







Freelance Multi-Camera Director ianfinch.tv/showreel

"I have worked with many producers, but none as measured, assured and as good at their job as Ian Finch." GARY LINEKER, BBC SPORT/BT SPORT

INTRODUCTION

I am a two-time BAFTA-nominated multi-camera producer/director with over 20-years experience in the broadcasting industry. I have directed studios and outside broadcasts at some of the world's greatest sporting events including the Olympic Games, World Cup, Super Bowl and the UEFA European Football Championships as well as holding the post of Series Producer on the BBC's Match of the Day for 6 seasons. I am a great team leader with a unique eye for detail, bringing a calm, confident and assured approach to my work. I am responsible for the look and studio design of many of the BBC's major shows and tournament studios including the award-winning introduction of 'augmented reality' to studios and OBs in 2011 – a UK first.

EXPERIENCE

- Series Producer, Match of the Day, Football Focus & Final Score
- 11 Super Bowls
- 5 World Cups
- 5 UEFA European Football Championships
- The FA Cup Final
- Olympic Games
- UEFA Champions League & Europa League
- NFL This Week & The NFL Show
- Tour De France
- Women's World Cup
- Commonwealth Games
- Wimbledon
- Paralympics

KEY SKILLS

- experienced multi-camera director for both studio and outside broadcast. Key on-site events include 2014 & 2018 World Cup Finals, Euro2016 Final, FA Cup Final, Super Bowl, Olympic Games;
- design consultant with a keen eye for set design, studio content and on-screen graphics;
- team leader;
- eye for detail;
- key innovator embracing the very latest broadcast technologies;
- fully-trained music director;
- trained in the use of Final Cut Pro;
- BBC trained multi-camera director;
- full, clean driving licence.

REFERENCES

Philip Bernie, Head of BBC TV Sport Phil Bigwood, Executive Producer, BBC Sport Mark Cole, Head of Television, Whisper Films Pete Andrews, Head of Sport, Channel 4

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