



4 Whitworth Square, Whitchurch, Cardiff, United Kingdom. CF14 7DR

Email: medparri@me.com Mobile: +447768097161

PROFILE

EXPERIENCED EXECUTIVE PRODUCER, DIRECTOR & PRODUCER

BBC TRAINED MULTI CAMERA STUDIO AND OB DIRECTOR

LIVE OR RECORDED MUSIC, EVENTS, KIDS, NEWS & ENTERTAINMENT SHOWS.

SINGLE CAMERA DIRECTOR ON FEATURES & DOCUMENTARIES

L3 COVID SUPERVISOR

CAREER

FREELANCE PRODUCER & DIRECTOR

March 2012 – Present

Multi Camera Director - Ffit Cymru. 1 x 60 Cwmni Da For S4C 2020

Multi Camera Director - Noson Lawen - 12 x 60 Light Entertainment show filmed during Covid restrictions of Social Distancing. Cwmni Da for S4C. 2020

Multi Camera Director - Sunday Worship - Avanti for BBC1 2020

Multi Camera Director - Ffermio Byw - 1 x 60 Live Agricultural Magazine special that featured live lambing. Telegop for S4C 2020

Producer - Eisteddfod T - Highlights of the Eisteddfod T competitions filmed during Covid Lockdown. Avanti for S4C. 2020

PSC Director - Eisteddfod T drama inserts. Avanti for S4C 2020

Multi Camera Director - Noson Lawen Eisteddfod Sir Conwy. 1 x 90 Cwmni Da for S4C 2019.

Multi Camera Director - Gig Y Pafiliwn 2019. Pop Bands with Orchestra. National Eisteddfod for S4C.

Executive Producer - Six feature length concerts from the National Eisteddfod for S4C 2019.

Producer - Cynr ar Y Mississippi - 1 x 60 documentary following Band Pres Llaegub when they travelled to New Orleans to play in the French Quarter Festival and study the roots of their music. DearHeart Productions for S4C. Bafta Best Entertainment 2019

Multi Camera Director - Gig Y Pafiliwn 2018 Rock Concert with Orchestra.

Multi Camera Director - Pendevig - A 15 piece Trad Fusion Band. Eisteddfod For S4C.

Multi Camera Director - Noson Lawen 2018. 12 x 60 Ent show. Cwmni Da for S4C.

Studio Director - Ffit Cymru Finale 2018 - 2020. Cwmni Da for S4C.

Executive Producer - National Eisteddfod Concerts 2017 for S4C. A series of five concerts including a Live broadcast of Opening Concert.

Multi Camera Director - Celwydd Noeth, studio quiz show. Cwmni Da for S4C.

Multi Camera Director - Tudur Owen Comedy Night. Eisteddfod for S4C.

Multi Camera Director - Gig Y Pafiliwn 2017 Rock Concert with Orchestra. Eisteddfod for S4C.

Multi Camera Director - Noson Lawen - 8 x 60 Variety show featuring Music and Stand-Up. Cwmni Da for S4C.

Development Team - 'Goose Green' movie. DearHeart Productions.

Development Producer - Drama TV Serial. DearHeart Productions.

Studio Director TAG – Live youth Magazine studio programme. 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017. Boom for S4C.

PSC Director, Music items for comedy sketch series 'Chwarter Call'. Boom for S4C.

Development Producer - Hooked. Entertainment show. DearHeart Productions.

Multi Camera Director Live Opening Concert National Eisteddfod 2016. National Eisteddfod for S4C.

Multi Camera Director 'Gig y Pafiliwn' rock concert with Orchestra. National Eisteddfod for S4C.

Executive Producer on a series of five concerts from National Eisteddfod 2016.

Multi Camera Director International Sheep Dog Trials. Telegop for S4C.

Producer Royal International Eisteddfod Llangollen 2016 & 2017. Rondo for S4C.

Screens Director City Of The Unexpected Roald Dahl Celebrations. National Theatre Wales.

Screens Director Noel Gallagher Singleton Park Swansea. Orchard

Producer and PSC Director Jonathan Six Nations entertainment studio series. Avanti for S4C.

Producer and PSC Director 1 x 120 Live Studio Entertainment show Can I Gymru (A Song For Wales) 2016. Avanti for S4C.

PSC Director Inserts for Hosan Nadolig Nigel. Avanti entertainment show for S4C.

Producer and Stage Director Strange Romance Tribute Concert for Steve Strange for Wales Millennium Centre 2015.

Multi Camera Director Young Farmers Eisteddfod. Rondo/Telegop for S4C 2014 - 2016

Multi Camera Director Gwyl Cerdd Dant – Rondo / Telegop for S4C 2014 - 2016.

Executive Producer Live and Recorded Concerts from The National Eisteddfod 2015

Multi Camera Director Gwerin - Folk Music Concert 1 x 120. National Eisteddfod for S4C 2015

Multi Camera Director Classical Music Concert 1 x 90 National Eisteddfod for S4C 2015

Producer Songs from The Screen 1 x 90 Concert National Eisteddfod for S4C 2015

Producer Y Gymanfa Ganu - 1 x 120 worship programme for S4C.

Live Studio Director Stwnsh Sadwrn - Saturday morning kids show. Boom for S4C.

Multi Camera Director BBC Wales Children In Need – BBC Wales. 2014

Multi Camera Director Made In Cardiff Local TV Launch 2014

Multi Camera Director World Championship Sheepdog Trials. Telegop for S4C and BBC Alba.

Live Multi Camera Director for National Eisteddfod 2014 Opening Concert – S4C

Producer Bryn Terfel Festival of The World - Royal Festival Hall. Boom for S4C.

Live Multi Camera Director National Eisteddfod Of Wales. BBC Wales.

Producer – Aled Jones Christmas Show – Meditel for S4C.

Multi Camera Director Bryn Fon Yn y Pafiliwn – 1 x 90 Rock Concert for S4C.

Multi Camera Director Llwyfan o Leisiau – 1 x 90 Classical Music Concert for S4C.

Exec Producer - Mary Vaughan Jones 1 x 60 documentary for S4C.

OTHER SKILLS

Competent on Avid Media Composer. Credits include:

Hewlfa Drysor - 1 x 60 Entertainment show Avanti for S4C 2020

Morning Worship 1 x 30 Worship Programme. Avanti / Nine Lives for BBC1

Songs Of Praise - Music Item. Avanti / Nine Lives for BBC 1 2020

Noson Lawen - 2 x 60 Entertainment. Cwmni Da for S4C 2019

Noson Lawen Eisteddfod - 1 x 90 Entertainment / Event - Cwmni Da For S4C 2019

Gig Y Pafiliwn 2016 - 2018. Rock Concert. National Eisteddfod for S4C.

S4C - HEAD OF EVENTS

November 2009 – March 2012

Commissioning Editor of the channel's event programmes with further responsibility for Music, Performance and Factual Entertainment.

BBC – EXECUTIVE PRODUCER

March 2004 – November 2009

Leading the production teams working in both the Welsh and English language from some of the major events and entertainment shows covered by BBC Wales.

National Eisteddfod Of Wales - Live event coverage of the 8 day annual festival that included a 30 minute show for BBC 2 Network presented by Hardeep Singh Kholi. Bafta Winner Best Live Event 2004.

BBC Children in Need - Executive Producer for Annual Children in Need Events.

Bryn Terfel's Faenol Festival – Bryn Terfel's Opera Gala, John Barrowman and Friends, Shirley Bassey At The Faenol, The Hills Are Alive with Michael Ball, Connie Fisher and John Owen Jones and Songs Of Praise with Aled Jones and Katherine Jenkins,

The Tsunami Relief Concert from the Millennium Stadium. Exec Producer host coverage and BBC broadcasts from the event on BBC1, BBC Wales and S4C.

Mastermind Cymru - A Welsh language version of the BBC's Mastermind format.

Royal Opening of The Wales Millennium Centre.

Royal Opening of the Welsh Assembly. Executive Producer and Director. Bafta award for Best Live Broadcast 2009.

Bonnie Tyler – In One Voice. Documentary on Bonnie Tyler. Senior Producer

FREELANCE EXECUTIVE PRODUCER / DIRECTOR

2003 – 2004

BBC – Live Director on Open Air Children in Need Concerts 2003 and 2004

BBC - Executive Producer National Eisteddfod Of Wales

IMG - Executive Producer / Director Bryn Terfel's Faenol Festival.

BBC – Live Director General Election Programmes.

AVANTI TELEVISION LTD - EXECUTIVE PRODUCER / DIRECTOR

2000 – 2003

Producer / Director - The Bryn Terfel Faenol Festival.

Producer / Director - Y Sesiwn Hwyr (Music series nominated for a Rose D'Or Award)

Producer Live New Years Eve Live Entertainment Programmes S4C 2001 – 2003.

Producer / Director - Sesiwn Fawr Dolgellau – Live 3 Day World Music Festival.

Producer / Director– La Bamba (Reality beach dating game recorded in Majorca)

Producer / Director - Llwybrau Paul (Six part documentary following the journeys of the Apostle Paul from Jerusalem via Damascus, Turkey and Greece to Rome.)

Director – The Pop Factory (Contemporary Music series)

Screens Director – Tom Jones Live from Cardiff Castle.

FREELANCE TELEVISION PRODUCER / DIRECTOR

1996 – 2000

Producer Peter Karrie Unmasked – Two series of performance and chat show.

Producer Money In The Bank – Entertainment studio series presented by comic Owen Money.

Producer La Bamba Series 1.

Producer Trafferth Mewn Tafarn – Drama/performance set in a 14th Century Inn.

Producer The Big Noise – Large open air music event featuring performances from various artists including Catatonia, Stereophonics and Paul Weller.

Director 'Y Tri Dimensiwn' studio quiz show.

Director, General Election and Assembly Elections.

Main Coverage and planning Director for the first Royal Opening of the National Assembly. The largest live Outside Broadcast from Wales covered on 54 Cameras and broadcast live on Network BBC, ITV and S4C.

BBC WALES - ASSISTANT PRODUCER

1989 – 1996

Based in Cardiff and Westminster Live Multi Camera Director, News and Politics.

THEATRE PROJECTS SOUND & VISION LTD LONDON

1988 – 1989

Manager of the Hire Desk for a Sound and Vision facilities company specialising in providing equipment for West End Theatre Shows.

EDUCATION

BA COMMUNICATIONS AND MEDIA STUDIES, BANGOR UNIVERSITY, WALES.

INTERESTS

Music, Playing the Guitar, Reading, Television, Theatre, Cinema, Cooking, Travel, Golf, Photography, Rallying.

REFERENCES

Available on request.