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A well organised, reliable, hardworking, and multi-talented individual who will add value to any organisation.

Target Job

Desired Job Type:

- Freelance / Part Time / Full Time

Career Level

- Production Technical Crew for TV/Film and Events:
 - Camera Assistant / Operator / Vision Mixer
 - Follow Spot Operator
 - Driver (Car, Van, HGV)
 - Production Crew / Runner
 - Studio Tech (Set, Sound, Lighting, Visual)
 - Carpenter (Chippie)
- HGV Class 2 (with Driver CPC and MP Connect Cards)
- Private Hire Driver Licence
- Director of NFC Direct LTD

Work Status

UK - I am authorised to work in this Country for any employer.
I am currently a Director of a company.

Experience

Production Technical Crew – Freelance

Oct 2011 – Present

- Camera Assistant / Operator / Vision Mixer
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I have been involved with many productions over the last decade in events, general entertainment, and TV/Film productions.

My experience spans across working backstage, sound, lighting, rigging, staging, follow spot operator, camera assistant and set building. The majority of the time would involve working in remarkably busy environments under strict time constraints.

Some of the events I have fortunately been a part of over the past decade are the Queens Diamond Jubilee, London 2012 Olympics, over 400 shows at the O2 Arena, BAFTA TV & Film awards, Film Premiers in Leicester Square, on Film & TV Sets, Question Time, Festivals, and London Fashion Week.

Founder and Director – NFC Direct LTD

Mar 2012 - Present

The company was founded in 2012 with the aim of providing the complete NFC Solution to the global marketplace.

NFC Direct are a global supplier of NFC Tags, Products, Devices and Solutions. We proudly work with a wide range of sectors including Healthcare, Marketing, Events and Services.

HGV Tipper Driver – Holcim

Apr 2024 – Present

Delivering Aggregate Materials with an HGV Tipper Lorry to a wide and diverse range of construction projects across London and the South East of England in a professional and efficient manner. Holcim Tipper Drivers deliver Aggregate Materials to projects including House Building, Office Building, Railway Building, Road Building and more. HGV Tipper Drivers have the responsibility of driving safely on busy and tight roads, as well as making sure the load is safe at all times and is delivered to the customer using the correct protocols.

HGV Delivery Driver – ‘EBB’ (Elliot & Baxter & Co Ltd)

Jan 2024 – Mar 2024

Delivering Commercial Paper with an HGV Box & Curtain-side Lorries to a wide and diverse range of companies across London and the South East of England in a professional and efficient manner. Elliot & Baxter provide high quality commercial paper to Printers, Schools, Offices, Prisons, Office Equipment Suppliers and more. Elliot & Baxter Drivers have the responsibility of driving safely on busy and tight roads, as well as making sure the load is always safe and delivered in an efficient and professional manner.

CSTM Delivery Driver – Ocado

Mar 2023 – Oct 2023

Delivering shopping to customers homes in a professional and efficient manner with heavy lifting and tight time constraints. Ocado, from the Purfleet depot, deliver anywhere from Central London all the way to Ipswich. Ocado Delivery Drivers travel many miles per day across several different districts carrying the shopping of in between 20 to 30 customers.

Owner – Tyrrells Fresh Fruit

May 2011 – Oct 2011

Selling packets of freshly made Fruit and Smoothies to members of the public at a Kiosk at Milton Keynes Train Station.

Unfortunately, after six months this could not continue due to the lack of sales.

HGV Driver – Yeoman Aggregates

Jul 2009 – May 2011

Part Time as an HGV driver. Delivering Building Materials from one destination to another with a Tipper lorry.

Car Refinisher - DWS Bodyworks

Dec 2004 – May 2011

Performing bodywork operations and repairs on multiple vehicle types. Originally began as an apprentice which was completed in August 2008. During my apprenticeship I won ‘apprentice of the year’ out of the South of England, two years in a row.

Building and Maintenance – Thurrock Council

Sept 2003 – Oct 2003

Thurrock Council Building and Maintenance department, Thurrock, Essex. Working within a very busy environment, going to council run homes to perform upgrades and refurbishment, on pipes, electrical components and plumbing appliances.

Office Assistant - Sharp Transport

Jul 2000 – Jun 2004

Temporary/Part Time position as an office junior. Assisting the co-ordination of the fleet of vehicles. Preparing jobs for drivers.

Education

- Nov 2022 TFL – Private Hire Driver Licence
- July 2011 High Speed Training – Food Safety
- July 2009 Qualitas Training – HGV
- Sept 2004 - July 2008 Norwich City / Thurrock & Basildon College’s
- July 1999 - June 2004 William Edwards Secondary School

Qualifications

Attained (Nov 2022)

Private Hire Driver Licence

Attained (July 2011)

Food – Level 2 in Food Safety for Retail

Attained (July 2009)

HGV - Class 2

Attained (August 2008)

Vehicle Body and Paint Operations - Diploma IMI Advanced

Skill Name	Grades attained (June 2004)
Maths	C
English	D
P.E	D
History	C
Science	D
Sociology	C
I.T	C

Interests / Hobbies

Life Experience & Leadership: As illustrated above, I have created and built a business since 2012, while also working in the events industry in the hours I have had spare. These times have taught me a lot, and although I am not naive to know that I still have a lot to learn and am always open to learning new things, over the last decade in particular has broadened my knowledge and improved my mindset - Working 7 days a week, learning how to get the most out of every hour to improve time and efficiency, and working in teams (large and small) in very busy environments. I have been fortunate enough to experience the responsibility of supervising teams of up to 20 colleagues on some of the biggest events in the World and getting the best out of the team, even when pressure is high to get the event ready before the doors open to the attendees. I have done this along side running and building a technology business (NFC Direct) that has been growing slowly, but surely, as the Contactless revolution continues to expand.

Interests & Living life: My interests include Technology, Business, Science, Politics and Football. But in particular, I have a deep interest in the Fourth Industrial Revolution that humanity is going through right now, and how it is going to improve our lives.

I do not drink alcohol or smoke. I like to socialise with family and friends when I can. I have limited my Social Media use more and more over the years and replaced this time to read more books, listen to podcasts and live life in the present rather than always online – I believe there must be a healthy balance.

Sport & Exercise: I believe a healthy body is the key to a focused mind in today's hectic society. I meditate for 10 minutes every day, and either ride, run or walk when I can. The busy environment within the events industry has usually kept me fit.