

BEN BUTLER - Director of Photography

Ben is a sought-after Director of Photography with a wide range of experience. After an extremely busy career as a Camera Assistant he has travelled the world working on a multitude of projects, from music videos and commercials, to dramas and feature films.

Recent credits include commercials for Amazon and Allianz, as well as additional photography for the forthcoming MGM movie **Roadhouse**. Having lived in Spain for a number of years Ben is once more UK based.

Drama credits include:

HONEY (*A Camera Operator*)

Director: Michelle Savill

Producer: Christopher Hall

Starring: Rory Kinnear, Ann Skelly, Nate Mann and Jannis Niewöhner

BBC / Sid Gentle Films

CALL THE MIDWIFE CHRISTMAS SPECIAL (*Series 15 – Pick-Up Days*)

Director: Syd Macartney

Producer: Annie Tricklebank

Starring: Jenny Agutter, Helen George, Laura Main and Stephen McGann

Neal Street Productions / BBC

ROADHOUSE (*Additional Photography: B Operator Main Unit & Splinter Unit DOP*)

Director: Doug Liman

Producer: Joel Silver

Starring: Jake Gyllenhaal, Jessica Williams and Conor McGregor

MGM

THE LOVE BOX IN YOUR LIVING ROOM (*Operator*)

Director: Daniel Kleinmann

Producer: Bradley Adams

Starring: Harry Enfield and Paul Whitehouse

Balloon Entertainment

EXTRAORDINARY (*Additional Photography: DOP and Operator*)

Director: Toby MacDonald

Producer: Charlie Palmer

Starring: Siobhan McSweeney, Robbie Gee and Máiréad Tyers

Sid Gentle Films / Disney+

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THE PACT (*Series 2, 2nd Unit DOP*)

Director: Nicola Volavka

Producer: Adam Knopf

Starring: Rakie Ayola and Lloyd Everitt

Little Door Productions / BBC Cymru Wales / AMC+

WHY DIDN'T THEY ASK EVANS? (*2nd Unit DOP*)

Director: Hugh Laurie

Producers: Claire Jones, Andrew Wood and Hugh Laurie

Starring: Lucy Boynton, Hugh Laurie and Will Poulter

Agatha Christie Productions / Mammoth Screen

THE RISING (*2nd Unit DOP, Eps 1 & 2*)

Directors: Ed Lilly

Producers: Jayne Chard and Mark Hedges

Starring: Matthew McNulty, Clara Rugaard and Daniel Ings

SKY Studios

MANHUNT II: THE NIGHT STALKER (*2nd Unit, Operator/Additional Photography*)

Director: Chris Forster

Producer: Jo Willett

Starring: Martin Clunes

ITV / Buffalo Pictures

THE POWER (*Additional operating*)

Director: Reed Morano

Producer: Sarah Wheale

Starring: Leslie Mann and John Leguizamo

Sister Pictures for Amazon Studios

DRACULA (*Episodes 2 & 3, 2nd Unit DOP - Underwater sequences*)

Director: Johnny Campbell

Producer: Sue Vertue

Hartwood Films for BBC / Netflix

OCCASIONAL, STRONG (*Short, Operator*)

Director: Steve Green

Producer: Colette Forbes

Starring: Daniel Craig, Wayne Foskett and Paul Angelis

Rogue Films

STAR WARS: EPISODE I – THE PHANTOM MENACE (*Focus Puller*)

Director: George Lucas

Producer: Rick McCallum

Starring: Ewan McGregor, Liam Neeson and Natalie Portman

Lucasfilm

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THE BRIDGE (*Assistant Camera*)

Director: Syd Macartney

Producer: Lyn Goleby

Starring: Saskia Reeves, David O'Hara and Joss Ackland

British Screen Productions

SHADOWED (*Short, DOP*)

Director: Juliette Hagopian

Julijette inc.

THE LUNCH (*Short, DOP*)

Director: Ben Scrimgeour

THE CALL (*Short, DOP – 35mm*)

Director: Theo Delaney

Producer: Danny Fleet

Tomboy Films / Hotspur and Argyle

GOLDFISH (*Short, DOP*)

Director: Ed Sayers

Godman

DEATH IS NOT AN OPTION (*Feature film trailer, DOP*)

Director: Simon Levene

Specific Films

STRAIGHT 8 (*Two shorts shot for the super 8 competition, DOP*)

Finalists in the competition and shown in Cannes two years running.

COMMERCIALS – Camera Operator:

SKY	DoP: Ivan Bird	Dir: Barry Skolnick (starring Jude Law)
OU	DoP: Ivan Bird	Dir: Ivan Bird
EBAY	DoP: Steve Keith Roach	Dir: Nick and Dom
BRITISH AIRWAYS	DoP: Steve Keith Roach	Dir: Andy McLeod
BULK POWDERS	DoP: Steve Keith Roach	Dir: Aaron Stoller
ASDA (<i>also 2nd Unit DoP</i>)	DoP: Steve Keith Roach	Dir: Tim Bullock
BAILEYS (<i>also 2nd Unit DoP</i>)	DoP: Steve Keith Roach	Dir: Camila Zapiola
MASTERCLASS	DoP: Tim Green	Dir: Howard Greenhalgh (with Es Devlin for Netflix)
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Netflix)		
TOYOTA	DoP: Paul O'Callaghan	Dir: Karen Jorgensen
LIDL	DoP: Matt Fox	Dir: Andrew Gaynord

COMMERCIALS (for full list see Commercials CV) – *Director of Photography:*

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ALLIANZ	Dir: Matt Carter – Kode Media
AMAZON	Dir: JJ Keith – The Distillery
DUNELM	Dir: Matt Carter – Kode Media
ALPINE	Dir: Steve Green – Mighty Fine
NATIONAL LOTTERY	Dir: Ed Haussmann – Independent
HEINEKEN	Dir: Theo Delaney – Sixty Billion
AUDIBLE	Dir: Nick Jones – Sassy
STYLIST	Dir: Theo Delaney – Sixty Billion
NAT WEST	Dir: Theo Delaney – Sixty Billion
LIDL	Dir: Andrea Capos – Contented
FIAT 500	Dir: Andrea Capos – Framestore
NEFF	Dir: Andrea Capos and Marcus Jones – The Bank
SIX NATIONS	Dir: Marcus Jones – ITV
ASDA	Dir: Tim Bullock - Blink
LAND ROVER	Dir: Trevor Melvin – Dark Energy
LONGLEAT	Dir: Trevor Melvin – Happy Hour
N-POWER	Dir: Declan Lowney – AFC
PUMA	Dir: Ed Sayers - Puma FC
FERRERO ROCHER	Dir: Sandra Goldbacher – Tomboy
COCA COLA	Dir: Theo Delaney – Hotspur & Argyle
CALPOL	Dir: Trevor Melvin - Paul Weiland Film Co.
WALKERS	Dir: Paul Weiland - Paul Weiland Film Co.
SAINSBURYS	Dir: Tom Vaughan - HLA
YELLOW PAGES	Dir: Tom Vaughan – HLA
B.A.	Dir: Malcolm Venville – Therapy
T MOBILE	Dir: Malcolm Venville – Therapy
COCO DE MER	Dir: Malcolm Venville – Therapy
LAND ROVER	Dir: Malcolm Venville – Therapy
McDONALDS	Dir: Steve Reeves - Another Film Co.
WORLD WILDLIFE FUND	Dir: Jon Greenhalgh - Stark Films
BISTO	Dir: Kevin Thomas - Thomas Thomas
BBC PLAYLISTER	Dir: Nick Jones – Red Bee
ASDA	Dir: MJ Delaney – Moxie
WEETABIX	Dir: MJ Delaney – Moxie
KNORR	Dir: Nial Downing – 2am
ALDI	Dir: Nial Downing – 2am
DOUWE EGBERTS	Dir: Tim Brown – 15 Badgers
B.T.	Dir: Jonny Campbell – Mustard
KNORR	Dir: Jonny Campbell – Mustard
EXPEDIA HOLIDAYS	Dir: Trevor Melvin – RSA
INTEL ULTRABOOK	Dir: Luc Schurgers – Greendot Films.
AGENT PROVOCATEUR	Dir: Nick Jones – Pencil Agency
AUDI A6	Dir: Russell Appleford – The Mill
MULLER	Dir: Jim Weedon – Bare Films
MORRISONS	Dir: Jackie Oudney – Rogue
KFC	Dir: Martha Delap - AFC
HARVEY NICHOLS	Dir: Damien O'Donnell - AFC
BIRDS EYE	Dir: Jonathan Lovekin - AFC

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SELLOTAPE
PRINGLES
MTV AIDS AWARENESS
BBC ONE IDENT
THE TIMES
GLADE
HASBRO
KELLOGG'S
PHILADELPHIA
RIGHT GUARD
ETIHAD AIRLINES
BECKS
CADBURYS
BUENA VISTA
PERSIL
DAIRYLEA
VODAFONE
HARPIC
VISA
BAFTA
MARKS & SPENCER
DYSON
SONY PLAYSTATION
BBC SPORTS PERSONALITY
BBC

Dir: Trevor Melvin - RSA.
Dir: Simon Levine - Production International
Dir: Ed Morris - Rattling Stick
Dir: Trevor Melvin - Red Bee
Dir: JJ Keith - HSI
Dir: Betsan Morris Evans - Bare Films
Dir: Jim Weedon - Bare Films
Dir: Tim Canty - HSI
Dir: Trevor Melvin - Paul Weiland Film Co.
Dir: Trevor Melvin - Marken Film
Dir: Jim Weedon - Bare Films
Dir: Big TV - Marken Film
Dir: Theo Delaney - Hotspur & Argyle
Dir: Adam Johnson - HLA
Dir: Trevor Melvin - Paul Weiland Film Co.
Dir: Michael Wright - Partizan
Dir: Paul Gay – Paul Weiland Film Co.
Dir: Jim Weedon - Bare Films
Dir: Simon Levine - Therapy
Dir: Paul Weiland - Paul Weiland Film Co.
Dir: JJ Keith - HLA
Dir: Nicholas Barker - Rogue Films
Dir: Alex Turner - Godman
Dir: Ron Scalpello - BBC
Dir: Simon Levene - Pink