



# DoP / Lighting Cameraman

## Anthony Leake



### career summary

I have been working as a Lighting-Cameraman / DoP for over 17 years.

Working initially with BSkyB, on international news & features, I travelled extensively and developed the ability to work quickly and efficiently - often in challenging situations.

Having left Sky in 1994 to pursue the wider world of TV & film. Since then I have gained extensive experience in Commercials, Drama, Documentary, Factual, Actuality, Arts and Entertainment, Reconstruction and Corporate based work.

In addition, I have a variety of specialist skills, including, Underwater, Aerial and Vehicle filming. I work mainly on location, but often in studio's too, across the UK and Worldwide.

I set up Bluefin TV in 1998, our aim being to provide the best in both crewing and equipment to the broadcast and corporate sectors.

### specialist skills

Underwater filming (HSE Certified) • Aerial filming  
Fixed wing and helicopter • Ski-Camera Operator  
In & On-Vehicle filming • Altitude filming • Covert filming  
Micro & Mini-Cams • Reconstruction Filming

### additional skills

'1' Visa, for working in the USA • Full motorcycle and car licence  
HSE Media Approved Underwater Diver • Ski-Cam Operator  
RYA Day Skipper • RYA Boat Handling • RYA Powerboat Level 2  
In + On Vehicle Mini-Cams & Micro-Cams • Aerial Camera Operator - Fixed wing and helicopter • BBC Health and Safety Trainer • Granada Health and Safety Approved

### countries worked in

All Europe, USA, Australia, Kuwait, Syria, Turkey, Bulgaria, India, China, Peru, Bolivia, Mexico

## documentary

The Big Art Project	Art's Doc	CH4
Ross Kemp on Gangs	London Gangs, BAFTA Winner	IWC / Sky One
OAPs on ASBOs	Ent/Documentary	Folio
Sex On TV	Documentary	YTV / CH4
MRSA – Killer Bugs	Ob Doc	BBC
Traffic Cops	Doc. Series	BBC
Infidelity	Documentary	LWT Factual
Whales in the Canaries	Rolex Awards Doc	Nat. Geo
Born Premature	Ob Doc	BBC
Piping Galore	Documentary	BBC Scotland
Royal Servants	Documentary	Shine / BBC
Worlds Most Evil Men	Documentary / Reconstruction Series x 6	CH5
Vandals	Documentary / Reconstruction	BBC
Worlds Most Wanted	Bin Laden Documentary	CH5
Children of Divorce	Documentary	BBC2
Keegan - Myth or Messiah	Documentary	CH4
Lost Children	Documentary (War Orphans)	CH5
Essex Boys	Documentary	CH5
The Maze House	TV Drama	Sci-Fi CH

## promo's, dramas & features

Echo Beach / Ben Miller	TV Promo's	ITV Creative
City Of Vice (making of)	TV Promo's	ITV Creative
Wannabes	TV Drama Series	CH4
Bravo	Interactive Drama Pilot	BBC
Jade Goode's PA	Launch Promo for Series	Flextech
Maze House	Channel Promo	Sci-Fi Channel
Most Haunted	TV Promo's	Living TV
Sympathy For The Devil	Independent Feature Film S16mm	CG Productions
Nickelodeon	The Big Help Series x 6	Nicelodeon
Bid-Up TV	Studio Commercials	Bid-Up TV
Air Sick	Japanese Sat 1	Asia
The Studio Film Channel	Promo's, Links & Titles (Studio)	Universal Studios
Britains Worst Motorist	Bumper Sequences	MBC
Sea To Source	River Thames Aerial Photography	LWT
Pan to the Shed (x 4)	Docu/Soap: Chicken Shed Theatre	LWT Arts
Under Par With Mike Reid	Title Sequences & Bumpers	Discovery

## actuality, factual & entertainment

Can't Fire Me, Im famous	Piers Morgan 8 x series	BBC
Mad Labs	Science / Ent Series	Nat Geo
The Culture Show	Arts & Performance	BBC
What ITV Did For Me	50th Anniv. Special	Talent TV / ITV
Full On Food	Factual/Actuality	BBC
Chaos Clinic	Makeover	Talkback Thames
Greatest Hissy-Fits	Julian Clarey Show	Monkey Kingdom
Escape From Ex. Island	Actuality Science Series	BBC / Discovery
Holiday Showdown	Ob Doc	RDF
No Going Back	Relocation Ob/Doc	RDF
he Making of Predator	Interviews / Observational	Fox TV
The Making of Monsters Inc.	Behind the Scenes	ITV
The South Bank Show	Coronation Street 40th Anniv Special	LWT Arts
Access All Areas	Britney Spears profile	Sky One
The Beautiful Game	Llyod-Webber musical	LWT South Bank Show
Thomas Ades	Performance & I/View	LWT South Bank Show
The South Bank Show	The Beautiful Game	LWT Arts
The Simpson's 10th Anniv	Creator profiles	Sky One

## current affairs & lifestyle

The Politics Show	Current Affairs Series	BBC
Inside Out	Current Affairs Series	BBC
Tabloid Tales II	6 Part Series	BBC
Hardtalk	Political Interview Show	BBC World
Hardtalk Extra	Entertainment I/view Show	BBC World
Extratime	Sports interview show	BBC
Newsnight	News and Features	BBC
The Unthinkable	Tony Wilson Studio Show	Sci-Fi Ch
Correspondent	Current Affairs	BBC
Panorama	Current Affairs	BBC
Tonight with TM	Current Affairs	Granada
The Money Programme	Current Affairs	BBC
DIY/SOS	Entertainment	BBC
The Antiques Show	Entertainment	BBC
Film Review Show	Film Channel	Universal

## arts, music & performance

MTV & VH1	Numerous Performances and I/V's	MTV & VH1
South Bank Show	Performances & I/V's	LWT
U2	Zoo Tour	ITV
Nigel Kennedy	Performance (Albert Hall)	BBC
Paul Weller	Live and Dangerous	MTV & CH4
Horace Andy	The Scala	Ch4
Paul Oakenfold	London	BBC
SKY One	Steps, Cliff Richard, Oasis, The Corrs	SKY One
Paul Oakenfold (DJ)	London	BBC
Iggy Pop	Brixton Academy	Viva TV
Foo Fighters	Wembley Arena	MTV
Ms Dynamite	Performance	Orange

## commercials & corporate

Sony Bravia - Rabbits	Promo's / Internet	Dare
Vauxhall Cars	track testing / Racing	Vauxhall
Mazda Cars	Website Content	Syzygy
Debt Matters	TV Commercial	Guerilla
Bid-Up TV	TV Commercial	Bid-Up TV
Sony Walkman	Website content	Dare
Sony	Product and Interviews	Dare
Smart Cars	Web Commercials / Virals	The Farm
Deutsche Bank	Video Production	Deutsche Bank
Phillips	Product Launches	Ogilvy PR
Fujitsu Siemens	Product Lifestyle	Ogilvy PR
Virgin Atlantic	Inaugural Flights	VNR/EPK
Rolly Royce	EPK's / Track testing	Ogilvy PR
Microsoft	Media Training	Monopoly PR
Dept. of Education	Science Dept	Bulletin
Orange	BAFTA Awards, Events	Orange
Whitbread	Book Awards	TVC
Erinaceous Group PLC	Marketing Video	Erinaceous
Planet Hollywood	EPK Events	Freud Comms
Porsche	Track and Road Tests	Porsche
Jaguar & Rover Cars	Track, launch and Shows	VNR
Rhone Poulenc	Pharmaceuticals	Bulletin Int
Daimler Benz	Press and Product	VNR
Motorola	WAP phone product and Launch	Blue Rubicon
Lotus Cars	Track Testing and Shows	Bulletin Int
Michelin Tyres	Skid-Pan Tests	Internal and VNR's
02	EPK's, Promo's	TVC