



Debbie Harman

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Links

[Website](#)

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[Visual Research Network](#)

Skills

Digital Photography

Analogue Photography

Filmmaking

Adobe Creative Suite

Microsoft Office

Social Media Updates

Blogs; Wordpress & Tumblr

Arts & Cultural Knowledge

Anthropology & Indigenous Cultures

Exhibition Curation

Copywriting

Music & Dance

Profile

I am a passionate Photography and Film graduate with excellent experience in TV and Film productions. I also make my own Documentary projects that have been shown in Leeds, London and abroad. I approach all problems be they editorial or logistical with the same enthusiasm and creative mindset. I am looking for my next challenge within Documentaries and Factual TV.

Employment History

Crowd Coordinator, Ali & Ava. Clio Barnard BFI Feature Film, Bradford

OCTOBER 2019 – JANUARY 2020

- Auditioning Extras for the film. Making casting calls to bring in members of Bradford public, including children and their parents for shoots.
- Ensuring all payment and release forms are signed.
- Managing Crowd Excel spreadsheets for budget and costings of extras.
- Working both on locations and in the Office. Coordinating Runners on set.
- Monitoring hours and Health and Safety of Children on set.

Jnr. Production Coordinator, Daisybeck Studios, Leeds

JULY 2019 – OCTOBER 2019

Two Credits for Channel 5 programmes: 'Big Week at the Zoo' and 'Wild Animal Rescue'. Planning logistics;

- Booking hotels, transport, talent, equipment
- Monitoring budgets of hotels and costs of productions. Petty Cash
- Raising purchase orders and tracking deliveries.
- Working on set managing runners at Big week at the Zoo.
- Ad-hoc visual research and stock footage research.

Production Secretary, Daisybeck Studios, Leeds

MAY 2019 – JULY 2019

Secretary on 'The Great Yorkshire Show'.

Artist Filmmaker, Granada Centre for Visual Anthropology, Manchester University

SEPTEMBER 2018 – SEPTEMBER 2018

Chosen through Film submission to take part in a Filmmaking residency coordinated by Granada Centre for Visual Anthropology. Working alongside PhD students, Artists and Global Filmmakers such as Laurent Van Lecker, Ken Faro, Erik Knudsen and Jenny Holt. This creative Film work was shown at Manchester university. I am now a permanent member of the Visual Research Network at Manchester University.

Stills Photographer/Runner, YTV Documentary Feature, Leeds

APRIL 2018 – JULY 2018

Working for Stuart Ramsay on the History of YTV Documentary Feature Film.

Production Assistant, ITV, Emmerdale, Leeds

MARCH 2017 – APRIL 2018

Working across three departments throughout the week;

- Printing scripts and Call sheets for all departments across Emmerdale.
- Costume accounts receipt reconciliation.
- Post Production transcribing, logging tapes and Silvermouse tasks.

Office Manager, Bradley TV, Leeds

OCTOBER 2016 – FEBRUARY 2017

Managing the office for the Corporate Video Production company. Updating social media.

Hobbies

I love to combine my love for Travel, Documentary and Film.- Attending festivals such as; Sheffield Doc Fest, DokuFest Berlin, Paris Photo, Arts Asia Biennial in Australia, Contact Photo festival Toronto. I am a wildly curious and impassioned individual who loves to create and find inspiration in the world.

I have recently won funding to make my first commissioned short Documentary Film. I have funding from the Leeds based production company; Green Film Productions. Their production model is close to my heart as I love nature and try to be aware of the environment in all productions I am a part of. My love for nature also expands into Surfing, Hiking, and Snowboarding.

Gallery Assistant, Hepworth Art Gallery, Leeds

JUNE 2016 – FEBRUARY 2017

Photography Team Assistant, Leeds Beckett University, Leeds

FEBRUARY 2016 – AUGUST 2016

Booking photography studios and digital asset management of university photography files and developing archive system.

Front Desk, Hi Hostel Whistler, Canada, Whistler

JUNE 2010 – OCTOBER 2011

Living in Canada for two years working at the hostel soaking up the First Nations culture, eventually traveling South to Central America taking photographs along the way. This experience has to be one of the most challenging and rewarding experiences of my life.

Artist Entrance Receptionist, Opera North, Leeds

JANUARY 2010 – MAY 2010

Communications Assistant, Film and Video Umbrella, London

MAY 2009 – SEPTEMBER 2009

Internship in Artist Film production: Helping to arrange productions across London and handle PR and gallery events.

Photography & Film: Artist Training, Redeye Photography Network & Impressions Gallery, Bradford

MAY 2008 – MAY 2009

Won a place through submission along with a group of 12 other UK Photographers. Part of exhibitions and group workshops.

Graphic Assistant, ITV, Leeds

DECEMBER 2008 – DECEMBER 2008

Arranging Printwork for both Emmerdale and Calendar news and set dressing.

Trainee Art Department, Red Riding Series, Channel 4, Leeds

MARCH 2008 – NOVEMBER 2008

Making props and posters on Photoshop. Runner for department. Set dressing.

SEPTEMBER 2020 – SEPTEMBER 2020

Education

Certificate Documentary Filmmaking, Northern Film School, Leeds

JANUARY 2020 – MAY 2020

MA by Research Photography, London College of Communication, London

JANUARY 2014 – DECEMBER 2014

I won a full scholarship with further funding to make a Documentary project based between the UK and Poland, looking at Brexit.

BA (Hons) Graphic Art & Design, Leeds Beckett University, Leeds

SEPTEMBER 2004 – JUNE 2007

Exhibitions & Screenings

Arts Letter & Numbers, Humanities & Art residency, Hudson, New York State

SEPTEMBER 2021 – SEPTEMBER 2021

(Postponed from 2020)

'Twinned' Documentary Photography Exhibition, Bowery Gallery, Leeds

AUGUST 2018 – AUGUST 2018

Film installation, NHS Galleries, Free Space Project, London

MARCH 2018 – JUNE 2018

Photography Exhibition, White Cloth Gallery, Leeds

JUNE 2017 – SEPTEMBER 2017

Lost in Transit, Documentary Exhibition, Shanghai Photography Festival

JUNE 2015 – SEPTEMBER 2015

Photography & Film, East London Photography Festival

MAY 2010 – AUGUST 2010

Lost in Transit Film screening, Impressions Gallery, Bradford

MAY 2009 – AUGUST 2009

References

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