



TOM NELSON

PRODUCER / SHOOTER / EDITOR

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ABOUT

Experienced and reliable filmmaker with a passion for crafting purposeful and impactful work.


I have a natural instinct for customer service and love collaborating with others to drive projects forward.

With 5 years of industry experience I have a broad contact book, able to pull together talented teams that suit client briefs.

FIND ME

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INTERESTS

Adventuring, cycle touring, learning about issues of sustainability, watching documentaries, travel, music, running, DIY, skiing

EDUCATION

BUILDING SURVEYING (PGDIP)
2009 - 2010 | University of Reading

CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT AND
BUILDING SURVEYING (BSC)
2003 - 2007 | University of Reading

REFERENCES

"Tom is a values-driven professional who takes pride in his work. He is a talented producer, camera operator and editor which brings great versatility. I can highly recommend him."

Ravinol Chambers
Producer and Owner, Be Inspired Films
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RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

FREELANCE FILMMAKER

2017 - Present | Freelancer and Founder of This World Can:

Producing, shooting and editing films for brands, charities, production companies and also for This World Can - my project that creates content to inspire and empower people to make lasting environmental and social change.

Being accomplished in these three areas of filmmaking enables me to foresee problems before they occur and to carry projects through from start to finish. Brands and clients have included The Big Issue, TEDx, Ethical Consumer, Business Fights Poverty, Reef Doctor, B-Corporation, Planet Earth Institute and Panasonic.

HEAD OF PRODUCTION AND CO-OWNER

2013 - 2017 | Bear Jam Productions

Four years spent creating branded video content for top brands and agencies. As co-owner of the business I was also responsible for running the team, financial management and company operations. Clients included: Nike, Unilver, Action Against Hunger, BBH, Adam & Eve and Ella's Kitchen. Frequently working to tight deadlines.

ADVENTURE CYCLIST AND FUNDRAISER

2012 - 2013 | Daring Dynamos

16 months spent cycling 14k miles across three continents. Raising £43k for the fantastic charity, War Child UK. Whilst away we filmed our journey, using the limited equipment we could carry on our bikes. It was incredible to be able to capture different cultures and the raw, real-life moments we witnessed along the way. The videos were shared on YouTube.

TECHNICAL AND DESIGN MANAGER | 2007 - 2012 | Shanly Homes

KEY SKILLS

- Visual storytelling across branded content, documentaries and animation
- Video editing
- Professional, polite and personable business manner; great client facing skills
- Crew and shoot management
- Able to work independantly, yet a welcomed team player
- Budget creation and management

TECHNICAL SKILLS / MISC

- Editing with Final Cut Pro and Adobe Premiere
- Owner of Sony FS5, Canon L lenses + other kit for creating a professional, quality look
- Proficient using other camera systems, particularly Panasonic, Sony and Canon
- Aerial filming (using drones)
- Underwater filming (PADI Advanced qualified)
- Full, clean UK driving license

"Tom is able to add value throughout the entire production process as a producer, shooter or editor. Tom's attitude and drive make him a pleasure to work with and his passion for the environment is an inspiration."

James Hilditch
CEO and Creative Director, Bear Jam
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