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Offline Editor – Avid, FCP & Adobe Premiere Pro

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- Over 20 years experience editing a wide variety of documentaries, reality, lifestyle, entertainment & factual programmes, sport (openers, closers, features and fast turn around highlights), studio programmes, outside broadcasts, commercials, on - air promotions and corporate films.
 - Excellent project manager who enjoys the challenge of setting the style of an edit with fresh ideas, strong narrative and pace. Cutting to music is a particular speciality.
 - Used to tight deadlines and pressure.
 - A very good team player, but also happy working to a brief, and unsupervised.
 - Owner of Avid, Adobe Premiere Pro and Final Cut Pro Editing systems.
 - Technically competent.
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KEY SKILLS: **Avid Media Composer**
 Adobe Premiere Pro
 Final Cut Pro
 Sapphire, Boris and Magic Bullet effect plug-ins
 EVS, IP Director, XFile.

CREDITS INCLUDE: **Broadcast**

Teen Mom UK: Series 1 & 2.

An access all areas documentary series following the highs, lows, lives & loves of five feisty teenage mothers.

(MTV / True North) **Reality – Offline**

Celebs Go Dating: Series 2.

A group of single celebrities join an exclusive dating agency in a bid to find true love.

(E4 / Lime Pictures) **Reality - Offline**

Tonight:

Jonathan Maitland investigates why hundreds of employees of public bodies are suspended on full pay every year, at a huge cost to the taxpayer.

(ITV) **Documentary - Offline**

Four in a Bed:

Game show in which four Bed & Breakfast owners take turns to stay with one another & pay what they consider a fair price for their stay.

(Channel 4 / Studio Lambert) **Reality - Offline**

Who's Doing the Dishes ?:

Over the course of a week, five different celebrities cook a meal for a group of four strangers, who must figure out the identity of each celebrity.

(ITV) **Reality - Offline**

The Instant Gardener: Series 2.

Garden transformation show, presented by Helen Skelton. An unloved garden is brought back to life using clever design & imaginative ideas.

(BBC 1 / 12 Yard) **Factual - Offline**

Posh Pawnbrokers: Series 2 & 3.

Series following a number of high-end, characterful pawnbrokers. Every item that comes through their doors has a story to tell.

(Channel 4 / Boomerang) **Obs Doc - Offline**

First Dates: Series 4.

Reality fixed rig series following people looking for love in a restaurant with a difference. Revealing surprising truths about their lives and how they interact with each other along the way.

(Channel 4 / Twenty Twenty TV) **Reality – Offline**

Wheeler Dealers: Series 11 & 12.

Veteran car dealer Mike Brewer & top mechanic Edd China save a variety of outstanding classic cars from the scrap yard & aim to sell them for a profit.

(Discovery / Attaboy TV) **Factual Entertainment – Offline**

Festivals, Sex and Suspicious Parents: Series 2 Episode 2 Shrewsbury.

Two groups of youngsters head for the Shrewsbury music festival for a weekend of music and mayhem without their parents, or so they think. Will it bring them closer together or drive them further apart?

(BBC 3 / RDF Television) **Entertainment - Offline**

Sun, Sex and Suspicious Parents: The ultimate rite of passage for the average teenager - the first ever summer holiday abroad without their parents, or so they think. Will it bring them closer together or drive them further apart?

(BBC 3 / RDF Television) **Entertainment - Offline**

The Railway:First Great Western: Observational Documentary series about life on the Railways for First Great Western Employees.

(Channel 5 / Twofour) **Obs Doc - Offline**

Countrywise: High rating peaktime factual series in which presenters Paul Heiney, Rachel de Thame & Bettany Hughes showcase the best countryside and coastal areas of the UK.

(ITV 1 – Series 1,2,3 & 4) **Factual - Offline, Online & Grade**

SuperScrimpers & SuperScrimpers Challenge: Mrs Moneypenny and her team of Scrimpers challenge families to save money in their everyday lives. From food to fashion, and beauty to entertaining the kids. The Team offer helpful advice and tips.

(Channel 4 / Endemol (Remarkable Television)) **Factual Entertainment - Offline**

Wheeler Dealers: Trading Up: Series 1 Ep 6: Middle East & Series 2 Ep 3:Brazil.

Auto expert Mike Brewer navigates his way through the culture and idiosyncrasies of the international used car trade. Starting with just \$3000, Mike has to buy, deal and negotiate his way to the ultimate \$30,000 super car.

(Discovery / X2 Productions) **Factual Entertainment - Offline**

Chefs: Put Your Menu Where Your Mouth Is: Competition between two Celebrity Chefs. They have to buy the ingredients for a 3-course meal and then cook it in an unfamiliar kitchen (This could be anywhere - Gastro Pub, Indian or Chinese Restaurant, or even on-board the Orient Express). The Chef who makes the most profit wins.

(BBC 1 / Reef TV) **Factual Entertainment - Offline**

London 2012 Paralympic Games: Comedy feature inserts for Australia's peaktime lighthearted coverage of the Games.

(ABC - Australia) **Comedy / Sport / Entertainment - Offline, Online & Grade**

Countrywise Kitchen: Peaktime food series with Chef Mike Robinson & Baking expert Kate Jenkins.

(ITV 1 – Series 3 Episodes 5,6 & 7) **Factual - Offline, Online & Grade**

60 Minute Makeover: Catherine Gee & team have just one hour to improve a home with a much-needed makeover – with the help of a top designer.

(ITV 1) **Daytime - Offline, Online & Grade**

Countrywise Kitchen Specials: 3 Festive specials of the peaktime food series in which presenters Paul Heiney, & Mike Robinson take a look at "Stocking the Winter Larder", "Christmas food" & "Feastive Feasts".

(ITV 1) **Factual - Offline, Online & Grade**

How to Look Good Naked: Strands inserts for the fashion series with Gok Wan.

(Channel 4 / Maverick Television) **Obs Doc.- Offline**

Embarrassing Bodies: Interactive content for the BAFTA award winning team.
(Channel 4 / Maverick Television) **Factual - Offline, Online & Grade**

ITV Sport: Openers, features, closers and highlight packages for **Rugby World Cup, Football World Cup, FA Cup Live, UEFA Cup Live, UEFA Champions League Live, England Football Internationals, International Darts, the British Touring Cars Championship, Motorsport UK, On the Ball** and **The Premiership** (studio and outside broadcasts).
Sport - Offline, Online, Grade & Audio dub

BBC Sport: **Match of the Day, Football Focus, World Championship Snooker, Welsh Open Snooker, Masters Snooker** - Openers, features, closers and highlight packages, **Rugby Superleague Final** highlights, **World Equestrian Games** highlights (studio and outside broadcasts).
Sport - Offline, Online, Grade & Audio dub

Football on 5: Openers, highlights, closers for The Championship and Goal Rush programmes.
(Sunset & Vine / Channel 5).
Sport - Offline, Online, Grade & Audio dub

BT Sport: Openers, features, closers for it's Premier League coverage (studio and outside broadcasts).
Sport - Offline, Online, Grade & Audio dub

UEFA: Inserts for the Euro 2012 Football magazine show
Sport - Offline, Online & Grade

On - Air Promotions for ITV, CITV, CBS Reality & Food Network.
Promos - Offline, Online & Grade

Marathon des Sables...Toughest race in the world: Observational documentary following some of the UK entrants as they attempt the 6-day test of endurance, in which competitors have to run 240km in the heat of the Sahara desert.
(ITV 1 and 4) **Obs Doc. - Offline, Online & Grade**

Nightwatch with Steve Scott: Series following the work of the emergency services.
(ITV 1) **Obs Doc - Offline, Online & Grade**

To Buy or Not to Buy: Series offering hints & tips for house buyers.
(BBC 1) **Daytime - Offline**

Above & Beyond: Series celebrating the courage of the British armed forces since World War 2.
(ITV 1 - Programmes 1,2 & 4) **Documentary - Offline, Online & Grade**

Hancock's Half time: Football related chat show hosted by Nick Hancock.
(ITV 1) **Light Entertainment - Offline, Online & Grade**

Falklands 25 - A Soldiers Story: Documentary following Soldier turned professional footballer, Phil Stant, as he returns to the Falklands, 25 years after the war.
(ITV 1 and 4) **Documentary - Offline, Online & Grade**

Pulling Power: Senior Editor for ITV's motoring magazine programme for over 9 years.
(ITV 1 / X2 Productions - Series 3 to 12) **Factual - Offline, Online & Grade**

Glory Days: Series celebrating the past achievements of football teams.
(ITV1) **Documentary - Offline, Online & Grade**

Waterworld: Award winning series about life on Britain's waterways, past and present.
(ITV 1/Peak Time - Series 1 to 9) **Factual - Offline, Online & Grade**

Marathon Man: Dave Heeley, blind since birth, attempts 7 marathons on 7 continents in 7 days.
(ITV 1) **Obs Doc. - Offline, Online & Grade**

Solution Street: A series showing how the residents of a particular street learn how to help each other.

(ITV 1/ Hotbed Media) **Daytime - Offline**

King For A Day: Makeover show helping men achieve a greater quality of life.

(ITV 1 / X2 Productions - Series 1) **Obs Doc. - Offline, Online & Grade**

Auto Trader: All you need to know about buying and selling a second hand car.

(Discovery / X2 Productions - Series 1) **Factual - Offline**

Revved Up: Motoring series for a teenage audience.

(ITV 1 - Series 1) **Factual - Offline, Online & Grade**

House Race: House building challenge series.

(ITV 1/ Discovery - Series 1) **Obs Doc. - Offline, Online & Grade**

To Catch a Killer: Documentary examining the events leading to the arrest and conviction of serial killer Robert Black.

(ITV 1) **Documentary - Offline, Online & Grade**

Our House: Lifestyle home magazine series.

(ITV 1 - Series 3 to 5) **Factual - Offline, Online & Grade**

Dare Devils - Bus Pass Heroes: Documentary following a group of Senior Citizens with a taste for adventurous activities.

(ITV 1) **Documentary - Offline, Online & Grade**

Back to Back Lives: A series following the renovation of the only surviving

Back to Back houses, and looking at the lives of people who used to live in them.

(ITV 1 - Series 1) **Obs Doc. - Offline, Online & Grade**

Corporate:

The Lexus Symphony Orchestra: Documentary and music video showing how an orchestra composed entirely of cars was created.

2012 Paralympics: Film promoting the build up to the games for schools.

Foster Carers: Recruitment cinema commercial.

Mazda cars: Brand advertising film.

Citroen cars: Citroen road show highlights film.

Barnardo's: Films to support training and fundraising.

GlaxoSmithKline: Marketing film.

EMPLOYMENT: **Freelance**
2005 to present

ITV Central/Carlton

Senior Picture Editor 1998 – 2004, Picture Editor 1996 – 1998

Engineer / Senior Engineer 1988 - 1996

QUALIFICATIONS: **BTEC HND Communications Engineering (Television and Broadcast)**
- Ravensbourne College of Design and Communication - School of television
3'A' Levels, 6'O'Levels, 2 C.S.E

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