One real shot card from THE DROP (copy the structure)

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SHOT: night exterior, heavy rain — he rides a black cafe-racer at high speed, weaving between cars through neon-lit traffic, glancing back.

CAMERA: low chase drone inches above wet asphalt, whip-pans on each near-miss, speed ramp through a gap between two trucks.

LIGHTING: wet asphalt mirroring magenta and cyan neon, practical headlights, hard rim light on the jacket.

GRADE: teal and orange blockbuster grade, deep blacks, film grain.

PACE: relentless, kinetic.

AUDIO: engine roar, rain hiss, doppler horns, tire spray.

The Stack · everything you need

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The Agent

The AI agent that writes, designs, cuts and ships everything in this guide. Free to install.

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