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Currently living in Phnom Pehn, Cambodia

PERSONAL PROFILE

Looking for a diverse work portfolio of video production, photography & teaching.

Can handle all aspects of production to create striking professional content that carries the message.

Thrives working alongside other people, can negotiate and adapt but can take the initiative too.

A practical, friendly & creative person with a wealth of experience in diverse fields & alternative lifestyles who is self-disciplined.

VIDEO + PHOTOGRAPHIC EXPERIENCE

January 2023 to date	TRAVEL, PORTFOLIO DEVELOPMENT + VIDEO PRODUCTION	Nepal, India + Cambodia. Currently editing own documentary on Preah Ang Dorngeu shrine in Phnom Pehn. Creation of short reels for social media.
May 2021 to January 2023	VOLUNTEER WORK PLACEMENTS IN THE UK + GARDENING WORK	House renovation for private householders in Scotland. Garden restoration in Essex & photographing properties for Airbnb landlord in Aberdeenshire, Scotland. Video project on Recycling for Tibetan Buddhist Centre in England.
September 2019 to April 2021	EVENT & PORTRAIT PHOTOGRAPHY	Working guest at Amaravati Buddhist Monastery, England - duties included photographing events & ceremonies, headshots for website & making videos of memorial tree plantings.
2017-2019	REHABILITATION	Recovering in UK from traffic accident in India
November 2016 to November 2017	DOCUMENTARIES & PHOTOGRAPHY FOR INDIAN NGO	3 films & photo documentation for Tibet Charity India publicising their work, Dharamsala India. Freelance travel photography across India.
March 2015 to November 2016	FREELANCE PRODUCT PHOTOGRAPHY	Freelance product photography for Thai & ex-pat Amazon-FBA sellers. Chiang Mai, Thailand. Shooting original video footage in Bangkok for film about local street food.
February 2013 to January 2014	DOCUMENTARY VIDEOS FOR INDIAN NGO	2 half hour documentaries completed for NGO "Tibet Charity", north India. Footage also shot for 1.5-hour documentary about work of Tibetan nurses in Dharamsala, India – "Sisters of Little Lhasa".
October 2011 to February 2013	TRAVEL + PORTFOLIO DEVELOPMENT	Germany, Spain, Italy and England. Travel photography.
May to October 2011	FREELANCE PHOTOJOURNALISM	Documenting protests in Cairo's Tahrir Sq during Egyptian Revolution. Images and articles for local newspaper, El Masry Alyoum.
2005 to 2007	FREELANCE PHOTOGRAPHY	Portraits and publicity for actors + performers in London, UK. Event photography for UK based Community Projects

SKILLS

VIDEO	DOCUMENTARY • SCRIPTING • SOUND • LIGHTING • EDITING • CAMERA • ACTING
PHOTOGRAPHY	PHOTO JOURNALISM • PORTRAIT • FLASH CONTINUOUS LIGHT • EVENTS • PRODUCT • TEACHING
SOFTWARE	PHOTOSHOP • LIGHTROOM • DIGITAL ASSET MANAGEMENT IN KINO • SONY VEGAS + ADOBE PREMIERE VIDEO EDITING • MSOFFICE
COMPUTERS	WINDOWS + MAC O.S. + ANDROID
DRIVING	Full clean UK Car Driving Licence. 15 years driving motorbikes and motos
ADMIN	TOUCH TYPING • 2 YEARS WORKING AS ADMIN ASST IN LONDON
LANGUAGES	ENGLISH NATIVE • ITALIAN NEAR FLUENT • HINDI INTERMEDIATE • KHMER BASIC

QUALIFICATIONS

BA HONS ANTHROPOLOGY	Durham University, England
STUDIO TECHNIQUES	6 week course, City & Islington College – photography department
SCREENWRITING	Morley College, one unit of degree course - London
FILM+VIDEO PRODUCTION	Three months, London College of Printing
PHOTOGRAPHY	City & Guilds 9231, Apex Trust, Battersea, London
RSA/UCLES CELTA	Hammersmith & West London College – TEFL Certificate
CLASSICAL ACTING	6-month course, London Theatre School, Putney

UK CRIMINAL RECORDS BUREAU CHECK – From 2005

INTERESTS

ARTS	Photography, writing, cinema & architecture
TRAVEL	Middle East, Europe, India, Nepal, Sri Lanka, S.E. Asia, South Africa, British Isles
SCIENCE	Astrophysics
MIND & BODY	Yoga, Meditation, Swimming, Gym
