

KEITH JACOBSEN

TELEVISION LIGHTING CAMERAMAN

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*Award winning lighting cameraman with over 30 years of experience in the television industry
for some of the worlds biggest broadcasters.*

*From studios to outside broadcasts to single camera work using a variety of grips from Steadicam to jibs.
Daring to be different.*

KEY SKILLS

- Studio/OB/ENG Camera Operation
- Pedestals/Jimmy Jib/Robotic Systems
- Location Lighting
- Mental Health First Aid

RECENT CREDITS

LIGHT ENTERTAINMENT/MUSIC

Mrs Browns Boys (BBC Scotland/RTE)
Red Dwarf (BBC North West)
The Live Sessions (8 Track Tapes)
BBC Introducing... (BBC Music)
Children In Need (BBC)
Creamfields (Nomobo/Acrobat TV)
Fusion Festival (Global Media Group)
Proms In The Park (BBC Scotland)
Switch On (Opera North)
A Night At The Theatre (YouTube/Google)
Yoko Ono - Bells For Peace (MIF/Yoko Ono)

DRAMA

Coronation Street (ITV Studios)
Emmerdale (ITV Studios)
Dalziel & Pascoe (BBC)

NEWS & CURRENT AFFAIRS

BBC Breakfast (BBC News)
Good Morning Britain (ITV Daytime)
Election Debate 2019 (Channel 4/ITN)
World In Action (Granada Television)
Channel 4 News (ITN)
Inside Iraq (Al Jazeera)
Britain Decides (Channel 4/ITN)
ITV News (ITN/Granada/Yorkshire/Central)
Squawk Box (NBC)
Charles At Fifty (LWT)
US '08 The Nation Decides (Al Jazeera)
Eclipse Live (ITN/Channel 5)
Lebanon - Audacity of Hope (Al Jazeera)

FILM

Symphony For Yorkshire (BBC North)
Songs From Hattersley (BBC North West)
A Day Out (Little Dragon Films)
Em (Ben Till Productions)
Brass - Billy Whistle (NYMT)
100 Faces (Ben Till Productions)

GAME SHOWS

Richard Osman's House of Games (BBC)
Eggheads (12 Yard)
Fifteen To One (Channel 4)
Len Goodman's Partners In Rhyme (BBC)
The Time It Takes (Hat Trick/BBC)
The Link (BBC)

CHILDREN'S

The Dog Ate My Homework (CBBC)
The 8.15 From Manchester (BBC)
Chucklevision (BBC North West)
The Satellite Show (BBC)
My Story (CBeebies/BBC Scotland)
Newsround (CBBC)
Match of the Day Kickabout (CBBC)
Za'atari - Newsround Special (CBBC)

SPORT

Liverpool - Out of the Rain (Canal+)
Six Nations - Wales (BBC Wales/S4C)
World Taekwando Championships (BBC)
UCI Road World Championship (BBC)
Late Kick Off (BBC Yorkshire)
BTCC Super Touring Cars (BHP/BBC Sport)
The Emir Cup (Al Jazeera Sports)
Hockey Night In Manchester (EHL)
FIA British Grand Prix (Silverstone TV)
NASCAR Whelen Series (NASCAR)
NHL on NBC (NBC Sports)
Wimbledon (BBC Sport)
Camanachd Cup (BBC Sport/BBC Alba)
Principality Rugby (BBC Wales/S4C)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

LIGHTING CAMERAMAN, FREELANCE - 3/2018 - DATE

I provide camera operation and camera supervision on a wide variety of television programmes including “Coronation Street”, “House of Games”, “BBC Breakfast” and various sporting outside broadcasts.

SENIOR OPERATOR, BBC - 1/2010 - 3/2018

Operating HD and 4K cameras on programmes as diverse as “BBC Breakfast”, “Newsround”, “Mrs Browns Boys” and “Eggheads” and often travelled the world as a single camera unit for documentary, news and current affairs programming.

HEAD OF CAMERAS & LIGHTING, AL JAZEERA; DOHA, QATAR - 10/2007-10/2009

Responsible for camera crew, lighting design and scheduling. In addition to studio work I travelled on outside broadcasts for Al Jazeera across the world as senior lighting cameraman, often to hostile environments.

SENIOR TECHNICAL OPERATOR, BBC RESOURCES; LEEDS, UK - 2001-2007

Craft cameraman for various outside broadcasts, studio productions and single camera productions. I also operated SNG/Microwave trucks and edited items using FCP, Avid and Quantel QEdit.

CAMERAMAN/EDITOR, ITN; LONDON, UK - 1997-2001

Operated ENG cameras and field edited for ITV, Channel 4 and Channel 5 News. I also became Duty Facilities Supervisor for the ITN News Channel and ITV News based in London.

CAMERAMAN, FREELANCE - 1992-1997

Shooting on film, Betacam SP and Digital Betacam for a variety of broadcast and corporate clients across the world. Programmes included “Casualty”, “Dalziel & Pascoe”, “Winter Olympics”.

TRAINEE CAMERA OPERATOR, BBC TELEVISION; MANCHESTER, UK - 1988-1990

My formal training specialised in studio and outside broadcast camera operation for BBC Television where I had the opportunity to work on many live and recorded shows across numerous programmes genres.

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING, MEMBERSHIPS & AWARDS

Studio Lighting	Advanced Location Lighting
Mental Health First Aid certification	Hostile Environment & First Aid Training (inc. CBRN)
Ofqual Level 2 First Aid Training	Satellites In Broadcasting
Coronavirus Awareness in Production	

Guild of Television Camera Professionals
National Press Photographers Association
Broadcast, Entertainment, Cinematograph & Theatre Union

Prix de Circom International Award - for “Symphony For Yorkshire”

RTS Award - for “Symphony For Yorkshire”

Jewish Film Festival & Robinsons International Film Festival winner - for “100 Faces”

REFERENCES

Kenneth Newlands	Jay Robey	Vicky Moorcroft	Benjamin Till
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