

Mark J Smeaton

Curriculum Vitae

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I am a highly skilled and experienced freelance cameraman. At ease with single and multi-camera shoots, both on location and in the studio. I have many of years experience working on a wide variety of drama and documentary programmes, within which my skills as a camera operator, lighting cameraman and an underwater lighting cameraman have been essential. I value opportunities to input creatively, both supporting the director and working as a member of a team.

Drama Productions: Camera Operator

- o **WOLF HALL** *Company productions for BBC*
Producer: Mark Pybus Director: Peter Kosminsky
- o **THE VILLAGE SERIES 2** *Company productions for BBC*
Producer: TimWhitby Director: Dominic Leclerc, Tim Whitby
- o **Da VINCI'S DEMONS** *Starz Network USA*
Producer: Lee Morris Director: Michael J Bassett, Paul Wilmshurst
- o **THE PARADISE** *BBC*
Producer: Simon Lewis Director: Marc Jobst
- o **UPSTAIRS DOWNSTAIRS** *BBC*
Producer: Annie Tricklebank Director: Brendan Maher
- o **DOCTOR WHO** *BBC*
Producer: Marcus Wilson Director: Jeremy Webb
- o **BEING HUMAN** *Touchpaper Television*
Producer: Matthew Bouch Director: Toby Haynes
- o **TESS OF THE D'URBERVILLES** *BBC*
Producer: David Snodin Director: David Blair
- o **LARKRISE TO CANDLEFORD** *BBC*
Producer: Grainne Marmion Director: Charlie Palmer, Marc Jobst, John Greening
- o **MISTRESSES** *Ecosse TV Productions Ltd*
Producer: Lowri Glain Director: Philip John, Peter Hoar, SJ Clarkson
- o **LIFE ON MARS II** *Kudos*
Producer: Cameron Roach Director: S J Clarkson
- o **HOLBY BLUE** *Kudos / Red Planet*
Producer: Claire Phillips Director: Martin Hutchings, Barnaby Southcombe
- o **HUSTLE III** *Kudos*
Producer: Lucy Robinson Director: S J Clarkson
- o **BAD GIRLS** *Shed*
Producer: Rachel Snell Director: S J Clarkson
- o **CASUALTY** (60+ Episodes) *BBC*
Directors: Nigel Bristow, Nic Philips, Graham Wetherell, Anthony Quinn, Jeremy Webb, Gill Wikinson, John Dower, Ian White, Chris King, Lawrence Gordon-Clark, Chris Lovett, Shani Grewal, Robbie del Maestro, S J Clarkson, Paul Walker, Martin Sharp, Steve Kelly, Rhys Powys, Emma Bodger, Gwennan Sage, Keith Boak, Roberto Bangura, Rob Evans etc.
- o **HOLBY CITY** (60+ Episodes) *BBC*
Directors: Julie Edwards, John Alexander, Steve Finn, Jamie Annett, Daiken Marsh, Louise Hooper, David Tucker, David Innes-Edwards
- o **THE BILL** (60+ Episodes) *Thames/Talkback*
Directors: Peter Cregeen, Brian Parker, John Bruce, Jeremy Silberston, Ged Maguire, Dominic Lees, Jo Shoop, Ian White, Mike Cocker, Baz Taylor, Carol Wilks, Derek Lister, Clive Fleure, Chris Lovett, Chris King, Rob Knights, David Innes-Edwards, Paul wrobleski, James Larkin, Darcia Martin, Olivia Lichtenstein etc.
- o **BABY FATHER 2** *BBC*
Producer: Anne Edyvean Directors: Rob Bangura, Alrick Riley
- o **THE ROYAL** *Granada TV*
Producer: Ken Horn Director: Tim Dowd
- o **HEARTBEAT** *Granada TV*
Directors: Gerry Mill, Gerry Poulson, Tom Cotter, David Innes-Edwards, Frank Smith, Roger Bamford



Documentary Productions: Lighting Cameraman

- o **COUNTRY FILE** *BBC*
Director: Jo Brame, Jennie Hammond, James Mair, Dick Sharman, Ben Harris, Richard Holmes, Anna Jones, Pete Taylor, Andrew Painten
- o **LONELY PLANET GUIDE** *Discovery Channel & CH4*
Directors: Rik Lander (Norway), Phil Smith (New Zealand), Peter Boyd (Queensland), Catey Sexton (Central China), Ian Sciacaluga (Micronesia)
- o **STOLEN BRIDES** *ITV Network First*
Producer/Director: Nick Gray
- o **ADOPTION** *BBC*
Producer/Director: Mark Bristow
- o **ARMS IN ACTION I & II** *History Channel USA*
Producer: Melanie Davis Director: David Wilson
- o **DAVID JASON in his ELEMENT** *Granada TV*
Producer: Nick Lord Director: David Reynolds
- o **JIMMYS** *ITV*
Producer: Irene Cockcroft / Julian Dismore Director: Mark Smeaton

Additional Productions Include: The League Of Gentlemen, Gardeners World, What Will They Think Of Next, DIY SOS, This Morning, Watchdog Health Check, Blue Peter, Rock Babylon, Question Time, Defenders of the Wild, Planet Pop, Jonathan Dimbleby, 3D, We Can Work It Out, The Antiques Show, Morning Worship, Escape From Tibet, Mandela, Pele, Countdown, Scientific Eye, Star For A Night, Fox Kids, Absolutely Animals, Country Vets, Mrs Merton, Joy of Gardening, The New Statesman

Special Interests: Cycling, Scuba Diving, Skiing, Motorcycling

Referees: David Reynolds (Head of Entertainment YTV)
Nick Gray (Producer / Director Documentaries)