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Reliable and enthusiastic runner with extensive experience in TV and video production, looking to work as part of a team. Able to hit the ground running, taking initiative and work unsupervised. Experience looking after talent, celebrities and contributors. Accustomed to work long hours in pressured environments with a positive attitude.

KNOWLEDGE & SKILLS

- Studio, live broadcast, office and location experience in UK and abroad (Canada, USA)
- Talent runner for A-list celebs: Simon Cowell, Nicole Scherzinger, Matthew James Morrison, Cheryl, Sharon Osborne, Alesha Dixon, and so on.
- Production Runner on Great North American Railway Journeys with Michael Portillo
- Able to self-shoot operating DSLR's, c100, c300, Canon XF305
- Very confident editing skills in Avid, Adobe Premiere Pro and After Effects
- Logging & wrangling data on location
- Experience in dealing with passports, hiring production equipment and crew (UK and Internationally)
- Managing release forms, preparing call sheets and handling float / petty cash
- BBC trained on Child Protection Policy
- Clean full UK driving License
- Fluent Portuguese, English, confident Spanish & French speaker

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

DATE	COMPANY	SHOW	ROLE	BROADCASTER	REPORTING TO
09/10 – 11/10	BOUNDLESS	Grand Designs	Runner / driver	ALL 4	Amy Martin
16/07 - 07/09	BOUNDLESS WEST PRODUCTIONS	Great American Railroad Journeys S4	Production Runner	BBC2	Kate Wixon-Nelson
			<ul style="list-style-type: none">- 4 weeks film abroad in Canada- Assisted the AP with travel logistics, script stories and archive research- Researched and developed backup stories, contacted directly contributors and managed release forms- Responsible for rushes log and wrangling footage on location using Nexto DI- Created several documents to facilitate the filming (travel logs, best spots to film, amenities surrounding locations, etc.)- Ensured the crew and presenter needs are met on location (organising lunches, dinners, etc.)		
03/06 -16/06	FREMANTLEMEDIA UK	The X Factor S15	Runner	ITV	Amir Manipon
06/04 - 10/06	TUESDAY'S CHILD	LEGO Masters 2	Runner / Talent Runner	CHANNEL 4	Liz Helberg
12/02 - 13/02	THAMES TV / SYCO	The Greatest Dancer Pilot	Talent Runner	BBC 1	Paul McDonagh
05/02 - 09/02	SEVEN C3	Weightwatchers Magazine	Production Runner	-----	Andrea Leebody

2017

12/03 – 10/12	FREMANTLEMEDIA UK	The X Factor S14	Judge Runner	ITV	Amy Gates
15/09 – 26/09	BOX PLUS NETWORK	River Island 'I am...'	Studio Runner	4 MUSIC	Nuroon Miah
18/07 – 25/07	BBC STUDIOS	Secrets of the Human Body	Studio Runner	BBC	Joanna Fulcher

05/06 – 08/06	AVALON TELEVISION	Stand Up Central	Studio Runner	Comedy Central	Anna Proctor
01/05 – 12/05 19/06 – 30/06	BOUNDLESS WEST PRODUCTIONS	Great British Railway Journeys S9	Production Runner	BBC 2	Katie Wixon-Nelson

2016

Nov. 16 – Jun. 17	FREMANTLEMEDIA UK S11	Britain's Got Talent	Runner	ITV	Liz Helberg
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OTHER EXPERIENCE

SEVEN PUBLISHING GROUP Production assistant Intern / Runner

June 2015 – February 2016

Responsible for providing varied support to the Producer and senior personnel, being involved in all stages from pre-production through to post production.

- General office administration (log third party expenses, processing invoices)
- Attended production meetings, booked studios, production equipment and crew (UK and internationally)
- Prepared and distributed call sheets and risk assessments
- Provided assistance to Producer on various research work
- Managed staff needs, set up and de-rig equipment

Training sessions taken: *"The fine art of communication", "Being assertive with confidence"*

EDUCATION

University of Greenwich
BSc H FILM & TV PRODUCTION, 2:1
2012 – 2015

BBC Academy Wood Norton
Work Placement
December 2014