#### Joshua Watson

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Also available to work from the Kingston Upon Hull and Framlingham, Suffolk areas as well as flexible with relocating

## **Work Experience**

### Aerial Camera Systems, Redhill - Junior Camera Technician

SEP 2023 - PRESENT

- Working with a range of technical equipment
- Performing electrical repairs with confidence and competence under tight deadlines
- Management of both tool and equipment storage
- Ordering and purchasing of new parts and equipment
- Careful and detailed preparation of equipment for use at a range of events including Premier League football, the BBC Proms and at Westminster Abbey Services
- Pat Testing certified, as well as experience with COSHH and working at heights
- Managing and organizing the warehouse during high demand periods, with multiple jobs ongoing, e.g. the Summer Olympics and Wimbledon

# **Newcastle Student Television, Newcastle Upon Tyne** - Head of Tech for Student Radio, Head of Sound for Student TV

SFP 2019 - AUG 2022

- Experience training fellow students in a range of procedures from the mixing desk of the radio studio to rigging and operating a camera
- Involvement with a range of productions from student meetings to live sporting events and experience with many roles, from runner to director
- I also worked in post production for the on-demand service, editing and adding visual effects to recordings
- Gained a strong understanding of the chain of production and distribution for broadcast Television
- As NaSTA Northern regional officer I built a strong network of individuals in industry and was able to bring them together

## **Volunteer Experiences**

## **1st Eye Scout Group, Eye** - Assistant Group Leader

SEP 2022 - SEP 2023

- Responsible for training high school aged children on a range of practical subjects
- Supporting a safe and engaging learning environment
- Contributing effectively as part of a team, putting together Health and Safety forums, Risk assessments and other key paper work
- Maintaining relevant first aid qualification

#### **Online Presence**

- In my spare time, I have worked on a range of projects, starting intaily
  as long forum youtube videos, but also moving into short forum, tiktok
  style content, live streams and written articles on a wide range of
  subjects including explainer videos and vlogs
- Thought this I have explored a range of editing and storytelling techniques and seen major improvements in both areas.
- I have also honed the majority of my writing, performing, and editing skills, while also mastering the use of a wide range of tools, such as DaVinci Resolve and Adobe After Effects.
- This included still photography where i have been focusing on my lens on everything from street photography to major events. Here I have learnt many methods to make more interesting photos as well as learnt to use Adobe Lightroom and Photoshop

#### Education

**Physics BSc** - Newcastle University, Newcastle Upon Tyne SEP 2019 - SEP 2022

Studied a range of subjects including mechanics, electrical engineering, programing in python and MatLab, a range of mathematical principles and laboratory skills

#### Skills

#### **Equipment, Software and Qualifications**

- Experience creating online content for Youtube, Instagram and TikTok
- General electrical repair skills
- Mechanical competency with a range of electrical and hand tools
- Experience with first aid training
- PAT testing certified
- Soldering
- Adobe suite and Davinci Resolve
- Microsoft Office Quartet
- Windows, Mac and Linux Operating systems
- Full UK Drivers License

#### **Soft Skills**

- Experience with and passion for teaching, with ability to work with all ages and abilities
- Highly organized
- Team oriented
- Ability to pick up new skills quickly, with little oversight needed
- Working in fast paced, high pressure environments (e.g. outdoor broadcasting)