

# Rebecca McDonald

Film & Video Camera Assistant / Focus Puller

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*Rebecca has been a freelance assistant since 1992 working with both film and tape on a variety of programme: broadcast, corporate and commercials.*

*A focus puller/ clapper loader on documentaries promos and drama, in the last 18 months she has worked a lot with steadicam as a focus puller for live television and has been building experience as a camera operator.*

*Rebecca was born and educated in Brisbane Australia. After completing High School she studied photography at the Queensland College of Art.*

*For four and a half years she worked in a commercial advertising studio as assistant photographer. Arriving in England in 1989 she started work with Chess Valley Films and Video working as a camera assistant and post production assistant.*

## Broadcast Programmes

Elton John at Buckingham Palace  
World Cup (live pitch side Japan)  
Bremner Bird and Fortune  
Pop Idol (live studio)  
'Orrible  
A History of Britain-Time Team 2000  
The Battle Of Crete  
Martin Luther  
Birding With Bill Oddie  
Human Body  
Travels With Pevsner  
Eurovision Song Contest  
What Has Become of Us?  
Behind the Scenes-RSC  
Tomorrows World  
Warbirds of Duxford  
Ooh Err Missus  
Brass Eye  
Little Angels Little Devils  
The Good Sex Guide Abroad  
(Nepal, Kenya, South Africa)

## Production Company

BBC  
Carlton 021  
Vera Productions  
Fountain Television  
BBC  
Video Text  
BBC  
Lion Television  
BBC  
BBC  
BBC  
BBC  
Wide Vision Productions  
SPE  
BBC  
Flashback Television  
Watchmaker Productions  
Talkback Productions  
Wall to Wall  
Prospect Pictures

## Cameraperson

Simon Harding  
Steve Mitchell  
Andy Muggleton/Martyn Porter  
Martyn Porter  
Mike Todd  
Paul Jenkins  
Lee Pulbrook  
Graeme McAlpine  
Rob Franklin  
Mike Robinson  
Martyn Porter  
Nick Barnett  
John Sushams  
Rob Franklin  
Simon Priestman  
Neil Harvey  
Colin Fox  
Belinda Parsons  
Andy Muggleton

## Corporate Programmes

Egyptian Telecom  
Ernst and Young Recruitment 16mm  
Caterpillar  
Ernst and Young  
LUL. "Safety On The Track"

## Production Company

The Barford Film Company  
The Barford Film Comapany  
2C'S  
The Barford Film Company  
World Productions

## Cameraperson

Stuart Luck  
Stuart Luck  
Paul Jenkins  
Stuart Luck  
Chris Goodger

## Film Productions

Martyn Luther  
Popstars "Rivals"  
McLaren  
Zero to Infinity-Infosys  
Horizon "Wreck"  
Timewatch "The History of a Mystery"  
French and Saunders "The Making of The Making Of The Titanic"  
Reputations "The Golden Greek"

## Production Company

Lion Television  
ITV  
BHP Sport  
Good Looking Pictures  
BBC  
Invision Productions  
BBC Entertainment  
Invision Productions

## Cameraperson

Lee Pulbrook  
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Lee Mander  
Stuart Luck  
Rob Franklin  
Dave Gray  
Andy Hollis  
Dave Gray

## **Career History**

Currently	Freelance focus puller/assitant and operator
1989 -1992	Staff Camera Assistant Chess Valley Films and Video
1984 -1989	Photographic Assistant/Photographer H.B Green Photography, Australia

## **Academic Studies**

1981	Senior certificate Beenleigh State High School, Qld, Australia
1986	Certificate in Photography Queensland College of Art Australia
Date of Birth	27 <sup>th</sup> April 1964
Passports	Australian and British