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I am a filmmaker with experience spanning some 20 years - from producing/directing outdoor adventure films, BBC documentaries and a low budget feature film to regularly working as a freelance editor or boom op. I enjoy digging deep in to subjects and being a team player.

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**CREDITS**

The Runaways**	Feature - Slackjaw	Director/Editor
Peace, War and 9/11	Feature Doc - IC911	Director/Editor
Ticket to Ride**	Doc - Slackjaw	Director/Editor
Twine**	Short Film - Slackjaw	Director/Editor
Poor Tom	Short Film - SYFN	1 <sup>st</sup> Assistant Sound
We Move Through	Short Film - Slackjaw	Director/Editor
Deadliest Crash	Doc - BBC4	Director/Camera
Dinner with Percy	Short Doc- Sheffield Vision	Editor
A Snapshot	Short Film - BFI	DIT/On set Editor
F.O.G	Short Film - BBC	DIT/On set Editor
Kiddo	Short Film - Static Flow Productions	DIT/On set Editor
Caterpillar	Short Film - BFI	DIT/On set Editor
Mr Wong's Lullaby	Short Film - Rookie Films	Editor
Black Daruma	Feature - Far North Films	DIT/On set Editor
Ticket to Ride**	Doc - Slackjaw	Director/Editor
War, Peace and 9/11	Feature Doc - IC911	Editor
GALWAD	Sky Arts	Line Producer
Grand Prix - The Killer Years	Doc - BBC4	Director/Camera
Madness on Wheels**	Doc - BBC4	Director/Camera
The Paris-Dakar Story**	Doc - BBC4	Director/Camera
Made in Sheffield**	Doc - Sheffield Vision/HBO*	Editor
British Skateboarding Champs	Technative/Oxyfire Media/Streamscape	OB Camera
UK Drift Champs		
Govt Finance Conference		
EM Railways Awards Night		
UK Synchronised Ice Dance		
Int. Ice Dance Comp		
UK Minini bikes Champs		
Reminisce Festival		
Beat is the Law	Doc - Sheffield Vision/Sky Arts*	Camera
Dragon's Back Race**	Doc - S4C*	Director/Editor
Ski Touring	Corporate Doc - Jagged Globe	Camera/Editor
Blood, Sweat and Bagels	Doc- C4	Director
Stick It	DVD - Slackjaw	Editor/Camera
Meltdown	Doc - Slackjaw/United Nations/Netflix*	Director/Editor
Hard Grit**	DVD - Slackjaw	Director/Editor
Consumed**	Doc - Slackjaw/Journeyman TV	Director/Editor
Stone Love	DVD - Slackjaw	Editor/Camera
One Winter**	DVD - Slackjaw	Editor/Camera
Winter Essentials	DVD - British Mountaineering Council	Editor/Camera
Hill Walking Essentials	DVD - British Mountaineering Council	Editor/Camera
Off Piste Essentials	DVD - British Mountaineering Council	Editor/Camera
Alpine Essentials	DVD - British Mountaineering Council	Editor/Camera
Climbing Essentials	DVD - British Mountaineering Council	Editor/Camera
Killimanjaro**	Doc - Slackjaw/Netflix*	Director/Camera
HardXS**	DVD- Slackjaw	Director/Editor
Suffering Andy**	DVD - Slackjaw	Director/Editor
Splinter	Short Doc - Slackjaw	Editor
Landslide	News Insert - Discovery	Camera
World Climbing Championship	Sports Programme - Sky	Director

Judy	Short Film - BFI	1st Assistant Sound
My Bad!	TV pilot - Rocketship Productions	1st Assistant Sound
Trigga	Short Film - Creative England	1st Assistant Sound
Goodnight Henry	Short Film - BFI	1st Assistant Sound
Robin	Short Film - Take Cover Films	1st Assistant Sound
The Duke of Wentworth	Short Film - Richard Knight Productions	1st Assistant Sound
In Absence of the Smoky God	Short Film - Sheffield Vision	DIT/1st AC
Land Mine	Short Film - Tickled Pink	1st Assistant Sound
Destination Dewsbury	Feature - Circus Films	1st Assistant Sound
The Pennine Way at 50	Lifestyle TV - ITV	Climbing Camera
Run Forever	Short Doc - Outcrop Films	Camera
McClure/Mawson/Verdon	Short Doc - British Mountaineering Council	Camera/Editor
Nicky Spinks - Bob Graham	Short Doc - British Mountaineering Council	Editor
The Cape Wrath Ultra	Doc - Ourea Events	Camera/Editor
The Trans China Bike Challenge	Doc Series - Bison Grass Films/EpicTV	Camera/Editor
The Extremists	Doc Series - C4	Camera
The Wildest Dream	Feature Doc - Atlantic Alliance	Climbing Camera
Stop the Rot	Web Doc - Historic England	Editor
Out There, Public Art	Web Doc - Historic England	Editor
Scarborough Bombing	Web Doc - English Heritage	Editor
The Devil's Dyke	Web Doc - English Heritage	Editor
Surveying	Web Doc - Historic England	Editor
Memorials	Web Doc - Historic England	Editor
Junior Ice Climbing Champs	Promo - UIAA	Camera/Editor
British Council	Corporate Films - Bigger Picture	Camera/Editor
Bike Helmet Initiative	Corporate Promo - Bigger Picture	Camera/Editor
Le Mans - Lap of the Gods	DVD - Bigger Picture	Camera
Le Mans - Chasing the Dream	DVD - Bigger Picture	Camera
Goodyear	Corporate Promo - Bigger Picture	Editor
Red Praire	Corporate Promo - Bigger Picture	Editor
Lines of Flight	Short Doc - Brown Bear Productions	Camera/Editor
Moon	Corporate Promo - Slackjaw	Camera/Editor
Vouch	Corporate Promo - Slackjaw	Editor
First Climbs	Web Series - British Mountaineering Council	Camera/Editor
Exxon Mobil/Lewis Hamilton	Corporate Promo - Bigger Picture	Camera/Editor
Thornbridge Brewery	Corporate Promo - Slackjaw	Camera/Editor
Big Bike Revival	Corporate Promo - Oxyfire Media	Editor
Team GB	Corporate Promo - Oxyfire Media	Editor
HEPP	Corporate Promo - Oxyfire Media	Editor
Sunflower Nursery	Promo - Debrouillard	Editor
Arc'teryx	Sales Aid - Slackjaw	Camera/Editor
BMG	Corporate Promo - Slackjaw	Editor
Lakeland 3 Day	Corporate Promo - Ourea Events	Camera/Editor
Deep Water Soloing	Doc - ScuzzTV	Climbing Camera
Mech5	Corporate Promo - Oxyfire Media	Editor
Boreal Climbing Boots	Corporate Promo - Ben Productions	Editor
Eurosafe	Corporate Promo - Ben Productions	Camera
Saddle Skeddale - C2C	Corporate Promo - Bison Grass Films	Camera
Saddle Skeddale - Morocco	Corporate Promo - Bison Grass Films	Camera
Pure Water - Poland	Corporate Promo - Bison Grass Films	Camera

\*These were sold to the highlighted broadcaster, they were not commissions

\*\* Producer Credit

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### [AWARD/FESTIVAL HIGHLIGHTS \(Directed or Edited Films\)](#)

#### **The Runaways**

Long listed - BIFA Discovery Award

Best Film - High Peak Indie Film Festival

Special Mention - Leeds

Tallinn Black Nights Film Festival, Manchester, Cardiff, Norwich Int. Film Festivals, SENSORIA, Schingel

**The Deadliest Crash**

GRIERSON Nominated - Best History doc

**Grand Prix: The Killer Years**

BAFTA long-listed

**Twine**

BAFTA long-listed

Best Horror - Beeston Film Festival

Film of the month - TMFF

Best Artistic Horror - Int. Haunted Horror Fest

Best Director - British Independent Film Festival

**The Dragon's Back Race**

Best Running film - SHAFF 2013

Grand Prize - Diablerets Film Fest

Best Film - Teplice Mountain Film Fest

**Stick It**

Best 'Climbing Sequence' - Kendal Mountain Film Festival, UK 2001

**Meltdown**

Special Mention - Kendal Mountain Film Festival

**Kilimanjaro - Going for Broke**

Winner of Jean-Marc Boivin Prize - Dijon Adventure Film Festival

**Hard XS**

Winner Best Climbing film SHAFF

**Suffering Andy - Slackjaw/Retail DVD (Director/Camera/Editor)**

Winner Best Climbing Film - Vancouver International Mountain Film Festival

**Splinter**

Best 'Short Film' @ Kendal Mountain Film Festival, UK 2000

**Lines of Flight**

Winner - Vancouver Mountain Film Festival

Winner - Torello Mountain Film Festival

**Blood, Sweat and Bagels - Chameleon/Channel 4 (Director/Shoot Producer)**

Best Climbing Film - Kendal Mountain Film Festival

Best Film - Torello Mountain Film Festival

Best Climbing Film - Graz Mountain Film Festival

Best Film - Vancouver Int. Mountain Film Festival

**Hard Grit - Slackjaw/ Retail DVD (Director/Camera/Editor)**

Best Climbing Film - Kendal Mountain Film Festival

Best Climbing Film - Poprad Int. Mountain Film Festival

Best Vertical Film - G-Fest, Colorado

Best Climbing Film - Graz Mountain Film Festival

Best Film - Vancouver Int. Mountain Film Festival

Italian Olympic Committee Award - Trento Int. Film Festival

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**[REVIEWS \(Directed or Edited Films\)](#)****The Runaways**

'A ray of British sunshine on film' - The 'i'

'An absolute delight' - Mark Searby, BBC Radio

'Deeply poignant' - Sight and Sound

'A warm study of innocence and experience' - Total Film

### **The Deadliest Crash**

'Excellent' - The Times

'Fascinating' - Daily Telegraph

'Thrilling, Evocative...Perfect Drama' - Radio Times

DOCUMENTARY OF THE DAY - Sunday Times, Daily Mail and Sunday Independent

### **Grand Prix: The Killer Years**

'Fascinating and moving.' - Daily Telegraph

'A documentary that will shock Lewis Hamilton to his very core' - Time Out

'Terrific' - The Guardian

### **Madness on Wheels: Rallying's Craziest Years**

'Brilliant, dramatic, un-missable.' - Neil Clark, Daily Express

'Exciting, compelling, frequently shocking' - Classic Car

### **Madness in the Desert: The Paris-Dakar Rally**

'A brilliant story, brilliantly told.' - Jim White, Daily Telegraph

RECOMMENDED - Mail on Sunday, Sunday Times, The Independent

'Excellent' - The Guardian

### **The Dragon's Back Race**

'Breath-taking' - Trail Running Magazine

'Superb' - Gough Magazine'

'Awesome endurance and stunning filming. A classic.' - UKHillwalking

### **Blood, Sweat and Bagels**

'Lots of Laughs, hard grind and eccentricity... lovingly shot and directed with great skill' - ON THE EDGE MAGAZINE

'Funny, very funny at times...dramatic and riveting' - CLIMBER MAGAZINE

'A film I have been waiting a long time for....great' - PLANETFEAR.COM

'Great.' - CLIMBING (USA)

### **Twine**

'A hostile, serrated blade of a film' - Donald Morrison

'Surreal, disturbing, fabulous' - Leeds Int. Film Fest Jury - Winner Special Mention

### **Made in Sheffield**

50 Best Music Docs of All Time - Time Out Magazine

"Fascinating" - THE GUARDIAN

### **Stick It**

'Stylish and Atmospheric' - CLIMBER MAGAZINE

'Infectious.' - ON THE EDGE MAGAZINE

### **Consumed - Inside the Belly of the Beast**

'Packs a serious psychological punch...A must-see.' [www.sutmundo.com](http://www.sutmundo.com)

'Extremely thoughtful... Watch it.' [www.blueplanetgreenliving.com](http://www.blueplanetgreenliving.com)

### **Hard Grit**

'Compulsive Viewing' - High Magazine

"Go. Buy. Marvel" - CLIMBER MAGAZINE

"Arguably the best climbing video ever" - ON THE EDGE MAGAZINE

"Trouser filling insanity" - TOTAL FILM

### **Hard XS**

'Mesmerising' - Colin Wells, Climb Magazine

'Amazing' - Jerry Moffatt

'I loved it' - Ed Douglas, Climber Magazine

### **Splinter**

"Perfect" - CLIMBER

### **The Devils Dyke - English Heritage**

'The film is superb - you have done a fantastic job' - David McOmish (English Heritage)

#### **UIAA Junior World Ice Climbing Championships**

'The films are great. Thank you.' - Judith Stafford (Client)

#### **Off Piste Essentials**

'Watch, learn and enjoy - totally absorbing' - Fall Line Skiing Magazine

'Excellentlly filmed and put together' - UKClimbing.com

'4.5/5. Another impressive instructional DVD from the Essentials stable.' - Outdoorsmagic.com

#### **Stone Love**

"Inspirational, insightful...all the climbers are superb" - HIGHMAGAZINE

"I wouldn't hesitate to recommend it" - ON THE EDGE MAGAZINE

#### **Hill Walking Essentials**

'Extremely watchable'- Outdoorsmagic.com

#### **One Winter**

"Really quite scary" - ONE THE EDGE MAGAZINE

"Very good...I recommend it" - PLANETFEAR.COM