

REBECCA LAUREN SMITH BA(Hons)

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Runner and Camera Trainee

A strong team player who has the courage to take on new challenges, and the drive and determination to see them through to a successful conclusion. Natural and well-developed verbal and written communication skills ensure productive working relationships are formed and maintained and that tasks are fully understood and reports delivered clearly and concisely. Self-motivated and with the resolve to produce high quality results, both individual tasks and team projects are supported with real commitment to the delivery of successful outcomes.

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

Full Clean Driving License (Over 23 years old)

Live Studio, Location and Production Office Experience

BBC Health and Safety and Safeguarding Trained September 2015

Basic FCP/Avid Pro Tools and Quantel

Elementary proficiency in Japanese and French

Confident shooter using a Canon 550D

SELECTED ACHIEVEMENTS

October 2016

Logger (TwoFour Productions, Channel 4, Alex Polizzi Dream Hotel & Born To Kill)

Spent time logging Dream Hotels and Born To Kill which involved transcribing sensitive material to tight deadlines

October 2016

Runner (Firecracker Films, Cancer Research UK)

Assisted the production team by setting up equipment, looking after talent and purchasing props for the shoot.

July – September 2016:

Data Wrangler/Runner (Potato, ITV Studios, Devon and Cornwall Blues)

Gained experience in Data Wrangling which involved organizing rushes and hard-drive collection for the directors and producers of the programme.

June 2016:

Runner (Twenty Twenty Productions, BBC One, Fastfood Britain)

During the day tasks included unloading kit, looking after presenters and assisting with the set up of food for the chefs on location in Brixham.

May 2016:

Logger/Runner (Twenty Twenty Productions, First Dates Series 5)

Gained experience in live logging whilst recording auditions for First Dates Series 5 for Channel 4.

Nov 2015 –Feb 2016:

Logger (TwoFour Productions, Ibiza Weekender 2 & Royal Navy School)

Gained experience in programme logging whilst working on Ibiza Weekender 2 for ITV and Sailor School for Channel 4.

April 2015- June 2016

Work Experience (BBC News South West, BBC Spotlight)

Tasks included carrying out routine support work for local BBC television news reports. This involved setting up lighting equipment and assisting with camera and sound recording equipment.

September- October 2015

Work Experience (BBC North, Blue Peter)

During the placement responsibilities included working as a Runner in the Blue Peter office. It also involved assisting the studio team in preparation for the live broadcast of Blue Peter each week whilst duties for the Film team comprised of editing rushes and operating GoPro and boom mic equipment whilst filming.

June 2015

Runner (BBC Learning, Make It Digital Tour)

Worked as a runner for the Make It Digital BBC Learning Tour. The main responsibility during the day was to successfully help children and adults alike manipulate robotic Dalek's movements.

December 2014

Work Experience (Progressive Broadcast)

Worked with the team at Progressive Broadcast processing and preparing camera and audio equipment for various production companies in Scotland.

November 2014

Runner (Tern Productions, Watchnight BBC Scotland)

Worked as a runner during the recording of Watchnight for BBC Scotland where the application of time management and organisational skills were key to delivering a successful outcome.

2010-2011

Work Experience (TwoFour Productions, Born to Kill & Hotel Inspector)

Gained experience calling and persuading local businesses and dignitaries to attend an event that formed part of one of The Hotel Inspector programmes and also spent time logging the Born to Kill Series.

OTHER EMPLOYMENT:

Shop Supervisor and Jewellery Maker, South West Crafts, April 2015 to Present

Sales Assistant, WH Smith, Scotland, October 2014 to April 2015

Sales Assistant, Whitchurch Post Office and Stores, November 2013 to February 2014

Volunteer, Oxfam, June to September 2013

EDUCATION:

2014 BA(Honours) Film, Media and Psychology (2:1) University of Stirling.

2010 3 A Level Passes (Psychology (A), English Language (B), Media Studies (B))