

# *Samuel Bennett Curriculum Vitae*

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## **About me:**

I am currently operating as a freelance videographer. I graduated my Independent Filmmaking degree in 2021 achieving a 2:1 BA Hons degree. Since graduating I have worked for clients including SKY, I have also volunteered for multiple non-profits where my dedication directly helped secure further funding.

## **Education:**

- Btec Level 2 Creative Digital Media 2015 - 2016
- Ual Level 3 Creative Digital Media 2016 - 2018
- BA Hons Upper Second in Independent Filmmaking 2018 - 2021

## **WORK EXPERIENCE:**

- AV assistant Changeling Theatre Company (2014) 35 hrs
- Wilmington PLC media department (2016 – 2018, 1-week placements)
- Location photographer at the Kent Film Office 35 hours (2017)

## **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:**

- Video editor for Jagged Edge Productions – August 15<sup>th</sup> - Present
- Videographer For Quintessentially British Event – 25<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup> August
- Videographer for Changeling Theatre Company – 19<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> June 2024
- Camera operator for Royal College of Music – 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> Apr 2024
- Videographer for band UPCDOWNC – 2024 **(Voluntary)**
- Camera Operator for A New Day Festival – 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> Aug 2023
- Camera Operator for Invicta Dynamos ice hockey club 2023 – 2024 (Covering 5 matches)
- Camera operator/Editor for Sky – Aug – Dec 2022
- Videographer for music group Disco Drug Store 2022 – 2023 (covering 3 events)
- Videographer for blood-soaked style live music - 2021 (Covering 1 event)
- Videographer for Harmony Maidstone – 2021 – 2023 **(Voluntary)**
- Spark/Gaffer for award nominated short Bespoke Dad – 2022 **(Voluntary)**
- Filming/editing a promotional/highlights reel for Maidstone Fringe Festival 2021 – 2023 **(Voluntary)**
- Spark for Horror short The Flatwoods Figure – 2021 **(Voluntary)**
- Filming a live event for a newly founded local arts collective (Maidstone Arts Group) 2021 – 2022 **(Voluntary)**
- Videographer for Hope music festival. 2021 **(Voluntary)**
- Motion tracking editor for “Sleepy the Magical Bear” 2021 **(Voluntary)**
- Videographer Guild Productions 2019 **(Voluntary)**
- Camera operator for Devonshire Primary school (Nativity) 2019 **(Voluntary)**
- Bar staff Cellars Alehouse 2021 – 2024

## **OTHER SKILLS/QUALIFICATIONS**

- IT literate
- Web development
- Covid basic awareness on production training certificate.

