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Broadcast Credits

Globe Trekker series 13 - 16 (4x52") Offline - (over 25 x 52") Online & Grade HD.

Pilot Production's multi award winning travel series that reaches upwards of 30 million viewers worldwide. Recent offline edits include *London City Guide 3 & Amsterdam City Guide 2* and *Globe Trekker Pacific Islands Around the World Special*. Recent online edits and grades include *Antarctica, Texas, Nigeria, Syria, Holy Lands: Israel, Bangladesh, WWII Special, Slavery Special*.

Pilot Productions for Discovery, ABC Australia, American Public Television, Voyage France, Travel Channel UK, France 5, YLE Finland, TVE Spain. **2012 / 2013**
www.globetrekcertv.com

Fishing the Footsteps of Mr Crabtree (2x45) - Offline SD.

In this new fishing series expert angler John Bailey steps into the shoes of iconic fishing hero Mr Crabtree. *Each week John teaches an up and coming fishing enthusiast some new tricks and techniques as well as gaining some himself.*

Toast Entertainment Group for Discovery Networks **2013**
www.mrcrabtreegoesfishing.com

Bazaar Zanzibar & Planet Food Zanzibar (1x52' & 25') - Offline Edit

These two shows are the latest episodes in Pilot's culinary travel and global shopping series. Self styled global nomad Bobby Chinn tries to unearth true Zanzibari cuisine, while Brianna Barnes explores the islands boutique hotels and shops.

Pilot Productions for Discovery, Travel Channel UK, ABC Australia, TV7 Sweden, Sogecable Spain, ERT Greece. **2012**
www.pilotguides.com/tv_shows/planet_food

Ottomans vs Christians (3x52') - Online & Grade HD.

This three part mini series travels across the Mediterranean reliving the historic battles of the 16th century between the Ottoman empire and the Christian empires of the west. This series required careful grading as well as several effects in order to integrating the 2D and 3D graphics.

Pilot Productions for Voyage France, Travel Channel UK, France 5. **2011**

Planet Food series 2 & 3 (10x52' & 25') - Offline, Online & Grade HD & SD.

My work on this popular culinary travel series consisted of grading and online editing episodes including *Israel, Istanbul, Barcelona, Provence, England & Singapore*. I also offline edited the 10 episodes into 25 minute format.

Pilot Productions for Discovery, Travel Channel UK, ABC Australia, TV7 Sweden, Sogecable Spain, ERT Greece. **2012**
www.pilotguides.com/tv_shows/planet_food

Globe Guides series 2 & 3 (26x25') Offline, Online & Producer SD.

This eclectic series visits all corners of the globe and covers varied topics such as, architecture, the afterlife, arts, ecology, equality, politics and popular travel. I have offline edited and produced both series 2 and 3 of *Globe Guides*, as well as overseen the graphics creation and written the voice over scripts. Episodes include *Borderlines, Hollywood, Bollywood & Beyond, Relics of the Dead, Gay Pride, and Mysterious Places*. Pilot Productions for OLN Canada, TV12 Singapore, Sogecable Spain, and ABC Australia. **2010**.

www.pilotguides.com/tv_shows/globe_guides

World Café Middle East (3x45') Online & Grade HD.

After the success of *World Café Asia*, global nomad Bobby Chinn is back, this time learning culinary secrets of the Middle East. Completed episodes include *Istanbul, Palestinian Territories, Egypt, & Syria*,

Pilot Productions for Discovery International, AB Groupe France, YLE Finland, ERT Greece, TVB Hong Kong. **2010.**

www.pilotguides.com/tv_shows/world_cafe_asia

Aravani Girl (1x53') - Online & Grade SD.

This powerful documentary follows the lives of Palani and Karthik who want to become 'ladyboys'. Loved as dance performers but hailed as homosexuals, their stories emblazon the inner conflicts of India's gender culture today.

Kent Productions for Journeyman Pictures. **2009**

www.journeyman.tv

John Bailey, A Different Angel (1x50 & 1x30') - Offline SD.

A new series for Horse and Country TV featuring popular fishing presenter and writer John Bailey traveling the UK meeting different people within the sport. Episodes 1 & 2 *Durham, & London* were offline edited by myself.

Horse and Country TV. **2009**

www.horseandcountry.tv

British Open Horse Trials (8x52') - Offline SD.

Together with assembling the live coverage from all four days events, this on location edit at Birmingham NEC also required editing pre recorded programs and interviews that featured in the final master.

Horse and Country TV & Sky Sports. **2009**

Non Broadcast Credits

The Calling (SCI FI LONDON 48Hr Challenge)

This 5min film was completed across the course of a single weekend as per the rules of the challenge. Despite being a very high pressure shoot and edit we managed to successfully submit a film which all were pleased with.

B7Media **2013**

The Morning After (1x6') Grade.

Winner of the best short film award at this years Fright Fest. This quirky short comedy horror features singer Kate Nash in her acting debut and was a smash hit at this years festival. The film required a full grade using Apple Color and mastering to HDCam.

Not So Lovely Films **2011**

Microsoft Cloud Computing Videos (5x4') Offline.

These short case studies follow different Microsoft customers as they explain how cloud computing and their partnerships with Microsoft have improved their working environment. Each film required offline editing, grading and some graphics work.

Lakeside School South Africa, West Yorkshire Fire Service, Lecco Tourist Board Italy.

Kindred Productions **2011**

www.kindredproductions.co.uk

AstraZeneca Tubohaler Videos (2x6') Offline and Grade.

Commissioned by Saatchi and Saatchi Health these instructional videos are designed to help patients and healthcare professional correctly teach people to use the Turbohaler device. Along with the offline edit each video also required an end graphics sequence.

Turbett and Crew **2011**

www.turbettandcrew.com

Sainsbury's The China Opportunity (4x4') Offline.

These four films for Sainsbury's showcase different aspects of the Chinese consumer and highlight the various approaches needed for the company to set up successful stores in the rapidly growing country.

Kindred Productions 2011

www.kindredproductions.co.uk

Renault Z.E. City Hall Event Videos (3x3') Offline, Grade & Encode.

These three video blogs showcased the unique features and environmental benefits of Renault's new Zero Emission car range. The video required a punchy edit and some stylistic grading.

Mad Cat Media 2011

www.madcatmedia.co.uk

European Wine Bloggers Conference (2x10') Offline & Encode.

These videos were used by the EWBC to showcase and publicize their events in 2010, 2011 and 2012. As well as the on site offline edits the videos also required graphics work in the form of logo animations and maps.

Mad Cat Media 2012 / 2011 / 2010

www.madcatmedia.co.uk

Education / Licenses

2i in BA (Hons) Television Production degree

Art Foundation (media) at BTEC level - Distinction

Media Communication at Advanced GNVQ - Merit

Film Studies at A Level - Grade B

Full UK Driving License - Clean

Technical Skills

Final Cut Studio (offline and online) DVD Studio Pro, Motion, Color & Compressor.

Avid Media Composer.

Adobe After Effects, Photoshop, Premier CS6.

Excellent knowledge of Broadcast VTRs, camera equipment, legalizers, scopes, encoding practices and media workflows.

Referrals

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