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Filmmaker, Photojournalist, Conservationist and Performing Arts

I grew up in a family of diverse and passionate artists, who at times gave in on their ambitious dreams, but also never made a living from what they loved - which in a way has pushed me to never give up! As soon as I left secondary school I knew what I wanted to do and did everything possible to make it a reality - I had a lot to overcome which made me strong and strive to always succeed. I've been building my knowledge and skills ever since. I have [a lot] and will work for free if needed to, to truly benefit others and myself. I love to learn and challenge myself with everything that excites me. I believe I'm intuitive and very good with people, but especially animals and the understanding of various/different needs. I am creative, responsible, respectful and in good health - I don't smoke or drink alcohol – I'm also a Sports coach. I'm a good, safe driver and like to travel, having explored East Asia, Canada, Southern Africa and extensively travelled in USA and Europe. I've recently been gaining extra media experience in Features, Current Affairs, Drama, Behind-The-Scenes and would like to do Live Sport productions also, appreciating any extra opportunities in these. My specialist subjects are Documentary, Environmental, Comedy, Urban, Music, Fashion, History and Anthropology, Culture, Sports, Education and Arts – I am also a B-boy/Breakdancer and enjoy competing and performing.

Experience:

Co-Producer, Camera, Edit Assist on Feature Film 'A Royal Hangover' (2013/14) – shot on Canon XL-H1 & 7D
Director, Producer, Camera on Music Video 'Frankie Stew & Harvey Gunn – 1994' (Jul 2012)
BTS Director/Producer & Production Assistant on Feature Film 'Dartmoor Killing' (2014). DIR: Peter Nicholson
2ND Unit Director/Producer on Feature Film 'House of Bricks' (late 2017 tbc). DIR: Background Noise Prod
1ST Assist Director on Short Film 'The Search Party' for Exeter Phoenix Commission/2Short Nights (Aug 2016)
2ND Assist Director on Short Film 'Lula' for Goldsmiths Uni MA grad (Apr 2016). DIR: A.O'Kelly
3RD Assist Director & Unit Stills on Short Film 'The Light Refracts' for NFTS Film School MA grad (Aug 2016)
3RD Assist Director on Feature Film 'This Family' (Sep 2016). DIR: Dictynna (DR) Hood/Likely Story Ltd
1ST Assist Camera on Film 'Washed Up' (Dec 2012) – shot on Arri Alexa. DOP: Gareth Munden DIR: M.Stirling
2ND Assist Camera on Feature Film 'The Mad Axeman' (Jan 2016) - shot on Arri Alexa Mini. DOP: Luke Jacobs
Producer/Production Assistant & Boom Operator on Short Film 'Shelter Me' (late 2013). DIR: Beccy Strong
Production/Casting Assistant on Feature Film 'Winter Ridge' (Apr 2017). DIR: Firefly Features
2 weeks Work Experience at Icon Films (2011) – assisting crew, shoots, digitizing, scripting, making drinks etc
Official Finalist Judge/Screener for Cheap Cuts International Documentary Film Festival (spring 2016)

Official Photographer/Video for the "European Babywearing Conference" Bristol (Jul 2013)
Official Press (Cameraman and Photographer) at IBE 2012, Holland – 'biggest breakdance event worldwide'
Lead Role Actor as "Wu Lee" on Short Film 'The Killer's Gift' for Bristol University MA graduation (May 2014)
Supporting Artist "wedding guest" on Feature Film 'Koroli Love Sumit' (Jul 2016). Actors: T.Pannu & S.Saleem
Supporting Artist "photojournalist" on TV Series 'Dr Who' (Sep 2016/xmas spec). Actors: P.Capaldi & M.Lucas
Supporting Artist "skater/angry kid" on TV Series 'Camping' (Sep 2015). Actors: J.Davis & R.Jones
Supporting Artist "shanghai local" on TV Series 'Wizards v Aliens' (May 2014). Actors: M.Higgs & S.Haran
Supporting Artist "traveller" on TV Series 'The Other Wife' (Apr 2012). Actors: J.Hanna & R.Everett
Bristol Festival of Nature 2011 – BBC NHU Activities Assistant, University Dinosaur Project (voluntary)
Fundraising and Information's for RSPB and WildAid (voluntary). Site Volunteer at Devon Bird of Prey Centre

Other Achievements:

Tambourelli Doubles WORLD CHAMPION 2014 – played at Riverford, Devon, 2-3 Aug
Shortlisted in Environmental Photographer of the Year 2010 (top 277 photographers out of over 4,500 from 97 countries). . . And some of the images have been exhibited and published in newsletters/magazines
Publicity, Promotion and Participant in 'Bare Rhymes' Hip Hop Workshop (Sep 2007) with Foreign Beggars +
Contribution Photographer for The Macrobiotic Association of Great Britain (2010-2012)

Other Skills:

Breakdance and Adventure Sports coach, Tambourelli and Climbing instructor
Hiking, Trekking and Navigation
Martial Arts Teaching Assistant (Kung Fu, Tae Kwon-Do, Qigong and Judo)
Trained in Herbal, Natural Medicine and Nutritional Health

Education:

Park School, Dartington 1994-2000
Sands School, Ashburton 2000-2006
Stonebridge Associated Colleges (home study) 2008-2011

Qualifications:

FA Level One Award in Coaching Football (QCF)
Emergency First Aid Certificate
Safeguarding Children Certificate

Further Education: *National Diploma's*,

Shiatsu - Japanese Massage
Nature Conversation (currently studying, distance/part-time)
Photojournalism (currently studying, distance/part-time)