



## Phil Newton

### Grip NVQ 3 Key Grip

Phil began his career at Provision in Leeds after earning a degree in engineering. Over the course of 20 years, working on a variety of projects in HETV and Film, he progressed through the ranks to Key Grip. Phil then furthered his qualifications with an NVQ Level 2 and an Advanced Level 3 Diploma .

Bases in North West, Yorkshire and London but also happy to travel.

## Features / TV Drama

### Production

Sweet Pea S2  
 Maya  
 Dark Train  
 Rings of Power S3  
 Girl Group  
 Love of Your Life  
 The Witcher S4  
 Star Wars - Ahsoka S2  
 Narnia- The Magician's Nephew  
 Ghostwriter  
 All Creatures Great and Small  
 White Mars  
 Matilda (The Musical)  
 Bill  
 Emmerdale  
 Jonathan Strange & Mr Norrell  
 Dark Angel  
 Coronation Street  
 Eternal Law  
 If Dogs Run Free / A Touch of Frost  
 The Royal S12  
 Heartbeat  
 Boy Meets Girl  
 My Parents are Aliens S8  
 Housewife 49  
 Diamond Geezer S2&3  
 Cracker

### Director of Photography

Ailsa Aikoa  
 Jack Edwards  
 Mark Patten  
 Peter Field  
 Tim Maurice-Jone  
 Todd Banhazi  
 Robert Binnall  
 Eric Steelberg  
 John Sorapure  
 James Friend  
 Martyna Jackimowska  
 Estefania Carpio  
 Tat Radcliffe  
 Laurie Rose  
 Chris Ramage  
 Lukas Grebel  
 Larry Smith  
 Paul Burton  
 Tony Slater Ling  
 Robin Vidgeon  
 Geoff Healey  
 Colin Poustie  
 Sean Van Hales  
 Les Flanagan  
 Cinders Forshaw  
 Robin Vidgeon  
 Florian Hoffmeister

### Director

Ella Jones  
 Jamie Donoghue  
 Lucy Forbes  
 Vic Armstrong  
 Rebel Wilson  
 Rachel Morrison  
 Chris Clark Cowan  
 Dave Filoni  
 John Sorapure 2nd Unit  
 J J Abrams  
 Brian Percival  
 Lesley Manning  
 Peter Talbot  
 Richard Bracewell  
 Various  
 Tony Haynes  
 Brian Percival  
 Various  
 Adrian Shergold  
 Paul Harrison  
 Ian Barber  
 Pip Short  
 Alfric Riley  
 Various  
 Gavin Miller  
 Paul Harrison  
 Antonia Bird

### Additional Information

Array Rigging  
 Rigging Grip  
 Crane Grip  
 Crane Grip, B Cam Grip  
 B Cam Grip Dailies  
 Crane Grip  
 2U Key Grip Dailies  
 2nd Unit Grip  
 2nd unit B Camera Grip  
 Camera/Crane Grip Main Unit  
 2nd unit Grip  
 Crane Grip  
 2nd Unit Grip, Dailies  
 Grip, Dailies  
 Key Grip  
 2nd Unit Grip, Dailies  
 Grip Dailies  
 Grip  
 Grip, Dailies  
 Grip  
 Grip  
 Grip  
 Grip  
 Grip, Dailies  
 Grip, Dailies  
 Grip, Dailies  
 Trainee Grip

Production	Director of Photography	Director	Additional Information
Barking	Gordon McGregor	A.J Quinn	Trainee Grip
Where the Heart is	Russel Glavin	Clive Arnold	Trainee Grip
The Chase	Peter Butler	Ian Levitt	Trainee Grip
The Magic Flute	Roger Lanser	Kenneth Branagh	Trainee Grip, Dailies
Love, Lies, Bleeding	Simon Richards	David Drury	Trainee Grip
If I Had You	John Daly	John Deery	Trainee Grip

### Commercials / Promos / Shorts

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This Girl Can	Eoin McLoughlin	Priya Ahluwalia	Grip

### Education & Training

**Education:** 2015 Advanced Grip Level 3 Diploma, 2009 Grip Level 2 Diplmoma, 2006 – 2007 ITV Grip Traineeship, 1998 – 2001 John Moores University, Liverpool BSc Broadcast Technology.  
1997 – 1998 Foundation Engineering, 1995 – 1997 York Sixth Form College A – Levels: Three including Theatre Studies

**Further Training:** HGV Class 2 Driving license. IOSH Qualified. Screen Yorkshire – Digital Skills for Screen Course, ScreenSkills – Intro into Digital Production. Screenskills Online Training Modules completed April 2025: [Diversity, Equity & Inclusion for the Screen Industries Tackling Harassment & Bullying at Work](#)