Brian King

Freelance Graphic Designer/editor/VFX/finishing/3d animation

Experience

Head of Creative Advertising Windsor Television Dates Employed 1988 – 1990 Employment Duration 2 yrs.

I created all the local advertising as well as running 3 advertising channels and local game show channel.

Head of Graphics PMPP **Dates Employed 1992 – 2000 Employment Duration 8 yrs.**

I was head of Graphics which later expanded to include Smoke and Flame depts. My duties included devising and creating commercials, title sequences and many MOAs right through to the finished product, often including writing an original score.

Creative Director / Director/DOP Berwick Post Dates Employed May 2005 – Jan 2018 Employment Duration 12 yrs. 9 mos. Location London, United Kingdom

I was Co-founder, creative director/director and partner in Berwick Post. Our workload not only encompasses all forms post production, but also includes creative production, 3D,

 High Beams, Bingley Grove Reading. RG5 4TT
+44 7956 529 235
brian@brianking.tv

www.brianking.tv

Stereoscopic, Digital and Augmented Reality.

Freelance Graphic Designer Dates Employed Jan 2018 – Present Employment Duration 2 yrs. 8 mos.

I have over 25 years' experience in post-production Flame/Smoke and Softimage/Maya/Cinema4D. I also have a comprehensive knowledge of Adobe suite, encompassing most of the subsets (AE, Photoshop, Premiere, etc.). I Have also mixed and dubbed commercials and feature films, as well as composed music and soundscapes. My main audio software is Nuendo/Cubase.

I have also good experience in production as a DOP or camera lighting man, working on many corporate or commercials projects as well as dramas and films.

Brief History

With over 25 years of experience in the Production/Post Production environment working with directors such as <u>Ken</u>. <u>Russell</u>, <u>Kevin Godley</u> and <u>Paul Joyce</u>, I has amassed a wealth of knowledge in these fields. Starting as a Stills Photographer and Cameraman, I soon progressed into the Post Production environment, operating <u>Paint</u> <u>box</u> and <u>Matisse</u>. This led onto <u>Softimage</u> and <u>Alias/Wave</u> <u>front (now Maya)</u> then I got my first big commission from <u>Dave Gilmour</u> designing and creating animations for the <u>Pink Floyd</u> World Tour 1994. Working closely with <u>Storm Thorgerson</u> (Hypgnosis/Storm Studios) it was a perfect opportunity to hone my creative skills with one of the best music photographer/designer's the UK has produced.

Not satisfied with just creating 3D and animation, I took the opportunity to learn <u>Flame</u> which helped me create the unreal environment for <u>U2's Mission Impossible</u> promo by <u>Kevin Godley</u>. This also led to more commercials work,

which, in turn led on to learning <u>Smoke</u>. Now armed with a formidable repertoire of knowledge, I decided to combine all this into one fully functioning specialised suite for <u>VTR</u> (now Prime Focus), where a client could enter and do the whole job from start to finish if they wish.

I soon built up a reputation as not just a great cutter/VFX and sound man, but because of my photographic background, I have gathered an excellent reputation as grader/colourist for not just commercials, but for corporate, dramas, Pop Promos and Feature Films winning several awards along the way.

In parallel to this, I was often asked to be on set to advise and direct VFX shoots, but due to my lighting and camera skills, was soon being asked to shoot and light, culminating in being employed as DOP on many of the shoots I postproduced or just DOP for clients such as <u>AVID</u>, <u>Abbey Road</u> and <u>Sociatech</u>.

I also work alongside award winning Production companies such as <u>Three Wise Monkeys, CCFVX</u> and <u>a-Vision</u>.

References

[Available upon request.]

