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Emmy and RTS Award winning editor with over 25 years experience in Broadcast Network Television.

An editor who has worked on a wide genre of projects, delivering high quality programmes.

AWARDS and NOMINATIONS

RTS Award Winner and EMMY Award nominated for Editing

Son Of God (series 3) 50 min BBC1

RTS Award Winner

The Real John Lennon 90 min Channel 4

RTS Award Winner

St Paul 60 min BBC1

EMMY Award Winner

Life's Little Luxuries Uncovered 60 min Discovery Channel

EMMY Award Winner

Moses 50 min BBC2 & Discovery Channel

RTS Award Winner

Britain's Underworld 60 min National Geographic

BA (Hons) Film and Television - Manchester University (1980 -1983)

BBC Staff -Film and Avid Editor (1983 - 2000)

ITV Staff -Avid Editor (2000 - 2009)

Freelance - Avid Offline /FCP Editor- (2009 to present)

Credits (Most recent and a small selection)

Bargain Loving Brits in the Sun TX Jan + Feb 2016 60 mins Channel 5



Brits swapping the damp and grey of the UK for a new cheap-as-chips life in the sun. This new Benidorm based observational documentary series charts the lives of Brits who have done exactly that. Caravan parks across the sunny Spanish coastal town are bursting at the seams with British ex-pats blinging up their statics, tarding up their tourers and tucking into tapas on the cheap. Local business owners slog 24/7 to make a profit in a town where two pints of lager cost just one euro.

Million Dollar American Princesses TX Jan 2016 60 min Smithsonian Channel



Through vivid re-enactments, dramatic on-location filming, historical documents, interviews with notable family members, contributors and experts, Million Dollar American Princesses brings to life the stories of these extraordinary women, including the romance, the heartbreak, the secrets, the scandals, and their enduring legacy.

"I wanted you to know that "Million Dollar American Princesses Season 2" almost doubled it's numbers over last year's premiere when it went out on Sunday. It also more than doubled our prime time average. All in all, a great launch for a terrific show. Please share our congratulations and thanks with all your team. We really appreciate their enormous creativity and hard work."
Email from Charles Poe Exec Producer Smithsonian Channel

Benidorm ER. series 1,3 and 4 RTS Nominated 60 mins Channel 5



Fly-on-the-wall series following patients through A&E. These series of ob doc sees the cameras being given full access to the Clinica Benidorm, one of Spain's top hospitals. The stories follow different holiday makers who have found themselves sick, injured or needing emergency operations (lots of blood and guts filmed !!) forced to swap the sun-bed for a hospital bed.

Britain's Underworld

RTS Winner

60 mins

Nat Geo Crime Channel



Manchester has seen a deadly battle played out on its streets, earning it the nickname 'Gunchester' in the eighties. This show features members of the mysterious Quality Street Gang who, for the first time, talk about how they once ruled the city's underworld and we reveal through drama reconstruction that one of the most lethal wars in gang history started with a row over a girl! Also find how the police fought a desperate battle to keep lawful control on Manchester's streets.

Top Class CBBC

TX Sept 2016 60 min

BBC1



Susan Calman quizzes kids to find out which school will be crowned the smartest in the UK. All primary schools across the UK were invited to enter Top Class, with a team of 4 pupils. All competitors are in year 6 (primary 7 in Scotland and Northern Ireland).

The subjects includes Maths, English, Science, History, Geography and News. There is also Test the Teacher where the class' teacher answers pop-culture questions and Pet Subjects, where the class chooses a subject to be questioned on. Pet Subjects chosen include

The Dumping Ground and Capital Cities.

Saving the Forgotten Jews

Nominated Sandford St Martin Award

30 mins

BBC1



A revealing BBC documentary shows how an elaborate Mossad hoax, a British businessman and a seasoned diplomat came together to rescue 20,000 Ethiopian Jews in what has been described as "one of the greatest humanitarian acts of the 20th century"

The Roy Files CBBC

TX 2016

CBBC



The Roy Files, a live action and animated series where actors converse and interact with a cartoon character giving fans an exclusive insight into the life of Roy O'Brien - Ireland's only cartoon boy living in the real world.

The pace, humour and heart will mirror that of Roy and each episode feature core themes that are relatable to the audience like teachers, bullies, and being yourself. At the end of every chapter in the scrapbook, Roy will offer his conclusions

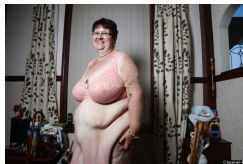
to the events he's just relived; though being an 11 year old cartoon boy, he is prone to slightly getting the wrong end of the stick!

My Baggy Body

RTS Nominated

60 mins

Channel 4



Ob Doc following the lives of three people, left with 'baggy bodies' after massive weight loss, they reveal how they have lived with humongous amounts of excess skin and how they plan to say goodbye to their baggy skin and life after the op.

Car Crash TV

TX Sept 2016

60min

Channel 5



Brand new fast paced, high energy documentary series featuring footage of amusing mishaps and dangerous driving. Clip show featuring bad driving and road mishaps captured by dashboard cameras around the world. Careering through a bumper crop of foolhardy speeders, a crash scene investigation, 4x4 fails, the blame game, plucky pedestrians, 2 wheels or 4 wheels?, hit or miss?, out in the sticks, car pinball, and stay in your lane!

Never Again, Fear and Faith in Paris

TX April 2016

30min

BBC 1



This powerful documentary explores the decision of 8,000 Jews to leave France in 2014/2015, concerned about terror attacks and rising anti-Semitism in the country. We hear from the families most affected and explore the reasons behind the rise in anti-Semitism. With insight from those who live in the notorious Paris suburbs, often accused of being a breeding ground for anti-Semitism, and from Lassana Bathily, a Muslim from the suburbs who saved Jewish lives during the kosher supermarket attack in 2015.

Yes Chef

TX Sept 2016

60min

BBC 1



We've seen professional chefs go head-to-head, now it's time to see if they can cook up a storm... together! In this brand new multi camera series hosted by Sheree Murphy, 16 chefs - all with Michelin stars to their name - mentor amateur home cooks to do battle in the kitchen. For the amateurs, it's a chance to work alongside the best in the business. For the professionals, it's an opportunity to train their partner and lead them to victory in an industry where ego is king.

Dispatches How Safe Is Your Car?

TX August 2016

Ch 4

Channel 4 Dispatches



With new evidence indicating that some cars might not perform as well in crashes as their safety rating suggests, Dispatches investigates whether we can trust manufacturers and testers with car safety. Following the car emissions scandal last year when some manufacturers admitted they manipulated the results of exhaust tests, reporter Morland Sanders investigates if we can trust manufacturers and testers with car safety. With new evidence that some cars might not perform as well in real world crashes as their safety rating suggests, Dispatches asks: could more be done to protect drivers and passengers?

Fern Britton meets Rev Richard Coles

60min

BBC 1



Former Communards band member Richard Coles explores his extraordinary journey from 80s pop star to Church of England vicar, from his chart successes and days of drug taking excess to his role as parish priest of Finedon. Friends and colleagues including Ian Hislop, Chris Evans and Gogglebox's Reverend Kate Bottley all share their anecdotes.

Factual Entertainment

Ade in Britain (series 1& 2) RTS Nominated	60 mins	ITV1
Fierce Earth (series)	30 mins	BBC Childrens
Delia Through the Decades (Series)	60 mins	BBC2
The Property List	60 mins	Channel 5
Billy Connolly Journey to the Edge of the World	60 mins	ITV1
Physics of the Impossible, Dr Michio Kaku	45 mins	Discovery
TV's 50 Greatest Stars	120 mins	ITV1
So You Think You Want (series)	30 mins	Channel 4
Britain's Favourite View	60 mins	ITV1
Sins of the Flesh	50 mins	BBC1
Exodus Earth!	60 mins	Science Channel
Fiddles, Cheats and Scams Special	60 mins	ITV1
Stars on the Street	60 mins	ITV1
Rough Guide to the World, Israel	60 mins	BBC2
Coronation Street Secrets	60 mins	ITV 1
Jeremy Kyle, Backstage Special	60 mins	ITV 1
Bare Necessities (series)	45 mins	BBC1
Question of Sport (series)	30 mins	BBC1

Rough Guide to the World (series)	40 mins	BBC2
Reportage (series)	40 mins	BBC2
The Travel Show (series editor)	30 mins	BBC2
Observational Documentary & Factuals (titles only)		
Public vs Police	30 mins	ITV1
Panorama	60 mins	BBC1
Canterbury Cathedral Tales.	60 mins	BBC2
Luxury Foods, Good or Bad? <i>EMMY Winner</i>	60 mins	Discovery
The Real John Lennon <i>RTS Winner</i>	90 mins	Channel 4
Britain's Worst Weather (series)	45 mins	ITV1
Music Live.	60 mins	BBC1
Witness to Auschwitz	30 mins	BBC1
Sc-Fi Science	60 mins	Discovery
Mohammed Ali (His life story)	60 mins	BBC1
Reds in Europe (series)	30 mins	ITV1
Tonight (various subjects)	30 mins	ITV1
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St Paul <i>RTS Winner</i>	60 mins	BBC 1
Naked Science: Time Machine	60 mins	National Geographic
Unlocking the treasures of Fu Hao	60 mins	National Geographic
World's Longest Water Diversion Project	60 mins	Discovery Channel
BBC Children's		
Fierce Earth (series) CBBC	30 mins	BBC Childrens
Chucklevision (Series Editor for 3 years)	30 mins	BBC Childrens
Why Don't You	30 mins	BBC Childrens
No Limits	60 mins	BBC Childrens
8.15 From Manchester	90 mins	BBC Childrens
Eggs and Baker	30 mins	BBC Childrens
Move it	30 mins	BBC Childrens
UP2U	60 mins	BBC Childrens
Telling Tales	30 mins	BBC Childrens

(References available on request)

"Helen's work was as creative and accomplished as we have come to expect from her, and that was all the more impressive given the late change in scheduling. From the moment it became clear that news events threatened to run away with us, and two weeks were cut from the schedule, she settled in for some very long hours without complaint. Throughout the process she maintained the highest standards of editing, and made a major contribution to the success of the film."

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