

OSSIE BACON

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I'm a DOP with a wide breadth of experience in factual, documentary, and drama recon. After working over many years on BAFTA Award-winning programmes with Bear Grylls and Attenborough, I have specialist experience in filming multi-camera technical setups in extreme environments, including jungles, glaciers, deserts, and mountains, able to operate a camera on any terrain. I'm capable of shooting without a director and recording my own sound. My diverse experience covers drama recon, shooting sequences for large technical setups - see River Monster's clip. observational documentary, helicopter aerial's, drones, interviews, green screen, Steadicam, and live events. I have my own kit, and also have strong relationships with various rental companies which allows me to offer competitive rates for any additional hire.

Recent Factual Credits

- As DOP / Lighting Camera

'Primal Survivor' Icon Films / National Geographic - Series Producer - Scott Tankard
'Hunting Legends' Icon films / Travel Channel - Director Steve Shearman (Recon only)
'American Monsters' Arrow TV - Discovery ID - Director Tom Lindley
'Bear Grylls - Absolute Wild China' - Betty TV / Discovery - Series Producer Nick O'Mealy Series DOP
'Bear Grylls Survival Academy Series 2' - Potato/ITV - Series Producer Rob Sixsmith - Series DOP **CHILDREN'S' BAFTA WINNER**
'River Monsters' Icon Films / Animal Plant - Director Steve Shearman (Recon only)
'World War II Mysteries' - IFA Media / National Geographic - Series Producer Dominic Young - Ep 3 & 4 DOP
'Trailblazers' - October Films / Discovery - Series Producer Nick O'Mealy - Series DOP
'Man Vs Viral' - Nerd TV / National Geographic - Series Producer Steve Shearman - Series DOP
'Experimental' - Nerd TV / Channel 4 - Series Producer Steve Shearman - Series DOP
'Bear Grylls Survival Academy' - Potato / ITV - Series Producer Marshall Colwin - Series DOP - **BROADCAST AWARD NOMINATION**
'Bear Grylls Running Wild' - NBC - Various Eps Cam Op
'Bear Grylls Breaking Point' - Betty TV / Discovery - Series Producer Tom Sheahan Cam Op
'Nike Content Commercial' - Rattling Stick - Director Yousef Eldin DOP

- As Camera op

'Bear Grylls - Escape from Hell' - Betty TV / Discovery Director Steve Shearman / Gareth Johnson Cam Op
'Car Vs Wild' - Dragonfly / Discovery - Director Nick O'Mealy Cam Op
'One Car Too Far' - Dragonfly / Discovery - Director - Nick O'Mealy - Cam op
'Bear Grylls - Man V Wild' Diverse / Discovery Director Steve Shearman - Cam op
'Apocalypse Man' - Diverse / History - Director Steve Shearman - Cam op
'Reed Recruitment Advert' - Tactful Cactus - John Addis 'Starcrossed' - Tactful Cactus - Director John Addis 
'Fibresure Commercial' Addiction Director - Wayne Yipp
'Nivea Promo Series 2' Addiction Director - Max Gardener
'Tate Shots - Street Art' Director - Tom Haines
'Tate Shots - Interviews Jurgen Teller, Sunil Gupta, Frank Berger' - Director Tom Haines
'The Culture Show Russell Brand' - BBC
'The Royal Ballet Company' One Small Step - Producer Giles Lovell Wilson
'Horizon - Alone' BBC - Producer Charles Colville
'The South Bank Show - Morrissey' Granada - DOP Doug Hartington
'Decades' ILC Ltd - Producer: Keith Woodhams

+ a large number of commercials corporate and promos

DOB: 6/3/78

References available on request

