



DoP / Lighting Cameraman

Nigel Fairburn

career summary

I began my television career as a runner at Sky tv moving on to become sound recordist/assistant cameraman. After a period of on the job training I covered many major international events including the first gulf war and the wars in the Balkans and the siege of Sarajevo. In 1996 I gained promotion to lighting cameraman and worked for a further two years at Sky leaving in 1998 to pursue more creative projects. As a freelancer I have shot and lit in a many styles and worked on a wide variety of programming in many countries. I now specialize in mainly factual and documentary work.

specialist skills

Actuality • Lighting

countries worked in

USA, Malaysia, India, Brazil, Colombia, Russia, Africa (various), Bosnia, Serbia, Sri Lanka, Turkey, Spain, Dubai, Saudia Arabia, Iraq, France, Italy, Croatia

documentary

This world	Deep south divide	BBC 2 / BBC current affairs
The Secret Life of Death of Diana	Observational doc	Shine / Sky one
The truth about property	Aniversary doc	ITV 1 / ITV factual
Virtual World	Property Doc series	BBC 2 / BBC current affairs Manchester
Long John Bawldry	Virtual Reality doc series	BBC World
Escaping Earth	Documentary biog	BBC 4 / CBC
	Future space travel	BBC World

promo's, dramas & features

Nokia Visions	New Technology Promos	BBC World
---------------	-----------------------	-----------

actuality, factual & entertainment

Anne Widdecome verses the Hoodies	Tonight Special	ITV 1 / ITV factual
Dream Holiday Home	Second series shot in Europe	Channel 5 / RDF
The Oprah Winfrey show	Interview and house tour George Michael	
Intimate Portrait	Interview with Niaomi Campbell	Biography channel
ABC Twenty Twenty	Interview with the Beckhams	ABC
Undercover Mother		ITV 1 / ITV factual
Al Murrays greatest screen fights		Channel 4 / Monkey Kingdom
Terror in the Skies	Tonight special / investigation	ITV 1 / ITV factual
Entertainment tonight	Various premiers and star interviews	ET
Colleen's Real Women	Model search show	ITV2 / Endemol

current affairs & lifestyle

Tonight	Varous including specials shot in USA and Africa	ITV 1
Panorama	Should I fight back	BBC 1 / BBC Current affairs
Panorama	Heros of 21/7	BBC 1 / BBC Current affairs
Panorama	One click from Danger	BBC 1 / BBC Current affairs
Dispatches	Abortion what we need know	Channel 4 / Quicksilver media
Dispatches	The children left behind	channel 4 / wall to wall
Dispatches	Xmas credit crunch	channel 4 / wall to wall
Dispatches	When did you last beat your wife	Channel 4 / Quicksilver media
Hardtalk	Varous including indian locations	BBC World