

MATTHEW WELCH

Production assistant

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📍 Southampton (open to relocate)

SKILLS

Full clean UK Driving licence

Technical Skills- Technical Skills-

- editing using Adobe Premier Pro and Adobe Audition.
- camera skills using the Sony FX6 and Sony A7S.
- Lighting using litePanels
- Sound using radio mics.

Academic skills-research, planning, critical analysis though putting together a dissertation and production dossier.

Soft skills-Communication, problem solving, resilience, team work, adaptability, enthusiasm, organisation

EDUCATION

MA documentary filmmaking

Liverpool John Moores University

2023-2024

- During this course I have been working on a short film about what life is like for Asylum seekers and refugees coming into the UK. This has really helped me understand the process of what goes into filmmaking.
<https://youtu.be/VYs0FeTaYes?si=KohsZdMjZC1bFKpN>
- I have also built my own interactive website full of short videos aimed at promoting mental health in the Liverpool City Region.
<https://mattwelch2002.wixsite.com/mental-health-supp-4>
- Completed ALBERT accreditation.

BA (Hons) Journalism

Liverpool John Moores University

2020-2023

- Innovated practical course which has helped me with the storytelling aspect when producing my own short films.
- Was rewarded the Lynda La Plante fund prize for Outstanding Contribution to Journalism.

INTERESTS

- Running/swimming
- Mental health
- Current affairs
- Formula One

PROFILE

Building on my Journalism BA for which I was awarded the prize for Outstanding Contribution to Journalism, I've recently completed an MA in Documentary filmmaking. Story and narrative were key to these learning experiences and with this knowledge I now feel ready to focus my storytelling through the visual image- developing key skills in creative, courageous camera work. My ambition is to tell compelling stories through a strong, artistic vision.

MEDIA EXPERIENCE

Camera operator- ScreenSkills

- Helped with the filming for a video in collaboration with Liverpool John Moores University on finding work locally in the film and TV industry.

Volunteer-Mary Seacole House, Asylum Link Merseyside

- Produced content for charities including short reels promoting activities and short documentaries. One of my short films was a finalist at the Liverpool Short Film Festival

Editor- Hurricane Films

- Under the guidance of film producer Solon Papadopoulos, I edited footage to create a 5-7-minute video for Liverpool John Moores University.

Reporter/editor- Capital Radio

- I went out to cover events with senior reporters conducting interviews, filming events for social media and editing clips from press conferences/ interviews for bulletins.

Journalist- Liverpool Echo/ Southern Daily Echo

- Completed placements at the Liverpool Echo and the Southern Daily Echo where I was writing up press releases, producing stories and shadowing other reporters.

Project Officer- LFC Foundation

- Interviewed people who had been on programmes launched by LFC Foundation and then wrote up reports which were sent to the Premier League.

Social Media Marketing- GIGMATE

- Created reels on TikTok and Instagram to raise GIGMATE's profile.