

CONNOR HOUGHTON

Currently attending Brighton Film School, studying HND in Film Making. I have worked on film shoots for the HNC/D coursework with some guidance from the Brighton Film School lecturers. In addition to the coursework I have worked on several Short Film shoots gaining mainly lighting experience. I also have an understanding of some of the other main crew roles such as producer, director, assistant director and editor.

Personal details

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My time at Brighton Film School has helped and supported my interest in Film Making, specifically with lighting and working in post-production. The gaffer work is the area that interests and motivates me the most and I have performed this role in a number of student short films and events (listed below). I also enjoy the editing process; in the structure and creativity this brings to the final production outcome.

Some of the skills and personal development that I have gained from the HNC and so far in HND are:

- How to use Final Cut Pro to cut and edit film.
- Basic use of a DSLR camera.
- How to set up some lighting equipment and how they work on a set.
- knowledge of the different key roles on and off set and what they do.
- Script writing and how to formulate ideas.
- Basic use of sound equipment (e.g. zoom recorder and Nagra).

I am very keen to learn a lot more about the post-production processes. I am currently working on a student short film called Thinking About the Future (gaffer) and a short documentary called Adrenalin Junkies (main sound recorder and boom operator)

Experiences

Tip Off (student film)- Production Assistant, Grip, Clapper Loader, EPK camera operator and Extra

Association (student film)- Gaffer

Fear is an Addiction (student film)- Sound Recorder and Boom Operator

Caffeine (student film)- Gaffer

Monsters Under the Bed (student film) - Art Director
The Berg Art Exhibition - Lighting Technician
Elephant in the Room (student film)- Gaffer

Other Experience and Education

Chichester Yacht Club May 2014 – Present day

Working in the yacht club as bar man and key-holder. Ensuring the best possible customer experience was provided for customers at all times.

The Spinnaker Chichester Marina August – December 2013

Working in the restaurant café responsible for customer table service and ensuring the best possible customer experience was provided for the customers at all times. The responsibilities also included bar service as well working on the checkout in the on site retail shop.

Goodwood Food July 2013

A restaurant and bar waiter at Goodwood Food events such as 1 Goodwood Festival of Speed and the Horse Racing days. I have now worked two seasons at Goodwood Food. Serving customers and supporting service for:-

- Drinks
- Food
- Washing and cleaning restaurant and kitchen equipment

Chichester Marina work experience 2010

- Working the lock
- Preparing customers bills
- Assisting with general boat maintenance

Education

HNC in Film Making at Brighton Film School	2014
2 A level & 1 AS Level (Media Studies, Communication & Culture, Film Studies)	2013
6 GCSE's	2011
Sports Leader Award	2011

Duke of Edinburgh Award

Duke of Edinburgh Gold Award expected completion 2015	2015
Duke of Edinburgh Silver Award	2011
Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award	2010