

Profile

Portfolio Website

I am a dynamic, visionary and innovative Filmmaker/Producer with over ten years of experience working on video productions such as short films, web series, adverts and corporate/music videos. These projects have gone on to become viral hits and have garnered thousands of views as well as receiving nominations within the television and film industry awards/festivals.

Furthermore I am very experienced in working in the digital media industry with knowledge in social media management as well as content management systems. I have also created logos, banners, newsletters, posters, flyers and images for digital and media print.

Lastly I also have extensive experience in IT, customer service, policing, education, local council and administration. These experiences have given me knowledge and transferable skills on to media and TV which I would have not gained anywhere else. This makes me a valuable unique individual with a diverse set of skills and adaptability.

Employment History

Film Director | Producer | Writer | Editor | Visual Effects Artist, Distinct Edge Pictures, London

NOVEMBER 2009 - APRIL 2023

As a Filmmaker under my own production house, I have created many short films, web series, commercial/music videos by writing, directing, producing, and editing them ready for showcase on film/media festival circuits. I am fully credited on IMDB with all my projects listed and have a multi skilled approach in creating the most cinematic projects.

- Written, produced and directed short films and web series that have gone on to garner thousands of views and nominations in Film/TV festivals.
- Created music/commercial videos for upcoming indie talent and artists.
- Managed and Directed a large number of cast/crew on various productions resulting in completed professional projects of a high standard,
- Edited and created visual effects & animation for other established filmmakers and artist resulting in my work being credited on IMDB.
- Written numerous short screenplays that have been created as films.
- Promoted and delivered workshops for new staff, cast and crew. Actors have been mentored and directed by me on film and media projects.
- Expert Advanced user of Adobe Creative Suite allowing complete flexibility and multi skilled approach to any media/film project.
- Trained extensively on camera and sound equipment resulting in up to date knowledge on DSLR/Mirrorless Cameras, Shotgun/Lavalier/Boom mics as well lighting as using LED lights/studio photography lighting.
- Featured on the Huffington Post article discussing Digital Media. I also appeared on LB24 and IQRA Bangla Channel as well as Youth Suite Podcast, discussing my achievement in independent film-making.

Details

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NATIONALITY

British

DRIVING LICENCE

Full UK License

Links

Showreel

IMDB

LinkedIn

Skills

Film Director

Editor

Producer

Visual Effects Artist

Screenplay Writer

Adobe Creative Cloud

Pre Production

Post Production

Sound Editing

Podcasting

CAA Drone Pilot

Digital Photography

Social Media Content

Logo Design & Branding

Leadership and Teamwork

DSLR and Mirrorless Cameras

Worked front line engaging with residents and public by building a strong trust and providing reassurance/visible deterrence for criminal behaviour.

- Built trust through verbal communication with local residents and businesses via foot patrols and holding local policing ward panel events.
- Deterred and prevented criminality/anti social behaviour whilst bringing offenders to justice.
- Created social media awareness of our daily tasking and duties on local Twitter page highlighting the good work being conducted by Police.
- Created intelligence reports and regularly attended residential ward panel meetings to gain feedback, reduce crime and improve police services.

Student Administration Officer, University of Liverpool - London Campus, London

NOVEMBER 2015 - JUNE 2020

I worked front line engaging with international students assisting and helping them integrate into their post graduate study life at University of Liverpool.

- Created digital signage/posters on TV across campus highlighting activities and events across campus which increased engagement from students.
- Engaged with over 500 students face to face assisting with general queries and signposting to specialist department and services.
- Produced a monthly digital email newsletter containing information of campus events and achievements with students which was distributed to over 300 students.
- Contributed to the University Twitter and Facebook page with a combined 160K followers with social media posts by creating relevant topical student posts with trending hashtags and hosting live virtual tours.

Education

BA HONS Animation, Ravensbourne London University, London

SEPTEMBER 2007 - JULY 2011

I graduated with a Bachelor's of Honours Degree in Animation. In my three years studying this degree, I created multiple animated shorts leading to one big final year project using the 3D application software Autodesk Maya.

- Pre-Production Brainstorming Ideas and Creating Character/Environment concepts.
- Production Created and Animated 3D Models of Characters and Environments.
- Post Production Edited and rendered final video/audio using Adobe Creative Suite. End of year project was then showcased to students and staff completing my degree.

BTEC National Diploma in Multimedia, Tower Hamlets College

SEPTEMBER 2004 - JULY 2007

Studied and created projects in Multimedia such as Video Production, Art, Music and 2D/3D Animation. I achieved 2 Distinctions and 1 Merit as a high performing student recognised by the college with certification.

Four Corners - Broadcasting and Film Training, London

FEBRUARY 2013 - APRIL 2013

- Trained by BBC and ITV employees in Television Broadcasting.
- Created a short film with a group of team members.
- Learnt how to use broadcasting cameras as well as meeting industry work practices and standards.

Kushi Media Ltd - Video Editor Trainee, London

JUNE 2013 - JULY 2013

- Worked with a group of team filming and photographing wedding events.
- Produced and edited Wedding Videos and delivered in two to three weeks deadline
- Filmed using high end DSLR and Mirrorless cameras such Canon 5D Mark 3 and Sony A7S2.

Extra-curricular activities

Podcaster | Editor | Host, The Creative Grind Podcast, London

APRIL 2018

The Creative Grind Podcast is a non-profit show hosted and edited by myself with the aim of discovering and interviewing raw creative talent within the UK and abroad.

- Researched, invited and interviewed high profile guests that fit eligibility criteria for podcast interview show.
- Recorded and Edited audio/video interviews that comply with broadcasting standards and policy. Episodes were then promoted and marketed through social media channels.

References

References available upon request