

# WILLIAM CARSWELL

## PRODUCTION RUNNER

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I am an enthusiastic and motivated student at the University of Salford, pursuing a degree in Film Production. I aspire to further my career in the film industry, specialising in the camera or lighting department. Throughout my time at university, I have participated in various voluntary roles, such as working at film festivals and assisting in courses offered by the university. I possess strong teamwork, organisational, and communication skills that have been developed through my previous roles. I also have a wide range of technical experience with various lighting and camera systems.

## SELECTED CREDITS

### SHORT FILMS

#### Shipped with Care (2nd Year Student Film)

Apr 2025 - Director of Photography

Dir. Mackenzie Groutage - Panasonic Varicam LT

#### Experiment IV (2nd Year Student Film)

Apr 2025 - Director of Photography

Dir. Chloe Jolley - Panasonic Varicam LT

#### New Sunlight (3rd Year Student Film)

Mar 2025 - Pocketful Films - Gaffer

Dir. Ella Rose - ARRI Alexa XT

#### Journey to the end (BFI Student Short Film)

Jan 2025 - Pocketful Films - Gaffer

Dir. Ella Rose - RED Komodo

#### One Last Round (2nd Year Student Film)

Nov 2024 - Director of Photography

Dir. Will Block - Panasonic EVA-1

### DOCUMENTARIES

#### 200km Running Doc (Kidderminster to Salford in 48 hours) (2nd Year Student Project)

Nov 2024 - 2<sup>nd</sup> Unit Director of Photography

Dir. Charlie Hawken - Sony A7S II, Sony A6500

#### Fuelling the Past (2nd Year Student Project)

Nov 2024 - Cinematographer

Dir. Will Block - Canon C200

### MUSIC VIDEOS

#### When I Had You (3rd Year Student Project)

Feb 2025 - 2nd Assistant Camera

Dir. William Guttridge - VariCam LT

#### Make Some Noise (3rd Year Student Project)

Nov 2024 - Camera Trainee

Dir. Ella Rose - RED Komodo

## OTHER EXPERINACE

### Sales Stylist - Levis Manchester Arndale

Jun 2025 - Present

Delivered exceptional customer service by offering expert styling advice and showcasing strong product knowledge, while actively supporting sales targets through confident communication and a proactive approach, and continuously developing skills through ongoing training to contribute to the store's overall success.

### Administrative Officer - Animal and Plant Health Agency

Aug 2024 - Mar 2025

Producing plant export certificates, advising on compliance with UK biosecurity standards for imports and exports, and producing labels under the Seed Potato Classification Scheme.

### Kitchen Assistant - Rickerby Retreat

Jul 2023 - Aug 2023

Ensuring adherence to food safety standards within the kitchen, systematically organizing storage areas to enhance operational efficiency, providing assistance with food preparation during high-demand periods, and preparing pizzas and desserts.

## SKILLS

### Technical Skills

- Camera Operating
- Low and High Key Lighting
- Video Editing
- Colour Grading
- Super 8 Loading Trained
- 16mm Film Loading Trained
- HMI and Tungsten Light Trained
- Light Meter Trained

### Software

- Sidus Link Pro
- Davinchi Resolve
- Microsoft Suite

### Camera Systems

- Canon C70, C200
- Panasonic EVA, Varicam LT
- ARRI SR3

## AWARDS

### Croglin Trust Award

Issued by Cumbria Education Trust - Jan 2024

## FILM FESTIVALS

### Experiment IV (2025)

Salford Film Festival - Official Selection

### Shipped with Care (2025)

Salford Film Festival - Official Selection

### One Last Round (2024)

Kino Film Manchester 2025 - Official Selection

### Fuelling the Past (2024)

Stockport Garrick Short Film

Festival 2025 - Official Selection

### Make Some Noise (2024)

Films on Tap 2025 - Official Selection

## VOLUNTARY EXPERIENCE

### Festival of Short Film

Jan 2024 / 2025

- Assisted in setting up equipment and liaison with companies that were coming into the university

### Screenskills Celluloid Course

University of Salford

Dec 2024

- Assisted in the setup of lighting and grip equipment for participants and provided support to the crews with their requirements.

## EDUCATION

### University of Salford

Sep 2023 - July 2026

- Film Production

### William Howard School

Sep 2021 - Aug 2023

- Digital Film and Video Production  
BTEC