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Sam has 20 years experience working on documentaries, TV, promos, commercials, corporate and drama - as DoP, lighting cameraman and camera supervisor on numerous productions, on film and HD.

After shooting and producing numerous music promos, (Primal Scream, Ride, The Farm, Carter USM, Senseless Things, My Bloody Valentine...) he moved into other areas, documentary, TV and commercials, working on many prestigious productions that have taken him all over the world.

Recent projects have been shot on Canon 5D, Red, Sony F35 and other HD formats.

Production Title	Company & Broadcaster	Director	Description
Factual/Entertainment:			
4 Rooms	Ch4/Talkback Thames	Andy Devonshire	Camera supervisor - four antiques dealers pitted against each other
The Great British Bake Off	BBC/Love Productions	(series)	Camera supervisor - Locations around the UK
The Young Ones	Ch4/Wall to Wall	(series)	Celebrities taken back to the 70's, hoping to be rejuvenated
The Apprentice	BBC/Talkback Thames	(seasons 1- 7)	Studio and location for the UK series (and Junior Apprentice)
The X Factor	ITV/Talkback Thames	(seasons 1-5)	Location camera and lighting supervisor seasons 1 & 2 (BAFTA)
Picture This	Ch4/Renegade	Tom Coveney	Camera supervisor - Martin Parr judges young photographers
Winging It	BBC/Endemol	Andy Devonshire	Series. Comedians try to convince public they're experts
Interior Rivalry	Ch4/Silver River	(series 1)	Camera/lighting supervisor - Ann Maurice' searches for a protégé
The Restaurant	BBC	(series 2 & 3)	Studio and location, Raymond Blanc's search for a new team
Millionaires Mission	Ch4/Silver River	(4 x 1hrs)	UK entrepreneur join forces to initiate projects in Uganda
Fashion Avenue	Electric Sky	(series)	Jodie Kid presents - filmed US and Europe (Hi-Def)
Brat Camp 5	Ch4/Twenty Twenty	Duncan Coats	Series following mums and problematic daughters. Shot in Arizona
Lesley Garrett Show	BBC/BBC Wales	Rupert Edwards	Location photography, filmed in UK, Italy and Spain
Documentaries:			
Bobby Kennedy – The Last Journey	Ch4/Lichen Films		The story of RFK's funeral train told by the onlookers (US)
Dawn French's Boys Who Do: Comedy	BBC	Ben McPherson	Dawn talks to John Cleese, Robin Williams & more...(UK/US)
The Boys	SmashBulb/Disney	Gregg & Jeff Sherman	UK photography for film about the Sherman Brothers (Hi-Def)
She Should Have Gone To The Moon	Arts Council	Ulrike Kubatta	Documentary about first female astronauts (UK/US)
Dawn French's Girls Who Do: Comedy	BBC	Jon Blair	Dawn talks to Whoopi Goldberg, Joan Rivers & more... (UK/US)
To Kill a Pope/One of America's Own	Discovery/3BM	Jon Blair	Documentary sections/additional photography (US/Italy/Turkey)
Being a Concert Pianist	BBC/BBC Wales	Rupert Edwards	Part of the "Imagine" series presented by Alan Yentob
The Voice of Bryn Terfel	BBC/BBC Wales	Rupert Edwards	Part of the "Imagine" series presented by Alan Yentob
Reporters at War	Discovery/True Vision	Jon Blair	History of war reporting (UK/US) (Emmy award)
Live Art	Ch4/Ideal World	Rupert Edwards	Examining art & artists through their work
Bin Laden 'Early Years'	Ch4/3BM	Jon Blair	Documentary looking at Osama's early life
Age of Terror	Discovery/3BM	Jon Blair	History of Terrorism (Algeria/SA/Israel/US/S.America/Thailand)
Harry Enfield's Real Kevins	BBC/Tiger Aspect	Rupert Edwards	2 x 1 hr films, documented case studies of teenagers
Brave New Worlds	Ch4/Flightmate Films	Paul Oremland	1 x hr doc about the science fiction phenomenon
Run	Ch4/Zenith North	Angus Cameron	Film following scooter enthusiasts (super16)

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Commercials/Promos:			
So Cold The River	Verdant Films	Guy Hocking	Promo for novel (Canon 5D)
Violet Cakes	RSA	Georgia Glyn Smith	Promo for cake maker
Apprenticeships	Plunge Pool	Andy Devonshire	2009 TV commercial with Sir Alan Sugar – (Hi-Def, Sony F35)
Lynx	C4/Picture Productions	Mark Daly	Sponsorship idents for 2007 'V Festival' (Hi-Def)
Al Houara	IFC/Quatari Diar	Adam Woods	Promo for new Moroccan development in Tangiers (Hi-Def)
Thriller Night	Hallmark/BDA	Peter Booth	Promo for a season of 'thrillers' (super16)
The Kiss	Hallmark/BDA	Andrew Clyde	Promo for season of romantic films (super16)
O'Sister	Warner's/Elite	Nic Moran	Commercial for soundtrack album (super16)
Mars: Vision Day	Jack Morton Worldwide	Adrian Macfarlane	Promo for the Mars Empire, filmed around the world
Ford UEFA	ITV/BDA	Steve Hore	Sponsorship idents for Champions League (super16)
Classical Chillout	Ministry of Sound	Nic Moran	Commercial for the album (super16)
Law & Order	Hallmark/BDA	Andrew Clyde	UK promo for the US crime drama (super16)
Jack Morton Worldwide	Jack Morton Worldwide	Perry Miller	Brand promo for the company, filmed around the world
Body Shop	Jacaranda	Cassion Harrison	Promo for IMF conference (35mm/motion control)
All Rise for Julian Clary	BBC		Title sequence for series (35mm)
Basic Skills	ITV/Eardrum	Cassion Harrison	TV & Cinema commercial to promote adult literacy (super16)
Cruise	C4/GMFA	Paul Oremland	TV commercial promoting safe sex (super16)
Human Animal	BBC	Marina Warsama	Promo for the Desmond Morris series (35mm)

Drama:

Gone	Ewan Bailey Films	Ewan Bailey	Disturbing short drama, starring Maxine Peake (shot on Red – in post)
Peace	ADF	Andy Devonshire	Short film with Rufus Hound (Hi-Def/Pro35 – in post)
Flash Back	Plum	Martin Pavey	Short drama (Hi-Def/Pro35)
The Key to Life Itself	Grasshopper Films	Stefan Gates	Short drama for the screen (35mm)
Stiff Drink	BDA	Steve Hore	Short drama (super16)
Cocktail Nation	Smashing Films	Stefan Gates	Short drama
The Third Party	C4/Fulcrum	Emma Hindley	Half hour drama (super16)
The Bodger	Bucks Arts	Gina Marsh/Julia Daly	Half hour children's drama for the screen (16mm)

Other credits include:

'Materchef' (Shine/BBC), Various films for BBCs **'Imagine'** series, **'Top Gear'** (BBC), **'Eating Art'** (Electric Sky/Sky Arts), **'La Traviata'** (Ch4, doc), **'Straight Guide To Queer'** (Ch4, S16 doc), **'The London'** (ITV, air ambulance doc), **'Orange Book Awards'** (Park Avenue, promo), **'Little Darlings'** (ITV, doc about child stars), **'Pop Idol'** (ITV, series 1 & 2), **'The O Zone'** (BBC youth show), **'Radio 5 live'** (BBC promo), **'Holiday'** (BBC), **'11 O'clock Show'** (C4), **'Ant & Decs Takeaway'** (LWT, sketches & inserts), **'This Morning'** (LWT, VTs), **'Don't Try This at Home'** (location stunts), **'Celebrity Plastic Surgery'** (ITV), **'Crown & Country'** & **'Tales from the Tower'** (Ardent), **'Harrods'** (Desmond Wilcox), **'Guinness World Records'** (LWT), **'Garden Doctor'** (Wall to Wall, BBC), **'Bluewater a Reality'** (Super16 corporate), **'The Clive James Show'** (titles), **'Live & Kicking'** (trails, promos and location VTs), **'George Hamilton'** (Granada, super16 promo), **'Egg'** (Ch4, sponsorship idents), **'Thompson Gold'** (Firehouse Prods. corporate), **'Andrew Goldsworthy'** & **'Waterside'** (British Airways corporate), **'What a performance'** (Bob Monkhouse show), **'Aunties Bloomers'** (BBC, titles), **'Brave New Worlds'** (Ch4, SciFi doc)